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## **Recommissioning Crisis and Intermediate Care Services - Stakeholder Engagement**

Lancashire County Council

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

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

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#### **Contact**

Commissioning

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United Kingdom

**NUTS code**

UKD45 - Mid Lancashire

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.lancashire.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**

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**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4) Short description**

Lancashire County Council (the Council) are reviewing our Intermediate Care offer across Lancashire. Intermediate Care services provide support for a short time to help recovery and increase independence and is a fundamental part of the Adult Social Care offer.

We are engaging with care providers, relevant NHS organisations and other relevant stakeholders to about our proposed approaches prior to recommissioning care services and commencing a procurement.

A competitive procurement is being assumed (subject to market interest and capability), which is currently scheduled to commence in late 2022 to enable providers to deliver the service(s) across Lancashire, covering the geographical spread of the Council.

The contract(s) will be expected to be awarded in Spring 2023 and service commencement would then be anticipated from August 2023. The council wishes to understand the views of interested providers, in relation to the delivery of Intermediate Care across Lancashire.

Responses to this request for information are likely to initiate follow-up engagement by the Council.

For the avoidance of doubt the proposals set out within this document are potential options, however they may change before an Invitation to Participate is published.

We would welcome a response from your organisation - if you wish to do so please follow the link below and provide your feedback no later than 15th June 2022.

<https://forms.office.com/r/F7j51Xw154>

If you have any queries in relation to the above form please contact [commissioningAgeWell@lancashire.gov.uk](mailto:commissioningAgeWell@lancashire.gov.uk)

The Council reserves the right to amend what is set out in this engagement event and any future engagements and documents. Any procurement process that may be conducted will only be in accordance with the procurement documents that are published.

Please note that participation (or non-participation) in engagements will confer no advantage or disadvantage should commissioners commence the formal procurement process.

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

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

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

NUTS codes

- UKD4 - Lancashire

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

Lancashire County Council (the Council) are reviewing our Intermediate Care offer across Lancashire. Intermediate Care services provide support for a short time to help recovery and increase independence and is a fundamental part of the Adult Social Care offer.

Intermediate care may:

- Help people to be as independent as possible after a fall or an illness or where they have an exacerbation which means they struggle to manage independently.
- Avoid going into hospital unnecessarily & return home more quickly
- Can be provided in different places (e.g. residential home or in people's own homes)
- Helps people to avoid going into hospital or residential care unnecessarily

It is not yet decided on the number of Lots for the procurement. The Council reserves the right to amend what is set out in this engagement event and any future engagements and documents. Any procurement process that may be conducted will only be in accordance with the procurement documents that are published.

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

1 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: Yes