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Tender

Independent Fostering Agencies Framework

London Borough of Bexley

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Scope

Reference

6383

Description

Independent Fostering Agencies Framework

Lot 1 - Standard Support

Lot 2 - Therapeutic Support

Lot 3 - Parent and Child

Total value (estimated)

- £2,295,000 excluding VAT

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Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 March 2026 to 2 February 2030
- Possible extension to 2 February 2032
- 5 years, 11 months, 2 days

Description of possible extension:

possible extensions

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 85311000 - Social work services with accommodation

Contract locations

- UKC - North East (England)
- UKD - North West (England)
- UKE - Yorkshire and the Humber
- UKF - East Midlands (England)
- UKG - West Midlands (England)

- UKH - East of England
- UKI - London
- UKJ - South East (England)
- UKK - South West (England)

Lot 1. standard Support

Description

Independent Fostering Agencies - Lot 1 - Standard Support

Lot value (estimated)

- £1,700,500 excluding VAT
- £1,700,500 including VAT

Same for all lots

CPV classifications, contract locations and contract dates are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Lot 2. Therapeutic Support

Description

Independent Fostering Agencies - Therapeutic Support

Lot value (estimated)

- £373,200 excluding VAT
- £373,200 including VAT

Same for all lots

CPV classifications, contract locations and contract dates are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Lot 3. Parent and Child

Description

Independent Fostering Agencies - Parent and Child

Lot value (estimated)

- £221,300 excluding VAT
- £221,300 including VAT

Same for all lots

CPV classifications, contract locations and contract dates are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Submission

Submission type

Requests to participate

Deadline for requests to participate

12 January 2026, 11:59pm

Submission address and any special instructions

www.londontenders.org

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Languages that may be used for submission

English

Award decision date (estimated)

23 February 2026

Award criteria

Name	Type	Weighting
quality	Quality	60%
Price	Price	40%

Other information

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Competitive flexible procedure

Special regime

Light touch

Competitive flexible procedure description

restricted procedure

Reduced tendering period

Yes

Light touch contract - no minimum

Contracting authority

London Borough of Bexley

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PPHT-3331-XPPM

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Region: UKI51 - Bexley and Greenwich

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government