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## **Suicide Bereavement**

Gloucestershire County Council

F02: Contract notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-05a6f3

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

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**Region code**

UKK13 - Gloucestershire

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

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

Buyer's address

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

**I.2) Information about joint procurement**

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

**I.3) Communication**

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

<https://procontract.due-north.com/Advert/Index?advertId=0ce85ffd-dc9d-f011-813a-005056b64545>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://procontract.due-north.com/Advert/Index?advertId=0ce85ffd-dc9d-f011-813a-005056b64545>

**I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Regional or local authority

**I.5) Main activity**

General public services

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

Suicide Bereavement

Reference number

DN789458

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 85112000 - Hospital support services

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

Gloucestershire County Council is seeking a provider who can Provide information and support to those bereaved by suicide.

Support to those bereaved by suicide is identified as a priority action in the government's national suicide prevention strategy and the NHS Long Term Plan.

Total estimated value - £700,000 (ex VAT)

Yearly value is £100,000. Initial total contract value for three years is £300,000 and with all extensions taken will be overall total contract value of £700,000 for seven years.

#### **II.1.5) Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: £700,000

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

### **II.2) Description**

#### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKK13 - Gloucestershire

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

Gloucestershire County Council is seeking a provider who can Provide information and support to those bereaved by suicide.

Support to those bereaved by suicide is identified as a priority action in the government's national suicide prevention strategy and the NHS Long Term Plan.

A suicide bereavement support service has been in place in Gloucestershire since January 2022, and the current contract expires on 31st March 2026. The Council wishes to procure a new contract to ensure bereavement support remains available to Gloucestershire residents.

Contract to start 01 April 2026 for three years with option to extend twice for two years each extension. 01 April 2026 – 31 March 2029, if first option to extend is taken to end 31 March 2031, if second option to extend is taken to end 31 March 2033.

Maximum total (inc extensions), contract value £700,000

#### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Selection Questionnaire (SQ) / Weighting: Pass/Fail

Quality criterion - Name: Quality & Innovation / Weighting: 30%

Quality criterion - Name: Integration, collaboration and service sustainability / Weighting: 15%

Quality criterion - Name: Improving access, reducing health inequalities and facilitating choice / Weighting: 20%

Quality criterion - Name: Social value / Weighting: 15%

Price - Weighting: 20%

#### **II.2.6) Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: £700,000

#### **II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months

84

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Contract to start 01 April 2026 for three years with option to extend twice for two years each extension. 01 April 2026 – 31 March 2029, if first option to extend is taken to end 31 March 2031, if second option to extend is taken to end 31 March 2033.

#### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

#### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

#### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Open procedure

#### **IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

### **IV.2) Administrative information**

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

Date

7 November 2025

Local time

12:00pm

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

English

#### **IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders**

Date

7 November 2025

Local time

12:00pm

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.1) Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: Yes

### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

Gloucestershire County Council Gloucester

Gloucester

Country

United Kingdom