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Tender

Early Years Speech, Language and Communication - Identification and Training Programme

Liverpool City Council

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Scope

Reference

DN774650

Description

Liverpool City Council wish to commission a service to strengthen early identification and the provision of effective support and intervention at a universal and targeted level for speech, language and communication. This will involve ensuring the WELLCOMM screening tool and interventions are delivered to a high standard across the whole of the early years sector, including early education and childcare providers, health visitors, children's centre and family hubs. The collation and analysis of data from WELLCOMM implementation will inform future strategy, delivery and commissioning. The service will be expected to lead on the development and launch of a city wide integrated speech, language and communication pathway, which is co-produced.

Total value (estimated)

- £240,000 excluding VAT
- £288,000 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 4 August 2025 to 3 August 2027
- Possible extension to 3 August 2028
- 3 years

Description of possible extension:

Extension option available subject to funding

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 85300000 - Social work and related services

Contract locations

- UKD72 - Liverpool

Submission

Tender submission deadline

8 July 2025, 12:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

Submissions only accepted via ProContract etendering portal:

<https://procontract.due-north.com/Opportunities/Index?resetFilter=True&applyFilter=True&p=e0cc5631-4690-e511-80fb-000c29c9ba21&v=1>

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Award criteria

Quality - 70% weighting

Price - 20% weighting

Social Value - 10% weighting

Procedure

Procedure type

Below threshold - open competition

Special regime

Light touch

Documents

Associated tender documents

<https://liverpool.gov.uk/business/tenders-and-procurement/current-tenders/>

Contracting authority

Liverpool City Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PRVY-7813-WLPG

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