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## **Residential Short Breaks for Children and Young People**

NHS Balck Country Integrated Care Board  
Dudley Metropolitan Borough Council

F21: Social and other specific services – public contracts

Prior information notice with call for competition

Notice identifier: 2022/S 000-022299

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-03474d

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

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

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Wolverhampton

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

**Region code**

UKG3 - West Midlands

**NHS Organisation Data Service**

D2P2L

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://blackcountry.icb.nhs.uk/>

**I.1) Name and addresses**

Dudley Metropolitan Borough Council

Council House, Priory Road

Dudley

DY1 1HF

**Email**

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**Country**

United Kingdom

**Region code**

UKG36 - Dudley

**Justification for not providing organisation identifier**

Not on any register

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.dudley.gov.uk/>

## **I.2) Information about joint procurement**

The contract involves joint procurement

## **I.3) Communication**

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

<https://uk.eu-supply.com/ctm/Supplier/PublicPurchase/51420/0/0?returnUrl=ctm/Supplier/publictenders&b=AGCSU>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://uk.eu-supply.com/login.asp?B=aqcsu>

## **I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Body governed by public law

## **I.5) Main activity**

Health

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

Residential Short Breaks for Children and Young People

Reference number

57584

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

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

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

Services

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

Arden & Greater East Midlands Commissioning Support Unit and Dudley Integrated Health and Care NHS Trust (DIHC), on behalf of the NHS Black Country Integrated Care Board and Dudley Metropolitan Borough Council (The commissioner), are seeking to put in place a Short Break Residential Care Service for Children and Young People with a Disability. DIHC are seeking a provider or providers who are suitably qualified and experienced to provide this service. The service is split into two cohorts as categorised using the criteria based on Aiming High priority group A and B as follows. Perspective providers should note that the majority of children and young people will have a severe learning disability:

- Group A - comprises children and young people with Autistic Spectrum Disorder (who have severe learning disabilities or behaviour which is challenging) or those children and young people whose challenging behaviour is associated with other impairments such as severe learning disabilities.
- Group B - comprises children and young people with complex health needs including those with a disability and life limiting conditions, and/or those who require palliative care and/or those with associated impairments such as cognitive or sensory impairments and/or have moving/handling needs and/or require special equipment/adaptations.

The service will be provided for children and young people with disabilities from the age of 4 up to their 18th birthday or up to the age of 19 if in education and they have received a

referral by Dudley Children's Services Children's Disability Team according to their criteria. Children under age 4 may be referred into the service if they are in crisis and are at serious risk of family breakdown.

The commissioner is advertising this opportunity via a Prior Information Notice (PIN) as a call for competition and interested parties are required to register their interest in writing. The form in which expressions of interest must be submitted in writing is outlined in the relevant documentation found on the CSU's e-tendering portal. Full details of the intended process, along with a copy of the service specification can also be found on the CSU's e-tendering portal. For the avoidance of doubt, no further notice shall be issued with regard to this procurement.

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

Value excluding VAT: £2,051,885

### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

## **II.2) Description**

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

NUTS codes

- UKG36 - Dudley

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

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

#### **IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Notice number: [2022/S 000-016552](#)

#### **IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of expressions of interest**

Date

12 September 2022

Local time

5:00pm

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

English