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## **The Reablement and Review Service**

Reading Borough Council

F02: Contract notice

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

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

Reading Borough Council

Civic Offices, Bridge Street

Reading

RG21 2LU

#### **Contact**

Eloise Cromwell

#### **Email**

[pchub@reading.gov.uk](mailto:pchub@reading.gov.uk)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UKJ11 - Berkshire

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

[www.reading.gov.uk](http://www.reading.gov.uk)

Buyer's address

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/readingbc/asp/Tenders/Current>

**I.3) Communication**

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

[www.reading.gov.uk](http://www.reading.gov.uk)

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the above-mentioned address

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

Regional or local authority

**I.5) Main activity**

Other activity

Reablement Care in the Community

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

The Reablement and Review Service

Reference number

RBC P 00001746

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

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

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

Services

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

Reading Borough Council's ("RBC" or the "Council") vision is to enhance the reablement approach to arranging, delivering, and reviewing care that supports Individual's (otherwise coined as 'service users') to do tasks for themselves to retain or regain their independent living skills and to build their confidence during/after a period of ill-health. Done effectively, reablement can enhance people's independence, and reduce their dependency on adult social care. It further helps discharge Individual's from hospital, prevent readmission, and enable them to remain living at home.

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

Value excluding VAT: £390,000

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

### **II.2) Description**

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

- 85000000 - Health and social work services
- 85311100 - Welfare services for the elderly

- 85311200 - Welfare services for disabled people
- 85300000 - Social work and related services

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

NUTS codes

- UKJ11 - Berkshire

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

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### **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: £390,000

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

Start date

27 November 2023

End date

31 March 2025

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Possible 1 year extension

### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

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

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

## **Section IV. Procedure**

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

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

Open procedure

#### **IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

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

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

Date

2 November 2023

Local time

5:00pm

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

English

#### **IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders**

Date

2 November 2023

Local time

5:00pm

Place

Reading Borough Council via In-Tend portal

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

This is a recurrent procurement: No

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

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

High Court of Justice of England and Wales

7 Rolls Buildings, Fetter Lane

London

EC4A 1NL

Telephone

+44 2079477156

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

<https://courtribunalfinder.service.gov.uk/courts/rolls-building>

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

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

The relevant deadlines depend on the specific nature of the remedies required and are defined in Regulations 93 & 94 of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015

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

The Cabinet Office

70 Whitehall

London

SW1A 2AS

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/cabinet-office>