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## **SPS 2537 - Children's and Young People's Integrated Therapies Service**

Royal Borough of Greenwich

F02: Contract notice

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

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

Royal Borough of Greenwich

3rd Floor, The Woolwich Centre, 35 Wellington Street, Woolwich

London

SE18 6HQ

#### **Contact**

Strategic Procurement Services

#### **Email**

[procurement@royalgreenwich.gov.uk](mailto:procurement@royalgreenwich.gov.uk)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UKI51 - Bexley and Greenwich

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/>

Buyer's address

<http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/>

**I.3) Communication**

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

<https://royalgreenwich.proactishosting.com/>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://royalgreenwich.proactishosting.com/>

**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**

SPS 2537 - Children's and Young People's Integrated Therapies Service

Reference number

DN581794

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

- 85300000 - Social work and related services

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

Services

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

The Royal Borough of Greenwich is working in partnership with South East London Clinical Commissioning Group and local stakeholders to redesign the Greenwich Integrated Therapies Service. The service comprises Speech and Language Therapy Services, Physiotherapy Services and Occupational Therapy Services, delivered in an integrated way to deliver improved outcomes for children and young people aged 0 to 25 with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND) resident or attending schools within the Royal Borough of Greenwich.

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

Value excluding VAT: £21,892,000

#### **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

- UKI51 - Bexley and Greenwich

Main site or place of performance

Within the boundaries of the Royal Borough of Greenwich.

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

The Royal Borough of Greenwich is working in partnership with South East London Clinical Commissioning Group and local stakeholders to redesign our local Integrated Therapies Service.

The Integrated Therapies Service comprises 3 integrated components namely:

- a) Speech and Language Therapy Services,
- b) Physiotherapy Services and
- c) Occupational Therapy Services

The integrated service will deliver improved outcomes for children and young people aged 0 to 25 with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND) who are residents or attending schools within the Royal Borough of Greenwich.

The service is an essential part of the children's services 'system', and delivers a priority within the Children and Young People's Plan, though improving health and wellbeing outcomes for children and young people.

The service will identify additional needs early, build resilience and reduce health inequalities by providing effective targeted and specialist interventions for children with additional needs, alongside universal provision.

The new service will be developed in line with feedback from children, young people and families, to ensure effective, efficient and flexible service that maximises the use of available resources to meet the ever increasing demand.

This will be a Competitive Procedure with Negotiation, to facilitate effective co-design with the successful provider. A detailed timeline is available in the tender pack.

Providers expressing interest in this opportunity will be expected to have experience of delivering similar services of this type and scale.

### **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: £21,892,000

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

Duration in months

36

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: Yes

Description of options

The contract length is initially for a period of 3 years although Royal

Greenwich reserves the right to extend it on the same terms for a further period or periods of up to 60 months making a total possible contract period of 8 years.

### **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**

Suppliers will be required to deliver social value as part of the delivery of the contract.

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

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

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

Competitive procedure with negotiation

#### **IV.1.4) Information about reduction of the number of solutions or tenders during negotiation or dialogue**

Recourse to staged procedure to gradually reduce the number of solutions to be discussed or tenders to be negotiated

#### **IV.1.5) Information about negotiation**

The contracting authority reserves the right to award the contract on the basis of the initial tenders without conducting negotiations

#### **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

17 December 2021

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**

Duration in months: 9 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

This is a recurrent procurement: No

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

This procurement will be managed electronically via the RBG Proactis e- tendering Suite.  
To

participate in this procurement, participants shall first be registered on the eTendering Suite.

If bidders have not yet registered on the eTendering Suite, this can be done online at

<https://royalgreenwich.proactishosting.com/> and click on the tab 'supplier registration'.

Note: registration may take some time, therefore, please ensure that you allow enough time

to register. Full instructions for registration and use of the system can be found at

<https://supplierhelp.due-north.com/> For technical assistance on use of the eSourcing Suite,

please contact Proactis Helpdesk Freephone: 0345 0103503.

Once registration is completed, the registered user will receive a notification email to alert

them that this has been done. A registered user can express an interest for a specific

procurement. This is done by looking at the opportunity's section and selecting the contract

you want to tender for.

As a user of the e-Tendering Suite, you will have access to Proactis e-Portal email messaging

service which facilitates all messages sent to you and from you in relation to any specific

Tender event. Please note it is your responsibility to access these emails on a regular

basis to

ensure you have sight of all relevant information applicable to this opportunity. All

communications relating to this tender exercise must be via e-portal messaging system. No direct emails to officers will be answered unless you are having problems communicating

through the portal. This process aims to improve audit trails as well as avoid duplication.

Please note, social value considerations are included in this contract. Details are stated in the tender documents.

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

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

High Court of England and Wales

Royal Courts of Justice, Strand

London

WC1A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom

##### **VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures**

Cabinet Office

70 Whitehall

London

SW1A 2AS

Country

United Kingdom



### **VI.4.3) Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

Royal Borough of Greenwich has incorporated a minimum 10 calendar day standstill period after notification to unsuccessful applicants of the award decision

### **VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained**

Royal Borough of Greenwich

The Woolwich Centre, 35 Wellington Street

London

SE18 6HQ

Country

United Kingdom