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Tender

## **Support Services Framework for Babies, Children, Young People and Families**

Powys County Council

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### **Scope**

#### **Description**

Powys County Council is establishing an approved provider framework for the provision of a range of support services for Babies, Children, Young People and families, in and around the county of Powys.

The Council is seeking expressions of interest from providers who are suitably qualified and experienced to deliver a wide range of support services. These can range from statutory assessments to holistic therapies, and the Council is looking for a comprehensive and wide-ranging list of support services, including but not limited to the following:

- Specific statutory assessments - Undertaking assessments (PAMs assessments (parenting); Together and Apart assessments; Psychological assessments; Sexual risk assessments / Cognitive assessments
- Therapy - All types of therapy/Counselling - a range of therapeutic support for children, young people, parents, families to include, but not limited to: Art therapy / Counselling / Family therapy / Filial therapy / Play therapy.

- Any other support provision around Babies, Children, young people and families, such as: Sessional Support staff / Activity based projects / Training / Contact Centres

The list is not exhaustive, providers may only be able to do one of the assessments listed.

The open framework agreement is being procured in accordance with Section 15 of the Procurement Act 2023. It relates to a Light Touch Contract as defined under Section 9 of the Procurement Act 2023 and governed by the Procurement (Wales) Regulations 2024.

The Council is awarding a framework, which allows flexibility while complying with Treaty principles of transparency and equal treatment of providers.

The Council may decide to re-open the framework to allow new providers to join and tender responses will be evaluated.

## **Commercial tool**

Establishes a framework

## **Total value (estimated)**

- £840,000 excluding VAT
- £840,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

## **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 4 April 2026 to 4 April 2030
- Possible extension to 4 April 2032
- 6 years, 1 day

Description of possible extension:

Option to extend for up to a further 1 year plus 1 year

## **Main procurement category**

Services

## **CPV classifications**

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

## **Contract locations**

- UKL24 - Powys

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## **Framework**

### **Maximum number of suppliers**

Unlimited

### **Maximum percentage fee charged to suppliers**

0%

### **Framework operation description**

Call-Off via a further competition process or Direct Award

## **Award method when using the framework**

Either with or without competition

## **Contracting authorities that may use the framework**

Establishing party only

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## **Participation**

### **Legal and financial capacity conditions of participation**

See Tender Documentation

### **Technical ability conditions of participation**

See Tender Documentation

### **Particular suitability**

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

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## **Submission**

**Enquiry deadline**

3 November 2025, 5:00pm

**Tender submission deadline**

10 November 2025, 12:00pm

**Submission address and any special instructions**

ITT\_119984 via eTenderwales portal <https://www.etenderwales.bravosolution.co.uk>

**Tenders may be submitted electronically**

Yes

**Languages that may be used for submission**

English

**Award decision date (estimated)**

30 January 2026

**Recurring procurement**

Publication date of next tender notice (estimated): 10 October 2029

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## Award criteria

<b>Name</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Weighting</b>
Quality	Quality	80.00%
Cost	Cost	20.00%

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## Other information

### Payment terms

See Tender Documentation

### Description of risks to contract performance

See Tender Documentation

### Applicable trade agreements

- Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

### Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

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## Procedure

## Procedure type

Open procedure

## Special regime

Light touch

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## Contracting authority

### Powys County Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PQBT-5413-HMDT

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Region: UKL24 - Powys

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government

Devolved regulations that apply: Wales

