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Planning

MW23108 - Black Country Advocacy for Children and Young people

Wolverhampton City Council

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Scope

Reference

CWC23108MW

Description

Please contact - <u>veronica.grantham@wolverhampton.gov.uk</u> To receive the link to the Market Warming Event.

The event will be Virtual Online Market Event (Through MS Teams) on Tuesday 08th April 2025

Session 1: 10:00 to 11:00

Session 2: 13:00 to 14:00

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- Unaccompanied Asylum-Seeking Children (UASC) in receipt of social care services who require to complete age assessments.
- Children and young people in Children's homes who qualify for advice and assistance: this includes those in residential special schools.
- Children and young people in safe settings who qualify for advice and assistance: this includes those children placed by the youth custody service in safe children's homes, safe training centres, youth offending institutions and safe schools (when open).
- Children and young people requiring support into adulthood who qualify for advice and assistance: this includes those children needing continuing care and support in adulthood, as well as young carers.

This contract will be utilised by the 3 following authorities:

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St. Peter's Square, Wolverhampton

WV1 1SH

Sandwell Metropolitan Borough Council

Sandwell Council House,

Freeth Street,

Oldbury B69 3DE

Walsall Council, Civic Centre,

Darwall Street,

Walsall WS1 1TP

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 October 2025 to 1 October 2030
- Possible extension to 1 October 2032
- 7 years, 1 day

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

• 85300000 - Social work and related services

Engagement

Engagement deadline

1 July 2025

Engagement process description

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