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Planning

Suffolk Young Carers Service

Suffolk County Council

UK2: Preliminary market engagement notice - Procurement Act 2023 - [view information about notice types](#)

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Scope

Description

We are seeking to commission a Provider to deliver a County-wide service that will effectively engage and identify with Young Carers, complete Statutory Assessments on Young Carers and then provide appropriate Information, Advice and Guidance to ensure their needs are properly supported.

Total value (estimated)

- £850,000 excluding VAT
- £1,020,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 April 2026 to 31 March 2028
- Possible extension to 31 March 2030
- 4 years

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

Contract locations

- UKH14 - Suffolk

Engagement

Engagement deadline

30 June 2025

Engagement process description

The primary purpose of this preliminary market engagement notice is to identify any suppliers who may be able to provide the services required (which will, in turn, inform our approach to the procurement).

To express an interest in this tender opportunity, please email Chris.Southwell@suffolk.gov.uk and Neil.Holland@suffolk.gov.uk by 5pm on Monday 30th June. Your details will not be shared with anyone outside of Suffolk County Council.

Depending on the level of interest, we reserve the right to undertake further market engagement and/or change our approach to the procurement.

Participation

Particular suitability

- Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
- Voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)

Submission

Publication date of tender notice (estimated)

3 October 2025

Procedure

Special regime

Light touch

Contracting authority

Suffolk County Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PHVH-1657-HH MV

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