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Tender

Day, Evening, Weekend and School Holiday provision for CYP accessing Services in the Disabled Children's Team

Bath and North East Somerset Council

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Scope

Reference

DN770403

Description

The Disabled Children's Team (DCT) works with children and young people who have diagnosed disabilities or health conditions which have a significant impact on their day to day lives from birth through to 18 years old when they transition to Adult Services. The Council would like to commission a new service to support individual CYP that access DCT.

The aim of this provision is to ensure that disabled children and young people have access to social experiences and interactions at home and within the local community. Families are also provided with a break from their caring responsibilities. The purpose of this service is to provide an opportunity for children / young people with a disability or additional need to spend time away from their primary carers, exploring a range of new opportunities that are enjoyable to them.

For example, disabled children and young people experience new relationships, environments and participate in positive activities. The ethos of this service is to match carers with individual CYP and their families with the view that over time, working relationships between the parties strengthen. The care for the child is consistent and outcomes within the CYP care plan can be achieved together.

This service will offer specialist care when required; staff will be sufficiently trained with expertise/experience in working with disabled children and young people with SEND, some of whom may have multiple complex needs. The service has been designed so that the provider can train and support a growing workforce of care workers. Once fully operational, the service will be open to up to 35 families and will take place in the local community or in the family home.

Total value (estimated)

- £1,115,000 excluding VAT
- £1,115,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 April 2026 to 31 March 2029
- Possible extension to 31 March 2033
- 7 years

Description of possible extension:

2 x 24 month extensions available

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

Contract locations

- UKK12 - Bath and North East Somerset, North Somerset and South Gloucestershire

Participation

Legal and financial capacity conditions of participation

As detailed within Invitation to Tender Volume 2 (Response Document)

Technical ability conditions of participation

As detailed within Invitation to Tender Volume 2 (Response Document)

Particular suitability

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

Submission

Enquiry deadline

5 September 2025, 5:00pm

Tender submission deadline

19 September 2025, 1:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

<https://www.supplyingthesouthwest.org.uk/>

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Languages that may be used for submission

English

Award decision date (estimated)

10 November 2025

Award criteria

Name	Description	Type	Weighting
Quality	See Published ITT Documents	Quality	70.00%

Name	Description	Type	Weighting
Price	See Published ITT Documents	Price	30.00%

Other information

Payment terms

As detailed within the tender documentation for this project

Description of risks to contract performance

The Parties acknowledge that the Council has identified certain foreseeable but uncertain risks ("Known Unknowns") within the Tender and this Agreement, including but not limited to the following:

- a. changes in demand;
- b. adjustments to public sector funding
- c. amendments to laws, regulations or national policu (e.g. NICE, CQC, Care Act)
- d. technology failures or integration challenges
- e. workforce shortages or recruitment issues
- f. health inequality or access barriers
- g. emergencies or civil contingencies

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Special regime

Light touch

Documents

Associated tender documents

<https://www.supplyingthesouthwest.org.uk/>

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Invitation to Tender Volume 1 (Guidance Document)

Invitation to Tender Volume 2 (Response Document)

Appendix 1 – Specification

Appendix 2 – Terms and Conditions of Contract

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Appendix 4 – Scoring Methodology

Appendix 5 A – Targets & Outcomes form

Appendix 5B – Monitoring Data form

Technical specifications to be met

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Appendix 1 -Specification

Contracting authority

Bath and North East Somerset Council

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Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government