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Contract

## **Provision of Independent School & Community Based Counselling to Children & Young People aged 11-18 Years and Year 6 Primary School**

RCTCBC

F21: Social and other specific services – public contracts

Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2023/S 000-026139

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-03bcfe

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

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

RCTCBC

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United Kingdom

**NUTS code**

UKL15 - Central Valleys

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Main address

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Buyer's address

[https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0276](https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0276)

**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**

Provision of Independent School & Community Based Counselling to Children & Young People aged 11-18 Years and Year 6 Primary School

Reference number

RCT/PSS/S236-23

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 85312320 - Counselling services

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

Services

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

RCTCBC is looking for a single service provider to deliver Independent School & Community Based Counselling Services to Children & Young People aged 11-18 Years and Year 6 Primary School.

To provide counselling and/or other therapeutic interventions that are regulated and registered and/or assessed as appropriate, to children and young people aged 11-18 and year 6 of primary school who;

either go to school or live within RCT, in Welsh or English (as required)

young people attending special schools, PRU or EOTAS provisions

young people preferring to access community-based counselling

young people educated at home.

To provide a counselling service that;

Ensures the delivery model is compliant with the WG School Based Counselling Toolkit.

Is delivered through providing a core assessment, one-to-one work, group work (not group therapy), online provision or school training.

Has a full service available in schools during term times, with the proviso that a reduced provision is accessible for priority cases during holiday periods.

Has community-based counselling available throughout the year, and offered both in and out of school hours to meet the needs of the individual.

Operates 52 weeks per annum excluding statutory holidays.

The budget for this is initially capped at 354,000.00 GBP per annum.

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

### **II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)**

Value excluding VAT: £1,770,000

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 85312300 - Guidance and counselling services
- 85312320 - Counselling services

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

NUTS codes

- UKL15 - Central Valleys

Main site or place of performance

Rhondda Cynon Taf

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

Rhondda Cynon Taf County Borough Council are looking for a single Service Provider to provide Independent School & Community Based Counselling Services to Children & Young People aged 11-18 Years and Year 6 Primary School.

1.6. If concluded, the contract will commence on 01/09/2023 and run for a period of 2 years. Following this the contract may be further extended by a further period of up to 3 years, extendable annually dependent on performance and availability of funding.

The budget for this is initially capped at 354,000.00 GBP per annum.

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Form of procedure**

Open procedure

#### **IV.1.11) Main features of the award procedure**

As per Tender Documentation

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

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

Notice number: [2023/S 000-010035](#)

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

25 July 2023

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 2

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 2

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Eye to Eye Counselling

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Pontypridd

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKL - Wales

**V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £1,770,000

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

(WA Ref:133605)

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

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

High Court

Royal Courts of Justice, The Strand

London

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