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**Planning** 

# Smoking Cessation Service for the treatment of Tobacco Dependency for Inclusion Health Groups

Surrey County Council

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## **Section I: Contracting authority**

### I.1) Name and addresses

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#### Country

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### Region code

UKJ2 - Surrey, East and West Sussex

### Internet address(es)

Main address

www.surreycc.gov.uk

## I.3) Communication

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

https://supplierlive.proactisp2p.com/Account/Login?cid=surreycc

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

Smoking Cessation Service for the treatment of Tobacco Dependency for Inclusion Health Groups

Reference number

DN2706

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 85100000 - Health services

### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

### II.1.4) Short description

Provider Selection Regime - Most Suitable Provider

Surrey County Council has been awarded additional funding for stop smoking support services and commissioning a provider to deliver a community-based smoking cessation service to inclusion health groups across Surrey.

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

### II.2) Description

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

• 85100000 - Health services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKJ2 - Surrey, East and West Sussex

#### II.2.4) Description of the procurement

#### Most Suitable Provider Route

This will be published for a minimum of 14 days as per the requirements of the Health Care Services (Provider Selection Regime) Regulation 2023.

This is to enable providers to approach the Authority and express their interest in being considered as the 'most suitable provider'.

Surrey County Council are seeking a provider to deliver a smoking cessations service for the treatment of tobacco dependency for inclusion health groups across the county of Surrey.

Around 113,000 adults (18+) smoke in Surrey. Smoking prevalence across Surrey in 2022 was 11.9%, compared to the 2011 value of 14.9%.

Inclusion health groups are groups of people who are socially excluded and have a higher risk of poor health outcomes. People who are experiencing homelessness, drug and alcohol dependence, are vulnerable migrants, are part of the Gypsy, Roma, and Traveller communities, are sex workers, are in contact with the justice system, or are victims of modern slavery.

This smoking cessation service will focus on a bespoke delivery model to Inclusion Health Groups across the county in a range of locations. The provider will increase the number of quit dates set and 4 week quits amongst these populations, where smoking rates are greatest and poorer outcomes are expected.

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

12 January 2025

### 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

This is a Provider Selection Regime (PSR) intended approach notice.

The awarding of this contract is subject to the Health Care Services (Provider Selection Regime) Regulations 2023.

For the avoidance of doubt, the provisions of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 do not apply to this award.'

Details of the award decision-makers - Surrey County Council Commissioning Officers.

The intention is to award a contract using the most suitable provider process.