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Tender

Pathway Strategy Alternative Provision Bespoke Framework (Tier 4) PDPS

Dudley MBC

F02: Contract notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-04adc9

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Dudley

Email

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKG36 - Dudley

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/blackcountryportal.aspx/home>

I.3) Communication

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

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/blackcountryportal.aspx/home>

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

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Pathway Strategy Alternative Provision Bespoke Framework (Tier 4) PDPS

Reference number

24081

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 80000000 - Education and training services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The Pathway Strategy Alternative Provision Bespoke Framework (Tier 4) and the Providers entered on it, is a list of approved providers of individualised targeted Provision and forms one of the interventions provided to children and young people through Dudley's Pathway Strategy who have been identified by a mainstream school as being at risk of high suspensions and/or exclusion. The Alternative Education Provision is also 6th day provision for children and young people who have been permanently excluded from school. Working together with our providers to meet the outcomes for our young people to support engagement with learning with the right support, right place and right time. Dudley Metropolitan Borough Council wishes to find qualified providers that will be able to provide places that will support the young people who may have a high number of suspensions and in some cases face permanent exclusion. The providers will be considered and checked and placed on a directory known

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £1,470,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKG36 - Dudley

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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council buys or services they receive have been bought in fairly and responsibly and the money has been spent wisely).

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

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

Duration in months

36

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

DPS can be extended by a further 2 years

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: Yes

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.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

Framework agreement with several operators

In the case of framework agreements, provide justification for any duration exceeding 4 years:

Pseudo DPS let for 3+2 years. New entrants can join.

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

Date

18 November 2024

Local time

12:00pm

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

English

IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

18 November 2024

Local time

12:00pm

Place

First round of the pseudo PDPS to open on 18 November 2024. The PDPS will then remain open for 3 years for new entrants. The PDPS may be extended for a further 2 years.

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: Yes

Estimated timing for further notices to be published: Pseudo DPS to be open for 3+2 years (subject to extensions being approved)

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Dudley MBC

Dudley

Country

United Kingdom