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Planning

## Families First for Children Pathfinder

Wolverhampton City Council

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## Scope

## Reference

CWC25129

## Description

The procurement is for the Families First for Children Pathfinder (FFCP) programme, under a multi-lot contract comprising:

Lot 1 - Targeted Youth Support (TYS) and

Lot 2 - Parental Advocacy

## Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 April 2026 to 31 March 2028
- Possible extension to 31 March 2030
- 4 years

## **Main procurement category**

Services

## **CPV classifications**

- 85300000 - Social work and related services

## **Contract locations**

- UKG39 - Wolverhampton

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## **Engagement**

### **Engagement deadline**

15 October 2025

### **Engagement process description**

Please follow the following link

<https://consultation.wolverhampton.gov.uk/commissioning/ffcp-parental-advocacy-targeted-youth-support-prov/> to access the current specifications for both Lots, along with a set of follow-up questions based on the content.

This exercise is designed to:

- Gather insights into the market's capabilities, capacity, and areas of expertise.
- Refine our requirements by seeking feedback on the proposed specifications to ensure they are practical, achievable, and deliver value for money.
- Explore alternative and innovative solutions that suppliers may be able to offer.
- Encourage competition by helping potential suppliers prepare for the upcoming procurement opportunity.

The deadline for completing the questionnaire is Friday 26th September 2025.

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## **Participation**

### **Particular suitability**

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

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## **Submission**

### **Publication date of tender notice (estimated)**

24 October 2025

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## Procedure

### Special regime

Light touch

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## Contracting authority

### Wolverhampton City Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PVBV-7568-LBLL

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Region: UKG39 - Wolverhampton

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government