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Planning

SEND Information Advice and Support Service (SENDIASS) inclusive of the administration of the Local Offer

The Council of the City of Wakefield

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Scope

Description

Wakefield Council is considering options to re-tender for the SEND Information Advice and Support Service (SENDIASS) inclusive of the administration of the Local Offer.

The purpose of this early market engagement is:

To gain feedback on our proposed requirements,

To understand the level of interest in our contract,

To understand any market risks which may impact on our procurement.

Total value (estimated)

- £1,389,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 April 2026 to 31 March 2030
- Possible extension to 31 March 2032
- 6 years

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

Contract locations

- UKE45 - Wakefield

Engagement

Engagement deadline

28 May 2025

Engagement process description

Completed questionnaires and any accompanying information should be uploaded to the YORtender system (<https://yortender.eu-supply.com>)

Any queries you may have regarding this process should be raised as a 'Discussion' through YORtender in sufficient time to allow the Council to formulate a response at least 5 working days before the due date for return of questionnaires

The questionnaire must be submitted by 5pm on the 28th May 2025.

Participation

Particular suitability

- Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
- Voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)

Procedure

Special regime

Light touch

Contracting authority

The Council of the City of Wakefield

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