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## **Parent Infant Mental Health Service - Prior Information Notice**

Kent County Council

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-018026

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-046f11

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

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

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**Region code**

UK - United Kingdom

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Main address

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

Buyer's address

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

**I.3) Communication**

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

<https://www.kentbusinessportal.org.uk/>

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**

Health

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

Parent Infant Mental Health Service - Prior Information Notice

Reference number

DN727940

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

- 85323000 - Community health services

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

Services

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

The purpose of this Prior Information Notice (PIN) is to alert potential providers to an opportunity Kent County Council intends to advertise for delivery of a Parent Infant Mental Health service.

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

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

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

- 85323000 - Community health services

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

NUTS codes

- UKJ4 - Kent

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

The purpose of this Prior Information Notice (PIN) is to alert potential providers to an opportunity Kent County Council intends to advertise within the next few months.

Kent County Council is seeking to procure a service for birthing women, expectant dads and partners, new parents and primary caregivers, (including parents, foster carers, grandparents, or others who may be in this role) with infants up to the age of two, with moderate to severe need with some risk factors with disorganized/ insecure attachment.

The services are for people who live in Kent County Councils geographical boundaries.

The development, delivery and monitoring of evidence-based service/intervention[s] will support the needs of families with moderate to severe parent infant relationships difficulties in Kent.

The service will support: -

- families who have parent-child relationship problems with disorganised attachment and insecure attachment
- families who have additional support needs
- the existing Family Hub workforce in Kent to strengthen knowledge and pathways

It is envisaged there will be a single provider identified to deliver the service across the whole of Kent, with the annual value totalling approximately £400k per year, over 4.5 years.

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

9 July 2024

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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