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Tender

Northamptonshire Children's Trust (NCT) - Therapeutic Interventions Pseudo Open Framework

North Northamptonshire Council

F21: Social and other specific services – public contracts

Contract notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKF25 - North Northamptonshire

Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://www.northnorthants.gov.uk/>

I.3) Communication

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

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/nnc.aspx/Home>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/nnc.aspx/Home>

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

Northamptonshire Children's Trust (NCT) - Therapeutic Interventions Pseudo Open Framework

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Northamptonshire Children's Trust (NCT) invites prospective suppliers to participate in the tender process with the intention of establishing a Pseudo Open Framework Agreement to support the commissioning of therapeutic support services procured by NCT.

The services will be categorised into the following Lots, which are described in further detail in the service specification provided with the ITT:

- Lot 1 - Psychotherapy (or a talking therapy) for the child.
- Lot 2 - Creative or physical therapy involving the child only.
- Lot 3 - Family/Filial therapy/Theraplay.
- Lot 4 - Parental group work.
- Lot 5 - Therapeutic short breaks or activities for the child.
- Lot 6 - Therapeutic Life Story Work.
- Lot 7 - Specialist Assessments (for children, parents/ carers).
- Lot 8 - Staff training in therapeutic approaches.
- Lot 9 - Provision of Clinical Psychology input "in-house" directly to projects/services and

caseloads, as required.

The agreement will have an initial term of two years, commencing on 1 April 2025 and running until 31 March 2027, with the option to extend for an additional two years, up to 31 March 2029.

The contract has a maximum annual budget of £1,300,000 (exclusive of VAT) for delivering the requirements set out in the tender documents. This figure represents the estimated annual spend, though actual spend will be demand-led.

The Light Touch Regime (LTR) applies to the Services under this Contract, as per Public Contracts Regulations 2015.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 1 - Psychotherapy (or a talking therapy) for the child.

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKF24 - West Northamptonshire
- UKF25 - North Northamptonshire

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot 1 - Psychotherapy (or a talking therapy) for the child.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 2 - Creative or physical therapy involving the child only.

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKF24 - West Northamptonshire
- UKF25 - North Northamptonshire

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot 2 - Creative or physical therapy involving the child only.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 3 - Family/Filial therapy/Theraplay.

Lot No

3

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKF24 - West Northamptonshire
- UKF25 - North Northamptonshire

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot 3 - Family/Filial therapy/Theraplay.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 4 - Parental group work.

Lot No

4

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKF24 - West Northamptonshire
- UKF25 - North Northamptonshire

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot 4 - Parental group work.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 5 - Therapeutic short breaks or activities for the child.

Lot No

5

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKF24 - West Northamptonshire
- UKF25 - North Northamptonshire

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot 5 - Therapeutic short breaks or activities for the child.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 6 - Therapeutic Life Story Work.

Lot No

6

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKF24 - West Northamptonshire
- UKF25 - North Northamptonshire

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot 6 - Therapeutic Life Story Work.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 7 - Specialist Assessments (for children, parents/ carers).

Lot No

7

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKF24 - West Northamptonshire
- UKF25 - North Northamptonshire

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot 7 - Specialist Assessments (for children, parents/ carers).

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 8 - Staff training in therapeutic approaches.

Lot No

8

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKF24 - West Northamptonshire

- UKF25 - North Northamptonshire

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot 8 - Staff training in therapeutic approaches.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 9 - Provision of Clinical Psychology input "in-house" directly to projects/services and caseloads, as required.

Lot No

9

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKF24 - West Northamptonshire
- UKF25 - North Northamptonshire

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot 9 - Provision of Clinical Psychology input "in-house" directly to projects/services and caseloads, as required.

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Form of procedure

Open procedure

IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

IV.2) Administrative information

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

Date

20 January 2025

Local time

12:00pm

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

English

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

Interested suppliers can register on the NCT e-Procurement portal (<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/nnc/asp/Home>) to apply to this opportunity and access the tender documents.