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## **Soft Market Testing & Market Engagement - Child Vision Screening**

Sunderland City Council

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-0340dd

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

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

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**NUTS code**

UKC23 - Sunderland

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://www.sunderland.gov.uk/>

Buyer's address

<http://www.sunderland.gov.uk/>

**I.3) Communication**

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

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

Regional or local authority

**I.5) Main activity**

General public services

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

Soft Market Testing & Market Engagement - Child Vision Screening

Reference number

DN614919

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

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

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

Services

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

The Council are undertaking a soft market test and market engagement for Child Vision Screening because:

- We are looking to you to help inform the development of the services commissioned in Sunderland to improve outcomes for local people.
- As a service provider, you have important insights into what will or won't work in service delivery. This is your opportunity to influence the development of the specification.

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

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

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

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

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

NUTS codes

- UKC23 - Sunderland

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

The primary aim of the Child Vision Screening Programme is to identify children aged 4 to 5 years with impaired sight, enabling timely intervention. Screening for reduced vision in children aged 4 to 5 years is primarily undertaken to detect children with amblyopia, a form of abnormal vision system development. The most common predisposing conditions are strabismus (squint) and refractive error (focusing problems requiring glasses).

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#### **II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice**

31 October 2022

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### **Section IV. Procedure**

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

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No