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Contract notice
(Directive 2004/18/EC)

Section I : Contracting authority

I.1) Name, addresses and contact point(s):

Official name: [Essex County Council](#)

National ID: *(if known)*

Postal address: [County Hall, Market Road](#)

Town: [Chelmsford](#)

Postal code: [CM1 1QH](#)

Country: [United Kingdom \(UK\)](#)

Contact point(s): [Commercial Team](#)

Telephone: [+44 3330136267](#)

For the attention of: [Corinne Randall](#)

E-mail: corinne.randall@essex.gov.uk

Fax:

Internet address(es): *(if applicable)*

General address of the contracting authority/entity: *(URL)* <http://www.essex.gov.uk>

Address of the buyer profile: *(URL)* www.essex.gov.uk

Electronic access to information: *(URL)* <https://www.delta-esourcing.com/delta/buyers/select/viewListStatus.html?id=275358474>

Electronic submission of tenders and requests to participate: *(URL)*

Further information can be obtained from

- The above mentioned contact point(s) Other (please complete Annex A.I)

Specifications and additional documents (including documents for competitive dialogue and a dynamic purchasing system) can be obtained from

- The above mentioned contact point(s) Other (please complete Annex A.II)

Tenders or requests to participate must be sent to

- The above mentioned contact point(s) Other (please complete Annex A.III)

I.2) Type of the contracting authority

- Ministry or any other national or federal authority, including their regional or local sub-divisions
- National or federal agency/office
- Regional or local authority
- Regional or local agency/office
- Body governed by public law
- European institution/agency or international organisation
- Other: *(please specify)*

I.3) Main activity

- General public services

- Defence
- Public order and safety
- Environment
- Economic and financial affairs
- Health
- Housing and community amenities
- Social protection
- Recreation, culture and religion
- Education
- Other: *(please specify)*

I.4) Contract award on behalf of other contracting authorities

The contracting authority is purchasing on behalf of other contracting authorities:

yes no

information on those contracting authorities can be provided in Annex A

Section II : Object of the contract

II.1) Description :

II.1.1) Title attributed to the contract by the contracting authority :

[Integrated Health & Justice Pathways \(O-S 0519\)](#)

II.1.2) Type of contract and location of works, place of delivery or of performance :

choose one category only – works, supplies or services – which corresponds most to the specific object of your contract or purchase(s)

- | | | |
|---|---|--|
| <input type="radio"/> Works | <input type="radio"/> Supplies | <input checked="" type="radio"/> Services |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Execution | <input type="checkbox"/> Purchase | Service category No: 25 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Design and execution | <input type="checkbox"/> Lease | Please see Annex C1 for service categories |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Realisation, by whatever means of work, corresponding to the requirements specified by the contracting authorities | <input type="checkbox"/> Rental | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Hire purchase | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> A combination of these | |

Main site or location of works, place of delivery or of performance :

[Essex](#)

NUTS code: [UK](#)

II.1.3) Information about a public contract, a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system (DPS):

- The notice involves a public contract
- The notice involves the establishment of a framework agreement
- The notice involves the setting up of a dynamic purchasing system (DPS)

II.1.4) Information on framework agreement : *(if applicable)*

- Framework agreement with several operators Framework agreement with a single operator

Number :

or

(if applicable) maximum number : of participants to the framework agreement envisaged

Duration of the framework agreement

Duration in years : or in months :

Justification for a framework agreement, the duration of which exceeds four years :

Estimated total value of purchases for the entire duration of the framework agreement *(if applicable, give figures only)*

Estimated value excluding VAT : Currency :

or

Range: between : : and : : *??range_EX_HU??* Currency :

Frequency and value of the contracts to be awarded : *(if known)*

II.1.5) Short description of the contract or purchase(s) :

Essex County Council (ECC) as Co-ordinating Commissioner on behalf of NHS England, the 7 local Clinical Commissioning Groups and the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner for Essex are seeking bidders to deliver an expert integrated health service to improve health and justice pathways across Essex, including Southend & Thurrock which incorporates Liaison & Diversion, Street Triage and Police Custody Healthcare.

II.1.6) Common procurement vocabulary (CPV) :

	Main vocabulary	Supplementary vocabulary (if applicable)
Main object	85000000	

II.1.7) Information about Government Procurement Agreement (GPA) :

The contract is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA) : yes no

II.1.8) Lots: (for information about lots, use Annex B as many times as there are lots)

This contract is divided into lots: yes no

(if yes) Tenders may be submitted for

one lot only

one or more lots

all lots

II.1.9) Information about variants:

Variants will be accepted : yes no

II.2) Quantity or scope of the contract :

II.2.1) Total quantity or scope : (including all lots, renewals and options, if applicable)

Description of procurement: Essex County Council (ECC) as Co-ordinating Commissioner and contracting authority, on behalf of NHS England, the 7 local Clinical Commissioning Groups and the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner for Essex, are seeking bidders to deliver an expert integrated health service to improve health and justice pathways in Essex which incorporates:

Liaison and Diversion Service - the service seeks to work with individuals who are in police custody and for whom the police suspect there may be underlying health issues (mostly Mental Health, Substance Misuse, Learning Disabilities and Autism). Individuals are screened and/or assessed and referred for on-going support as appropriate.

The Street Triage Service - this service works with individuals who have not been arrested but where the Police have been called out (by the public) due to concerns of erratic or other such behaviour. Individuals are screened and assessed and referred to more appropriate healthcare support if needed. This service currently largely responds to issues around mental ill health, but as part of the new procurement, this will be expanded to other vulnerabilities.

Police Custody Healthcare - addresses the health needs of individuals in police custody and obtains forensic samples and assesses fitness to be detained under the Police and Criminal Evidence Act.

The service is aimed to support better outcomes, reduce duplication, improve community cohesion & social inclusion by reducing the re-offending rates, create safer communities and better health outcomes for vulnerable groups.

The service is being procured as a single service to cover the whole of Essex, including Southend & Thurrock. Other contracting authorities in areas bordering Essex may wish to commission their services which are similar and/or complementary to the services included in the Integrated Health & Justice service contract where cross-border delivery of services would improve the service offering and delivery to the public.

Further information also provided in section VI.3.

It is proposed that there is no maximum limit of bidders specified to be shortlisted at the Standard Selection Questionnaire (SSQ) stage to be invited to tender.

In the event tied scores occur, then the lowest price between the tied scores will be taken forward and if that does not resolve the tie, the higher quality score will be taken forward.

(if applicable, give figures only)

Estimated value excluding VAT : 48000000.00 Currency : GBP

or

Range: between : : and : : ??range_EX_HU?? Currency :

II.2.2) Information about options : *(if applicable)*

Options : yes no

(if yes) Description of these options :

(if known) Provisional timetable for recourse to these options :

in months : or in days : (from the award of the contract)

II.2.3) Information about renewals : *(if applicable)*

This contract is subject to renewal: yes no

Number of possible renewals: *(if known)* or Range: between : 1 and: 2 ??range_EX_HU??

(if known) In the case of renewable supplies or service contracts, estimated timeframe for subsequent contracts:

in months: or in days: (from the award of the contract)

II.3) Duration of the contract or time limit for completion:

Duration in months : 60 or in days: (from the award of the contract)

or

Starting: (dd/mm/yyyy)

Completion: (dd/mm/yyyy)

Section III : Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1) Conditions relating to the contract:

III.1.1) Deposits and guarantees required: *(if applicable)*

III.1.2) Main financing conditions and payment arrangements and/or reference to the relevant provisions governing them:

III.1.3) Legal form to be taken by the group of economic operators to whom the contract is to be awarded: *(if applicable)*

III.1.4) Other particular conditions: *(if applicable)*

The performance of the contract is subject to particular conditions : yes no
(if yes) Description of particular conditions:

III.2) Conditions for participation:

III.2.1) Personal situation of economic operators, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers:

Information and formalities necessary for evaluating if the requirements are met:

III.2.2) Economic and financial ability:

Information and formalities necessary for evaluating if the requirements are met:

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required: *(if applicable)*

III.2.3) Technical capacity:

Information and formalities necessary for evaluating if the requirements are met:

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required: *(if applicable)*

III.2.4) Information about reserved contracts: *(if applicable)*

- The contract is restricted to sheltered workshops
- The execution of the contract is restricted to the framework of sheltered employment programmes

III.3) Conditions specific to services contracts:

III.3.1) Information about a particular profession:

Execution of the service is reserved to a particular profession: yes no
(if yes) Reference to the relevant law, regulation or administrative provision :

III.3.2) Staff responsible for the execution of the service:

Legal persons should indicate the names and professional qualifications of the staff responsible for the execution of the service: yes no

Section IV : Procedure

IV.1) Type of procedure:

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Open

Restricted

Accelerated restricted

Justification for the choice of accelerated procedure:

Negotiated

Some candidates have already been selected (if appropriate under certain types of negotiated procedures) : yes no
(if yes, provide names and addresses of economic operators already selected under Section VI.3 Additional information)

Accelerated negotiated

Justification for the choice of accelerated procedure:

Competitive dialogue

IV.1.2) Limitations on the number of operators who will be invited to tender or to participate: (restricted and negotiated procedures, competitive dialogue)

Envisaged number of operators:

or

Envisaged minimum number: and (if applicable) maximum number

Objective criteria for choosing the limited number of candidates:

IV.1.3) Reduction of the number of operators during the negotiation or dialogue: (negotiated procedure, competitive dialogue)

Recourse to staged procedure to gradually reduce the number of solutions to be discussed or tenders to be negotiated : yes no

IV.2) Award criteria

IV.2.1) Award criteria (please tick the relevant box(es))

Lowest price

or

The most economically advantageous tender in terms of

the criteria stated below (the award criteria should be given with their weighting or in descending order of importance where weighting is not possible for demonstrable reasons)

the criteria stated in the specifications, in the invitation to tender or to negotiate or in the descriptive document

Criteria	Weighting	Criteria	Weighting
1.		6.	
2.		7.	
3.		8.	
4.		9.	

Criteria	Weighting	Criteria	Weighting
5.		10.	

IV.2.2) Information about electronic auction

An electronic auction will be used yes no

(if yes, if appropriate) Additional information about electronic auction:

IV.3) Administrative information:

IV.3.1) File reference number attributed by the contracting authority: (if applicable)

O-S 0519

IV.3.2) Previous publication(s) concerning the same contract:

yes no

(if yes)

Prior information notice Notice on a buyer profile

Notice number in the OJEU: [2017/S 046-085226](#) of: [07/03/2017](#) (dd/mm/yyyy)

Other previous publications(if applicable)

IV.3.3) Conditions for obtaining specifications and additional documents or descriptive document: (in the case of a competitive dialogue)

Time limit for receipt of requests for documents or for accessing documents

Date: Time:

Payable documents yes no

(if yes, give figures only) Price: Currency:

Terms and method of payment:

IV.3.4) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate:

Date: [29/09/2017](#) Time: [12:00](#)

IV.3.5) Date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates: (if known, in the case of restricted and negotiated procedures, and competitive dialogue)

Date: [09/10/2017](#)

IV.3.6) Language(s) in which tenders or requests to participate may be drawn up:

Any EU official language

Official EU language(s):

[EN](#)

Other:

IV.3.7) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender:

until: : ??until_EX_HU??

or

Duration in months : or in days : (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

IV.3.8) Conditions for opening of tenders:

Date : (dd/mm/yyyy) Time

(if applicable) Place:

Persons authorised to be present at the opening of tenders *(if applicable)* :

yes no

(if yes) Additional information about authorised persons and opening procedure:

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence: *(if applicable)*

This is a recurrent procurement : yes no

(if yes) Estimated timing for further notices to be published:

VI.2) Information about European Union funds:

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

(if yes) Reference to project(s) and/or programme(s):

VI.3) Additional information: *(if applicable)*

The procurement will be conducted via the Council's e-tendering portal, BiP Delta, located via: <https://www.delta-esourcing.com/respond/VD663BXYF4>

The Council envisages that this procurement will be published on the aforementioned e-sourcing portal during the week commencing 28.08.2017.

The notice can be viewed at: <https://www.delta-esourcing.com/delta/buyers/select/viewListStatus.html?id=275358474>

Contract Reference: 275358173

Access Code: VD663BXYF4

To submit a compliant bid prospective suppliers must complete and return the requisite documentation via the Council's e-tendering portal by the date and time specified.

Please note the following additional information relating to the sections indicated:

Section II.2.3: Place of performance during the life of the contract is predominantly the county of Essex.

However, during the life of the contract, other contracting authorities in areas bordering Essex may wish to commission their services which are similar and/or complementary to the services included in the Integrated Health & Justice service contract where cross-border delivery of services would improve the service offering and delivery to the public.

Sections II.1.5 and II.2.6: The estimated contract values provided in this notice are inclusive of the potential option to extend and addition of services during the life of the contract. The maximum annual contract value which will apply as an affordability envelope for the purposes of bidding is £3.831m per annum. Any bids received in excess of such affordability envelopes will be excluded.

Commissioners may wish to expand services during the lifetime of the contract potentially resulting in a significantly wider network of integrated services being delivered than set out in the Services Specification at the time of contract award. Such modifications will be contemplated where such services are similar/complementary to the services already included in the Integrated Health and Justice model at any given time. Such expansion would be by the addition of services provided and/or commissioned by other ECC departments and/or other contracting authorities. ECC and any contracting authority under the Integrated Health & Justice contract may also add grant funding to the contract where such grants are awarded to the contracting authority and relate to the services and outcomes required under the Services Specification.

The Integrated Health & Justice Contract may therefore collectively have a contract value of up to £48m over the 7 years depending on the further addition and integration of services. Commissioners do not guarantee or grant any exclusivity in relation to any such services during the life of the contract.

Section II.2.5 Award criteria: The contract will be awarded on the basis of a 60:40 price:quality weighting using the published evaluation criteria in the tender documents. Minimum score thresholds will also be used to ensure that only bids which meet minimum quality standards will be considered.

Section IV.1.1) Note that this procurement falls within 'social and other specific services' in Schedule 3 of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 and are subject only to the "light touch" regime. The Commissioners have

chosen to run a two stage Procedure and the envisaged timetable for this procurement is set out in the tender documents. Commissioners reserve the right to cancel the procurement and/or not award a contract. The withdrawal at any time during the procurement process of: (i) either of the joint commissioners from this procurement and/or (ii) any of the services included within the Integrated Health & Justice Specification at the date of publication of the contract notice shall not result in an automatic cancellation of the procurement process. Bidders are referred to the SSQ Guidance and ITT Guide on how commissioners will manage such matters should they arise.

VI.4) Procedures for appeal:

VI.4.1) Body responsible for appeal procedures:

Official name: [High Court](#)

Postal address: [Royal Courts of Justice, The Strand](#)

Town: [London](#)

Postal code: [WC2A 2LL](#)

Country: [United Kingdom \(UK\)](#)

Telephone: [+44 2079476000](#)

E-mail:

Fax:

Internet address: *(URL)*

Body responsible for mediation procedures *(if applicable)*

Official name:

Postal address:

Town:

Postal code:

Country:

Telephone:

E-mail:

Fax:

Internet address: *(URL)*

VI.4.2) Lodging of appeals: *(please fill in heading VI.4.2 or if need be, heading VI.4.3)*

VI.4.3) Service from which information about the lodging of appeals may be obtained:

Official name:

Postal address:

Town:

Postal code:

Country:

Telephone:

E-mail:

Fax:

Internet address: *(URL)*

VI.5) Date of dispatch of this notice:

[26/08/2017](#) *(dd/mm/yyyy)* - ID:2017-117599

Annex A
Additional addresses and contact points

I) Addresses and contact points from which further information can be obtained

Official name: National ID: *(if known)*
Postal address:
Town: Postal code: Country:
Contact point(s): Telephone:
For the attention of:
E-mail: Fax:
Internet address: *(URL)*

II) Addresses and contact points from which specifications and additional documents can be obtained

Official name: National ID: *(if known)*
Postal address:
Town: Postal code: Country:
Contact point(s): Telephone:
For the attention of:
E-mail: Fax:
Internet address: *(URL)*

III) Addresses and contact points to which tenders/requests to participate must be sent

Official name: National ID: *(if known)*
Postal address:
Town: Postal code: Country:
Contact point(s): Telephone:
For the attention of:
E-mail: Fax:
Internet address: *(URL)*

IV) Address of the other contracting authority on behalf of which the contracting authority is purchasing

Official name **NHS England** National ID (if known):
Postal address: **Chelmsford**
Town **Chelmsford** Postal code
Country **United Kingdom (UK)**

----- (Use Annex A Section IV as many times as needed) -----

Official name **NHS Mid Essex Clinical Commissioning Group** National ID (if known):
Postal address: **Chelmsford**
Town **Chelmsford** Postal code **+44 1245398750**
Country **United Kingdom (UK)**

----- (Use Annex A Section IV as many times as needed) -----

Official name **NHS West Essex Clinical Commissioning Group** National ID (if known):

Postal address: [Epping](#)

Town [Epping](#) Postal code

Country [United Kingdom \(UK\)](#)

----- (Use Annex A Section IV as many times as needed) -----

Official name [NHS Basildon & Brentwood Clinical Commissioning](#) National ID (if known):

Postal address: [Basildon](#)

Town [Basildon](#) Postal code

Country [United Kingdom \(UK\)](#)

----- (Use Annex A Section IV as many times as needed) -----

Official name [NHS North East Essex Clinical Commissioning](#) National ID (if known):

Postal address: [Colchester](#)

Town [Colchester](#) Postal code

Country [United Kingdom \(UK\)](#)

----- (Use Annex A Section IV as many times as needed) -----

Official name [NHS Southend CCG](#) National ID (if known):

Postal address: [Southend](#)

Town [Southend](#) Postal code

Country [United Kingdom \(UK\)](#)

----- (Use Annex A Section IV as many times as needed) -----

Official name [NHS Thurrock CCG](#) National ID (if known):

Postal address: [Grays](#)

Town [Grays](#) Postal code

Country [United Kingdom \(UK\)](#)

----- (Use Annex A Section IV as many times as needed) -----

Official name [NHS Castlepoint & Rochford Clinical Commissioning](#) National ID (if known):

Postal address: [Basildon](#)

Town [Basildon](#) Postal code

Country [United Kingdom \(UK\)](#)

----- (Use Annex A Section IV as many times as needed) -----

Official name [Office of the Police & Crime Commissioner for Essex](#) National ID (if known):

Postal address: [Kelvedon Park, London Road](#)

Town [Witham](#) Postal code [CM8 3HB](#)

Country [United Kingdom \(UK\)](#)

----- (Use Annex A Section IV as many times as needed) -----

Annex C1 – General procurement
Service categories referred to in Section II: Object of the contract
Directive 2004/18/EC

Category No [1]	Subject
1	Maintenance and repair services
2	Land transport services [2], including armoured car services, and courier services, except transport of mail
3	Air transport services of passengers and freight, except transport of mail
4	Transport of mail by land [3] and by air
5	Telecommunications services
6	Financial services: a) Insurances services b) Banking and investment services [4]
7	Computer and related services
8	Research and development services [5]
9	Accounting, auditing and bookkeeping services
10	Market research and public opinion polling services
11	Management consulting services [6] and related services
12	Architectural services; engineering services and integrated engineering services; urban planning and landscape engineering services; related scientific and technical consulting services; technical testing and analysis services
13	Advertising services
14	Building-cleaning services and property management services
15	Publishing and printing services on a fee or contract basis
16	Sewage and refuse disposal services; sanitation and similar services
Category No [7]	Subject
17	Hotel and restaurant services
18	Rail transport services
19	Water transport services
20	Supporting and auxiliary transport services
21	Legal services
22	Personnel placement and supply services [8]
23	Investigation and security services, except armoured car services
24	Education and vocational education services
25	Health and social services
26	Recreational, cultural and sporting services [9]
27	Other services

1 Service categories within the meaning of Article 20 and Annex IIA to Directive 2004/18/EC.

2 Except for rail transport services covered by category 18.

3 Except for rail transport services covered by category 18.

4 Except financial services in connection with the issue, sale, purchase or transfer of securities or other financial instruments, and central bank services. The following are also excluded: services involving the acquisition or rental, by whatever financial means, of land, existing buildings or other immovable property or concerning rights thereon. However, financial service contracts concluded at the same time as, before or after the contract of acquisition or rental, in whatever form, shall be subject to the Directive.

- 5 Except research and development services other than those where the benefits accrue exclusively to the contracting authority for its use in the conduct of its own affairs on condition that the service provided is wholly remunerated by the contracting authority.
- 6 Except arbitration and conciliation services.
- 7 Service categories within the meaning of Article 21 and Annex IIB of Directive 2004/18/EC.
- 8 Except employment contracts.
- 9 Except contracts for the acquisition, development, production or co-production of program material by broadcasters and contracts for broadcasting time.