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Planning

Market engagement - Community Short Breaks for Disabled Children

Oxfordshire County Council

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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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

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Market engagement - Community Short Breaks for Disabled Children

Reference number

DN672185

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85312000 - Social work services without accommodation

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Oxfordshire County Council (OCC) would like to invite potential providers of Community Short Breaks for Disabled Children to join us as we share our service plans for April 2024, and to discuss the forthcoming re-commissioning process. OCC has a statutory duty to provide Short Breaks for Disabled Children, and they are a vital part of the continuum of support available to disabled children, carers and families.

Short Breaks have two aims: to enable the child to participate in fun, interesting and safe activities; and to provide a break from caring for the parents/carers. We are hoping to engage with Providers that can offer a range of activities to meet these aims. We want to continue to provide opportunities for resilience building within families and provide variety and a choice of community short breaks, available to children and families in Oxfordshire.

Aim

To update on the recommissioning of Oxfordshire County Council Community Short Breaks and explore services to be provided from April 2024, identifying challenges, solutions, and opportunities this presents.

Objectives

1. To review a summary of the current Community Short Breaks services provided in Oxfordshire.

2. To update on the re commissioning of Community Short Breaks in Oxfordshire.
3. To explore completed needs analysis of Oxfordshire's children and young people SEND population data.
4. To share potential Community Short Breaks service model from April 2024.
5. To identify Provider and Local Authority challenges, solutions, and benefits of the new service model.
6. To investigate opportunities for development and innovation for delivery.

The session will take place at Oxfordshire Council, County Hall, Oxford on 20th of June.

9.30-10.00 – Coffee and Networking

10.00-12.00 – Workshop

Organisations wishing to participate should email: StartWellCommissioningTeam@oxfordshire.gov.uk to reserve their place. Places are limited so please book ASAP.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKJ14 - Oxfordshire

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

12 June 2023

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: Yes