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## **Oxfordshire Children & Young People's Substance Misuse Service**

Oxfordshire County Council

F21: Social and other specific services – public contracts

Prior information notice with call for competition

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

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

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Buyer's address

<https://sebp.due-north.com/>

**I.3) Communication**

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://sebp.due-north.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**

Oxfordshire Children & Young People's Substance Misuse Service

Reference number

DN636157

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

- 85312500 - Rehabilitation services

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

Services

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

The Council wishes to provide an effective substance misuse service that addresses the need in Oxfordshire for support for children and young people impacted by substance misuse.

The core service is for children and young people from 8 years of age until their 19th birthday. This core service covers treatment for young people's substance misuse, for those affected by others misuse, brief interventions, information campaigns and a professionals consultation requirement. There are proposed pilots in the specification for an age extension up to 25 and for a family service to run alongside the core service.

The service will address the key priorities in the new 10-year national strategy, from Harm to Hope. It will work in close partnership with the Council's children's services but will have its own independent identity and structure. The service will adopt a flexible and innovative approach to delivery and funding opportunities, using expert workforce and evidence-based ideas to develop the service and increase the numbers of children who benefit from the service.

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

## **II.2) Description**

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

NUTS codes

- UKJ14 - Oxfordshire

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### **II.2.6) Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: £3,500,000

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

Start date

1 April 2023

End date

31 March 2026

### **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**

The contract has an option to extend for up to 4 years in aggregate. The end date shown in the notice is the end of the initial term.

The estimated value includes all options to extend plus additional pilot services that are set out in the specification.

Procurement documents are available via the south-east business portal <https://sebp.due-north.com/>

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

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

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

Date

18 November 2022

Local time

12:00pm

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

English