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Adoption Support Therapies Open Framework

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

F21: Social and other specific services – public contracts

Contract notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

The Castle

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Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKJ36 - Central Hampshire

Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.hants.gov.uk

I.3) Communication

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

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/hampshire>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/hampshire>

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

Adoption Support Therapies Open Framework

Reference number

CS23903

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85300000 - Social work and related services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Hampshire County Council, on behalf of Adopt South, is inviting suitably qualified organisations who wish to be considered to join an Open Framework for Adoption Support Therapies. The purpose of the Framework is to increase access to therapeutic providers and specialist assessors to provide services to children and families. The Framework will be always open/ for new suppliers to join after the initial evaluation of submissions.

The Open Framework will be for a duration of two years with optional extension period(s) totalling not more than 12 months.

The provision of these services and assessments are required to meet the eligibility criteria for the Adoption & Special Guardian Support Fund(ASGSF).

Interested parties should register their interest on in tend (<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/hampshire>) and complete their Enrolment Stage questionnaire by the 15th August 2024.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £3,600,000

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

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

This is an Open Framework procured under the Light Touch Regime.

The procurement model would comprise of three tiers. The first would be the Framework itself which Tenderers will need to successfully enrol on by completing Stage One (Enrolment). Once Tenderers have successfully completed Stage One, they will then need to complete Stage Two (Call Off) pertaining to Assessors and or therapists depending on what services they will provide. Once these two stages are completed Tenderers will be eligible to receive referrals so the third tier will be the individual placement stage.

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £3,600,000

II.2.7) Duration of the contract or the framework agreement

Duration in months

36

II.2.14) Additional information

Adopt South is a regional adoption agency (RAA) partnership that provides adoption services on behalf of Hampshire County Council, Isle of Wight Council, Portsmouth City Council, and Southampton City Council.

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Form of procedure

Open procedure

IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number: [2024/S 000-014815](#)

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

Date

15 August 2024

Local time

2:00pm

IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

English

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.2) Information about electronic workflows

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

High Court of England and Wales

London

Country

United Kingdom