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## **ESCC Approved List for the provision of Residential and Nursing Care Home Services.**

East Sussex County Council

F02: Contract notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-03543d

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

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

East Sussex County Council

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United Kingdom

**NUTS code**

UKJ22 - East Sussex CC

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://eastsussex.gov.uk>

Buyer's address

<https://sesharedservices.org.uk/esourcing>

**I.3) Communication**

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

<https://sesharedservices.org.uk/esourcing>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to 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**

ESCC Approved List for the provision of Residential and Nursing Care Home Services.

Reference number

ESCC - 034778

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

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

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

Services

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

The Council is updating it's specification and contract terms and is seeking to contract with providers who meet the quality standards and service delivery requirements set out with in the application documents to deliver the Services ("Approved Providers"). The Approved Provider list will be continually open to allow new providers to apply to join and become an Approved Provider at any time. The Specification sets out how the Service Provider will deliver care and support in a residential or nursing home setting for individuals assessed and supported by East Sussex County Council on behalf of the Adult Social Care and Health Department. The overall aim is for the Client to live in a safe and friendly environment where their care and support needs are met, and to enable them to be as active and retain as much independence as possible. The Service Provider will support the well-being and the quality of life of the Client.

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

Value excluding VAT: £1,551,144,577

#### **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
- 85100000 - Health services
- 85300000 - Social work and related services

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

NUTS codes

- UKJ22 - East Sussex CC

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

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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: £1,551,144,577

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

Start date

21 July 2022

End date

20 July 2035

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**

The value above is the total estimated value of the contracts to be let through this procurement over the term of those contracts. Individual contracts let through this procurement will vary in value according to the level of activity required. The contract term above is the maximum term including the possible extension period. The initial term is 10 years.

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### **Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information**

#### **III.1) Conditions for participation**

##### **III.1.3) Technical and professional ability**

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

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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: Yes

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

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

Date

23 August 2022

Local time

12:00pm

#### **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**

Tender must be valid until: 30 November 2022

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

Date

23 August 2022

Local time

12:00pm

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

This is a recurrent procurement: Yes

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

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

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

Legal Services Department East Sussex County Council

County Hall, St Anne's Crescent

Lewes

BN7 1UE

Country

United Kingdom