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Services

Directive 2014/24/EU

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) **Name and addresses**

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I.2) **Joint procurement**

I.3) **Communication**

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: <https://procontracr.due-north.com>

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via: <https://procontracr.due-north.com>

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

Regional or local authority

I.5) **Main activity**

General public services

Section II: Object

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

II.1.1) **Title:**

Children's Day Nurseries in Crewe & Crèche Services
Reference number: DN242910

II.1.2) **Main CPV code**

80100000 - DA31

II.1.3) **Type of contract**

Services

II.1.4) **Short description:**

Cheshire East Council are looking for a Provider or Providers to provide full day care nurseries in Children's Centres on primary school sites for children aged 0 – 5 years.

We are also looking for mobile providers of Crèche Services that will offer a reliable and consistent service within each Children's Centre or Family centre, preferably using the same workers for each sequence of crèches, so that the children can build relationships with their carers and parents can feel at ease, knowing their children are on site.

The Tender will be divided into Seven (7) Lots and suppliers are able to bid for any or all Lots.

- II.1.5) **Estimated total value**
Value excluding VAT: 0.01 GBP
- II.1.6) **Information about lots**
This contract is divided into lots: yes
Tenders may be submitted for all lots
- II.2) **Description**
- II.2.1) **Title:**
Lot 1 - The Brooks Children's Centre
Lot No: 1
- II.2.2) **Additional CPV code(s)**
80000000
- II.2.3) **Place of performance**
NUTS code: UKD2
Main site or place of performance:
The Brooks Children's Centre, Balmoral Avenue, Crewe, CW2 6PL
- II.2.4) **Description of the procurement:**
Operate Children's Centre Nursery in Crewe, delivering full daycare services.
The daycare must be available from 08.00 to 18.00 hours (minimum), Monday to Friday (minimum) of 51 weeks (minimum) of the year.
The minimum number of places to be made available will be determined by the size of the registerable space. Average occupancy rates of at least 75% should be maintained over the academic year.
- II.2.5) **Award criteria**
Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents
- II.2.6) **Estimated value**
Value excluding VAT: 1.00 GBP
- II.2.7) **Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**
Start: 27/07/2017
End: 26/07/2026
This contract is subject to renewal: yes
Description of renewals:
This is a contract for up to Nine (9) years with the option of breaks at the end of Year Five (5) and Year Seven (7)
- II.2.10) **Information about variants**
Variants will be accepted
- II.2.11) **Information about options**
- II.2.13) **Information about European Union funds**
The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: no
- II.2.14) **Additional information**

II.2) Description**II.2.1) Title:**

Lot 2 - Monks Coppenhall Children's Centre
Lot No: 2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

80100000

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS code: UKD2

Main site or place of performance:

Monks Coppenhall Children's Centre, Remer Street, Crewe, CW1 4LY

II.2.4) Description of the procurement:

Operate Children's Centre Nursery in Crewe, delivering full daycare services.

The daycare must be available from 08.00 to 18.00 hours (minimum), Monday to Friday (minimum) of 51 weeks (minimum) of the year.

The minimum number of places to be made available will be determined by the size of the registerable space.

Average occupancy rates of at least 75% should be maintained over the academic year.

II.2.5) Award criteria**II.2.6) Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: 1.00 GBP

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

Start: 27/07/2017

End: 26/07/2026

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

This is a contract for up to Nine (9) years with the option of breaks at the end of Year Five (5) and Year Seven (7)

II.2.10) Information about variants**II.2.11) Information about options****II.2.13) Information about European Union funds**

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

II.2.14) Additional information**II.2) Description****II.2.1) Title:**

Lot 3 - Oak Tree Children's Centre
Lot No: 3

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

80100000

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS code: UKD2

Main site or place of performance:

Oak Tree Children's Centre, Newcastle Street, Crewe, CW1 3LF

II.2.4) Description of the procurement:

Operate Children's Centre Nursery in Crewe, delivering full daycare services.

The daycare must be available from 08.00 to 18.00 hours (minimum), Monday to Friday (minimum) of 51 weeks (minimum) of the year.

The minimum number of places to be made available will be determined by the size of the registerable space.

Average occupancy rates of at least 75% should be maintained over the academic year.

II.2.5) **Award criteria**

II.2.6) **Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: 1.00 GBP

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

Start: 27/07/2017

End: 26/07/2026

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

This is a contract for up to Nine (9) years with the option of breaks at the end of Year Five (5) and Year Seven (7)

II.2.10) **Information about variants**

II.2.11) **Information about options**

II.2.13) **Information about European Union funds**

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

II.2.14) **Additional information**

II.2) **Description**

II.2.1) **Title:**

Lot 4 - Lot 1, 2 and 3 combined

Lot No: 4

II.2.2) **Additional CPV code(s)**

80100000

II.2.3) **Place of performance**

NUTS code: UKD2

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

Operate Children's Centre Nurseries in Crewe across the sites outlined in Lots 1, 2 and 3, delivering full day care services.

The daycare must be available from 08.00 to 18.00 hours (minimum), Monday to Friday (minimum) of 51 weeks (minimum) of the year.

The minimum number of places to be made available will be determined by the size of the registerable space.

Average occupancy rates of at least 75% should be maintained at each nursery over the academic year.

II.2.5) **Award criteria**

II.2.6) **Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: 1.00 GBP

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

Start: 27/07/2017

End: 26/07/2026

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

This is a contract for up to Nine (9) years with the option of breaks at the end of Year Five (5) and Year Seven (7)

II.2.10) **Information about variants**

II.2.11) **Information about options**

II.2.13) **Information about European Union funds**

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

II.2.14) **Additional information**

II.2) **Description**

II.2.1) **Title:**

Lot 5 - Crèche Services for the rest of the south area of Cheshire East (ie excluding the 3 sites contained in Lot 1,2 and 3)

Lot No: 5

II.2.2) **Additional CPV code(s)**

80100000

II.2.3) **Place of performance**

NUTS code: UKD2

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

We are looking for mobile providers that will offer a reliable and consistent service within each Children's Centre or Family centre, preferably using the same workers for each sequence of crèches, so that the children can build relationships with their carers and parents can feel at ease, knowing their children are on site.

For this Lot we require crèche workers across the south locality and we will consider those providers who wish to work with individual children's centres local to themselves or a group of centres. Crèches can be required to operate between 2hrs -4hrs either as a single event or part of a series, for example to facilitate childcare for parents attending a 12 week course, 1 session a week.

II.2.5) **Award criteria**

II.2.6) **Estimated value**

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

Duration in months: 24

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

There is the option of 2 additional extensions of 12 months each

II.2.10) **Information about variants**

II.2.11) **Information about options**

II.2.13) **Information about European Union funds**

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

II.2.14) **Additional information**

II.2) **Description**

II.2.1) **Title:**

Lot 6 – Crèche Services for the North of Cheshire East

Lot No: 6

II.2.2) **Additional CPV code(s)**

80100000

II.2.3) **Place of performance**

NUTS code: UKD2

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

We are looking for mobile providers that will offer a reliable and consistent service within each Children's Centre or Family centre, preferably using the same workers for each sequence of crèches, so that the children can build relationships with their carers and parents can feel at ease, knowing their children are on site.

For this Lot we require crèche workers across the north locality and we will consider those providers who wish to work with individual children's centres local to themselves or a group of centres. Crèches can be required to operate between 2hrs -4hrs either as a single event or part of a series, for example to facilitate childcare for parents attending a 12 week course, 1 session a week.

II.2.5) **Award criteria**

II.2.6) **Estimated value**

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

Duration in months: 24

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

There is the option of 2 additional extensions of 12 months each

II.2.10) **Information about variants**

II.2.11) **Information about options**

II.2.13) **Information about European Union funds**

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

II.2.14) **Additional information**

II.2) **Description**

II.2.1) **Title:**

Lot 7 – Lot 5 and 6 combined

Lot No: 7

II.2.2) **Additional CPV code(s)**

80100000

II.2.3) **Place of performance**

NUTS code: UKD2

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

Operate Crèche Services across the areas outlined in Lots 5 and 6

II.2.5) **Award criteria**

II.2.6) **Estimated value**

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

Duration in months: 24

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

There is the option of 2 additional extensions of 12 months each

II.2.10) **Information about variants**

II.2.11) **Information about options**

II.2.13) Information about European Union funds

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

II.2.14) Additional information**Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information****III.1) Conditions for participation****III.1.1) Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers****III.1.2) Economic and financial standing**

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

III.1.5) Information about reserved contracts**III.2) Conditions related to the contract****III.2.1) Information about a particular profession****III.2.2) Contract performance conditions:****III.2.3) Information about staff responsible for the performance of the contract****Section IV: Procedure****IV.1) Description****IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Competitive procedure with negotiation

IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system**IV.1.6) Information about electronic auction****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 expressions of interest**

Date: 24/03/2017

Local time: 12:00

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

English

IV.2.5) Scheduled date for start of award procedures:**Section VI: Complementary information****VI.2) Information about electronic workflows****VI.3) Additional information:**

Award of Contract or contracts shall be as outlined in the Tender Documents. The Authority gives no guarantee or warranty or makes any representation as to the accuracy of any indicative volumes or as to the value of the work during the contract period. In order to participate, providers must register, complete and upload completed tender documentation and submit this via the Chest at <http://www.thechest.nwce.gov.uk/> — the project reference onTheChest is DN242910 .**Do not contact Members of the Council direct** All correspondence should be undertaken via The Chest. It is the organisations responsibility to satisfy themselves that they have provided all of the required information. If you require urgent assistance regarding the initial

usage of the eTendering package please contact the Contracting Authority point-of-contact in Section I.1 of this notice. On failure to reach this contact, please immediately email the nature of the difficulty to procurement@cheshireeast.gov.uk .

VI.4) **Procedures for review**

VI.4.1) **Review body**

The Royal Courts of Justice
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United Kingdom
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VI.4.2) **Body responsible for mediation procedures**

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VI.4.3) **Review procedure**

VI.4.4) **Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained**

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VI.5) **Date of dispatch of this notice:**

27/02/2017