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Planning

Independent Fostering Agencies Framework

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

F21: Social and other specific services – public contracts

Prior information notice without call for competition

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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

Independent Fostering Agencies Framework

Reference number

CS16267

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85311000 - Social work services with accommodation

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Hampshire County Council would like to engage with the marketplace via a questionnaire prior to the re-procurement of the Independent Fostering Agencies (IFAs). The questionnaire can be found on Hampshire County Council's tendering portal (InTend) This can be accessed at https://in-tendhost.co.uk/hampshire/asp/Home_and searching for the reference number CS16267. The for responses to the questionnaire will need to be received by Tuesday 31st August at 17:00.

The new IFA framework is due to commence on 1st April 2022 and will consist of four lots:

Lot 1 - Standard Foster Placements including Respite

Lot 2 - Parent & Child Foster Placements

Lot 3 - Complex/Challenging Behaviour Foster Placements

Lot 4 - Disabilities/Complex Healthcare Need Foster Placements

The framework duration will be for an initial two years with options to extend for a total of four years.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £84,000,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Standard Foster Placements including Respite

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85311000 - Social work services with accommodation

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKJ3 - Hampshire and Isle of Wight

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot 1 - Foster placements for children and young people requiring standard placements including respite placements

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Parent & Child Foster Placements

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85311000 - Social work services with accommodation

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKJ3 - Hampshire and Isle of Wight

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot 2 - Parent & Child foster placements.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Complex/Challenging Behaviors

Lot No

3

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85311000 - Social work services with accommodation

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKJ3 - Hampshire and Isle of Wight

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot 3 - For children and young people presenting with increasingly complex challenging behaviours and who may require a higher level of support.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Disabilities/Complex Healthcare Needs

Lot No

4

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85311000 - Social work services with accommodation

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKJ3 - Hampshire and Isle of Wight

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot 4 - Children and young people who have either a disability or complex health needs and require more support within their placement.

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

21 September 2021

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

Information to be obtained from Intend.

