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Planning

NCC915 Home and Community Care for Children with Disabilities - Soft Market Testing

Northumberland County Council

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Buyer's address

<http://www.northumberland.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

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

NCC915 Home and Community Care for Children with Disabilities - Soft Market Testing

Reference number

DN622909

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85300000 - Social work and related services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Short breaks are part of a continuum of services, which support disabled children and their families. Support takes place outside of the school day which means that the service can be required during the day, evening and weekend and can take place in the child's own home, the home of an approved carer or in a community setting.

Northumberland County Council would like to seek views from the market to help us to overcome some of the challenges that we are facing in relation to matching the assessed needs of our residents with the availability within the market.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85300000 - Social work and related services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKC21 - Northumberland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

This is a soft market testing exercise which seeks views from the market with regard to the availability already within the market, potential appetite for diversification and optimal model. Please note that this is for information only and all responses will be treated in confidence.

Any further information and the questionnaire can be obtained via Procontract procurement portal: <https://procontract.due-north.com/Advert?advertId=02e1d6a8-8c06-ed11-8116-005056b64545>

Please respond by 12th August 2022

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

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Upon expiry

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

30 September 2022

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