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Award

ES0128-4 - DNA and Drug & Alcohol Testing

Wiltshire Council

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Scope

Reference

ES0128-4

Description

DNA testing is required to establish paternity when exploring safe and appropriate care options for children and young people within the child protection system and any provider must be Ministry of Justice Accredited. Drug and alcohol testing is used to support social care to establish whether a child or young person's caring environment is safe and meeting their physical and emotional needs. Best practice guidance suggests that providers of drug and alcohol testing should be UKAS (United Kingdom Accreditation Service) accredited to the international quality standard ISO 17025 (2017 version).

Lot 1. 1

Description

Lot 1 - DNA Testing

Lot 2. 2

Description

Lot 2 - Drug and Alcohol Testing

Contract 1. Lot 1 - DNA Testing

Lots

Lot 1. 1

Supplier

- DNA LEGAL LIMITED

Contract value

- £12,096 excluding VAT
- £15,120 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Award decision date

10 September 2025

Date assessment summaries were sent to tenderers

10 September 2025

Standstill period

- End: 30 September 2025
- 8 working days

Earliest date the contract will be signed

30 September 2025

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 October 2025 to 30 September 2030
- Possible extension to 30 September 2032
- 7 years

Description of possible extension:

2 year extension

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 71900000 - Laboratory services

Contract locations

- UKK15 - Wiltshire CC
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Contract 2. Lot 2 - Drug and Alcohol Testing

Lots

Lot 2. 2

Supplier

- DNA LEGAL LIMITED

Contract value

- £197,400 excluding VAT
- £246,749 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

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10 September 2025

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Information about tenders

Lot 1. 1

- 5 tenders received
 - 5 tenders assessed in the final stage:
 - 4 submitted by small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
 - 0 submitted by voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)
 - 1 supplier awarded contracts
 - 4 suppliers unsuccessful (details included for contracts over £5 million)
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Lot 2. 2

- 4 tenders received
- 4 tenders assessed in the final stage:

- 3 submitted by small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
- 0 submitted by voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)
- 1 supplier awarded contracts
- 3 suppliers unsuccessful (details included for contracts over £5 million)

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Supplier

DNA LEGAL LIMITED

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PWLG-7365-DHDG

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Email: david@dnalegal.com

Region: UKK23 - Somerset

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

Contract 1. Lot 1 - DNA Testing

Contract 2. Lot 2 - Drug and Alcohol Testing

Contracting authority

Wiltshire Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PDZR-9968-RYYY

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Region: UKK15 - Wiltshire CC

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government