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## **Delivery of Managed Service Provider (MSP) to supply Children's Social Care CAST teams the Children's Services department of Hampshire County Council**

Connect2Hampshire

F02: Contract notice

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

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

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**NUTS code**

UKJ3 - Hampshire and Isle of Wight

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://www.commercialservices.org.uk>

Buyer's address

<http://www.commercialservices.org.uk>

**I.3) Communication**

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

<https://procontract.due-north.com/Advert/Index?advertId=e591058f-c5e0-ec11-8115-005056b64545>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://procontract.due-north.com/Advert/Index?advertId=e591058f-c5e0-ec11-8115-005056b64545>

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

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

General public services

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

Delivery of Managed Service Provider (MSP) to supply Children's Social Care CAST teams the Children's Services department of Hampshire County Council

Reference number

DN615323

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

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

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

Services

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

Connect2Hampshire is running a procurement for a Managed Service Provider (MSP) to supply five Children's Social Care CAST teams for the Children's Services department to use in five districts across the county. The number of teams could be increased or reduced over the term of the contract, subject to separate agreement with the supplier.

You will be required to have Five teams consisting for 45 workers in the following districts, these will be available, fully compliant and ready to be deployed from the start date of the contract (1st August 2022), without the need of additional recruitment campaigns.

Team 1 East Hants – Team of 8 Required

Team 2 Hart and Rushmoor – Team of 10 required

Team 3 New Forest – Team of 9 Required

Team 4 Basingstoke - Team of 9 Required

Team 5 Eastleigh Winchester - Team of 9 Required

Each team will consist of:

TEAM 1: 1 Team Manager, 1 Assistant Team Manager, 5 Social Workers, and 1 Project

## Support

TEAM 2: 1 Team Manager, 1 Assistant Team Manager, 7 Social Workers, 1 project support

TEAM 3: 1 Team Manager, 1 Assistant Team Manager, 6 Social Workers, 1 project support

TEAM 4: 1 Team Manager, 1 Assistant Team Manager, 6 Social Workers, 1 project support

TEAM 5: 1 Team Manager, 1 Assistant Team Manager, 6 Social Workers, 1 project support

These teams would be responsible for a total of 600 children (based on five teams) in any given six-month period regardless of Covid impacts.

MSP will provide senior management, that will be responsible for audit all the children's files and will record management oversight including SMART actions. The purpose of this is to ensure management grip for when the Social Workers start and to ensure they have guidance and direction.

MSP will have responsibility for the Quality Assurance Framework and will provide Head of Quality Assurance who undertakes regular audit activity via both desktop audit and live audit to ensure we close the loop, complete all remedial actions, and hold reflective learning discussions. The focus of our audit process is to ensure we look at the impact of intervention and the quality of our work to achieve the best outcomes for children and young people.

The teams are expected to be integrated into Children's Services working within Hampshire policies, procedures and thresholds. HCC will undertake its own quality assurance in addition to that provided by MSP.

NB - If you cannot meet the deadline start date of 1st August 2022 in full, please do not apply

### **II.1.5) Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: £7,500,000

### **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

- UKJ3 - Hampshire and Isle of Wight

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

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

#### **II.2.6) Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: £7,500,000

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

Duration in months

18

This contract is subject to renewal

No

### **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

### **II.2.14) Additional information**

To gain access and complete the necessary documents please follow the instruction below

Visit - [WWW.Kentbusinessportal.org.uk](http://WWW.Kentbusinessportal.org.uk)

Select - Opportunities

Select Organisation - Commercial Services

Select the opportunity appropriate to you from the list provided

Express interest - you may need to register first

Once successful expression is completed you can access and complete the requirements in two ways

1 - when you register you will receive a successful registration email, this also contains an link taking you direct to the opportunity

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Following the instruction from herein

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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: No

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

##### **IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Notice number: [2022/S 000-002693](#)

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

Date

30 June 2022

Local time

2:00pm

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

English

##### **IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender**

Duration in months: 2 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

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

Date

30 June 2022

Local time

2:10pm

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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



This is a recurrent procurement: No

### **VI.3) Additional information**

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

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

Commercial Services Kent Ltd

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