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## **Provision of Integrated Sexual and Reproductive Health Services**

Bedford Borough Council

F02: Contract notice

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

Bedford Borough Council

MK42 9AP

Bedford

#### **Email**

[james.gatawa@bedford.gov.uk](mailto:james.gatawa@bedford.gov.uk)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UKH24 - Bedford

#### **Internet address(es)**

Main address

[www.bedford.gov.uk](http://www.bedford.gov.uk)

### **I.3) Communication**

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

<https://www.in-tendhost.co.uk/bedford.aspx/Home>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the above-mentioned address

### **I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Regional or local authority

### **I.5) Main activity**

Health

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

Provision of Integrated Sexual and Reproductive Health Services

Reference number

BBC PH 03338

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 85100000 - Health services

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

Bedford Borough (BB) and Central Bedfordshire (CB) Councils are seeking a provider to deliver services that improve and protect the sexual and reproductive health of residents across BB and CB; forging effective partnerships with NHS Trusts and wider partners including charitable sector organisations and local communities, in order to improve service user care, pathways and outcomes. The provider and the Councils will work together to shape the service based on the identified sexual and reproductive health needs of specific populations within the local authority areas. This will include those groups where the burden of sexual ill health is recognised to be greater, but also particularly vulnerable groups, those with protected characteristics and others. The provider must recognise the need to be responsive to changing needs and emerging trends both locally and nationally – this may include emerging infections, new technologies, a changing population profile, and/or changing behaviours.

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

### **II.2) Description**

#### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 85100000 - Health services

#### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKH24 - Bedford

Main site or place of performance

Bedfordshire/Central Bedfordshire

#### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

Bedford Borough (BB) and Central Bedfordshire (CB) Councils are seeking a provider to deliver services that improve and protect the sexual and reproductive health of residents across BB and CB; forging effective partnerships with NHS Trusts and wider partners including charitable sector organisations and local communities, in order to improve service user care, pathways and outcomes.

#### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

## **II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months

60

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Option to extend for up to 4 years.

## **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

## **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

## **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

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# **Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information**

## **III.1) Conditions for participation**

### **III.1.2) Economic and financial standing**

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

### **III.1.3) Technical and professional ability**

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Open procedure

#### **IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

### **IV.2) Administrative information**

#### **IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate**

Date

26 June 2023

Local time

12:00pm

#### **IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted**

English

#### **IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders**

Date

26 June 2023

Local time

12:00pm

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.1) Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: No

### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

Bedford Borough Council

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United Kingdom