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Planning

PIN: Home from Hospital Service

Bracknell Forest Borough Council

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Bracknell Forest Borough Council

Time Square, Market Street

Bracknell

RG12 1JD

Email

Procurement.Team@Bracknell-Forest.gov.uk

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKJ11 - Berkshire

Internet address(es)

Main address

<http://www.bracknell-forest.gov.uk>

Buyer's address

<http://www.bracknell-forest.gov.uk>

I.3) Communication

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

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

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

PIN: Home from Hospital Service

Reference number

DN643266

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Using the flexibilities of the Better Care Fund, Frimley ICS and Bracknell Forest Council are looking to commission a contract to deliver a Home from Hospital service. This contract will cover eligible patients within Bracknell Forest who are being discharged from hospital.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKJ11 - Berkshire

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Using the flexibilities of the Better Care Fund, Frimley ICS and Bracknell Forest Council are looking to commission a contract to deliver a Home from Hospital service. This contract will cover eligible patients within Bracknell Forest who are being discharged from hospital. The

service will be managed by a coordinator who will liaise with key stakeholders to receive and action referrals.

Patients will be supported for a period of six weeks, with visits and telephone calls to help with emotional needs and small practical tasks. The service is not expected to provide personal care. Key aims for this service are to:

- Support patients being discharged from hospital
- Enable people to live independently in their own home
- Improve patient experience
- Reduce hospital admission
- Assist with hospital discharge
- Reduce hospital readmission rates
- Supporting patients to be fully sighted on additional community organisations where appropriate

The Home from Hospital service will work closely with the Adult Social Care team, OT's and ward staff based in hospitals to help with the timely discharge and unnecessary admittance of patients. The project will also work closely with the Intermediate Care Teams with referrals coming through from Intermediate Care as well.

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £80,000

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

1 September 2023

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

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

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The Council is currently undertaking market engagement prior to a potential procurement process being done by partners under the Better Care Fund. The commissioner reserves the right not to publish any contract notice; not to award the contract in whole or in part; to cancel or amend the tender process and does not bind itself to accept any tender.

The Council, and partners, shall not be liable under any circumstances for any costs, charges or expenses incurred by any bidder or prospective bidder in responding to this PIN notice or in taking part in any procurement process that may follow.