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### **Planning**

# **Early Intervention Whole Family Support**

**Essex County Council** 

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-030635

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-047117

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

**Essex County Council** 

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#### Contact

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#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

## Region code

UKH3 - Essex

## Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.essex.gov.uk/

Buyer's address

https://www.essex.gov.uk/

# I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

# I.3) Communication

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

# I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Regional or local authority

# I.5) Main activity

General public services

# **Section II: Object**

### II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

Early Intervention Whole Family Support

Reference number

DN744496

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

85310000 - Social work services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

Following a provider event in July, Essex County Council ("the Council") is planning to launch the tender which aims to secure a Strategic Innovation Partner (or partners) to work with the Council to scope and design possible solutions/options to deliver early intervention whole family support to those impacted by domestic abuse.

This next event is for providers to hear more about the final approach and how to engage with the tender process. If you would like to attend our virtual information event on Monday 7th October 2024 09:30-10:30; please register your interest by emailing <a href="mailto:lsabelle.Clarke@essex.gov.uk">lsabelle.Clarke@essex.gov.uk</a>

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £500,000

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

### II.2) Description

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

• 85322000 - Community action programme

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKH3 - Essex

### II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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### II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

4 November 2024

### Section IV. Procedure

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

#### 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.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number: 2024/S 000-018891

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

## VI.3) Additional information

Please be advised that the full details of the associated procurement, including but not limited to, the applicable budget and procurement timetable will be published in a separate notice following the conclusion of the requisite internal governance for this project.

The Council envisages that this contract will utilise a phased delivery model which will be confirmed in the corresponding contract notice.

The Phased Delivery Model is illustrated below;

Phase 1: Design and develop interventions at a cost of up to £100,000.

Phase 2: Operationalise and pilot the interventions in Essex at a cost of up to £150,000.

Phase 3: Deliver the interventions at a cost of up to £240,000.

Prospective bidders are advised that as indicated in section 1.2 "Information about joint procurement" in this notice, the Council will act akin to a central purchasing body in relation to the forthcoming procurement opportunity on behalf of Southend-on-Sea City Council, Essex County Council and Thurrock Council, together with the Essex Police, Fire and Crime Commissioner which together forms the Pan Essex Domestic Abuse Commissioning Collaborative (PEDACC). Please note that as this notice is designed to advertise a market engagement opportunity rather than a call for competition, the Council will provide further details of the contact points for the above named partner organisations in the contract notice.