

**United Kingdom-Dorchester: Community health services**

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**Contract notice**

**Services**

**Legal Basis:**

Directive 2014/24/EU

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**Section I: Contracting authority**

**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: Dorset County Council

Postal address: Corporate Resources Directorate, County Hall, Colliton Park

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Address of the buyer profile: <http://www.dorsetforyou.com/>

**I.3. Communication**

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: <https://www.supplyingthesouthwest.org.uk/>

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via: <https://www.supplyingthesouthwest.org.uk/>

**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**

Community Health Improvement Services (CHIS) Framework

Reference number: DN382042

**II.1.2. Main CPV code**

85323000 Community health services

**II.1.3. Type of contract**

Services

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

The purpose is to establish a "Pseudo" Framework Agreement for delivery of various community health improvement services to people within the County of Dorset.

Lot 1 Health Checks;

Lot 2: Emergency Hormonal Contraception (EHC);

Lot 3: Long-Acting Reversible Contraception (LARC);

Lot 4: Needle exchange;

Lot 5: Supervised consumption of methadone and buprenorphine;

Lot 6: Smoking Cessation.

The services to which this Procurement relates fall within the Light Touch Regime (LTR) governing procurement of health, and other service contracts. Neither reference to "Framework Agreement" or the use of the term "Selection process" nor any other indication shall be taken to mean that the Council intends to hold itself bound to any regulations save those applicable to LTR provisions.

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

Value excluding VAT: 8 800 000,00 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**

Health Checks

Lot No: 1

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

85323000 Community health services

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

NUTS code: UKK21 Bournemouth and Poole

NUTS code: UKK22 Dorset CC

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

This is a check designed for local residents aged from 40 to 74 years old, with some exceptions. The process, as laid out in government legislation, assesses a range of health factors, including smoking status, family history of coronary heart disease, body mass index, cholesterol level, blood pressure, physical activity levels, cardiovascular risk score, and alcohol consumption. In 2017-18 7733 health checks were completed.

#### **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**

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

Duration in months: 12

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

Framework duration will be for an initial 1 year with the option to extend on a further year by year basis up to a maximum of 4 years at the discretion of the authority.

**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

**II.2.14. Additional information**

**II.2. Description**

**II.2.1. Title**

Emergency Hormonal Contraception (EHC)  
Lot No: 2

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

85323000 Community health services

**II.2.3. Place of performance**

NUTS code: UKK21 Bournemouth and Poole  
NUTS code: UKK22 Dorset CC

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

Emergency contraception can prevent pregnancy after unprotected sex or if the contraception used has failed, for example, a condom has split or missed a contraceptive pill. EHC uses chemicals that affect the release of an egg, and therefore can prevent pregnancy. There were 5 620 EHC interventions delivered in 2017-18.

**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**

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

Duration in months: 12

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

Framework duration will be for an initial 1 year with the option to extend on a further year by year basis up to a maximum of 4 years at the discretion of the authority.

**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

### **II.2.14. Additional information**

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

##### **II.2.1. Title**

Long-Acting Reversible Contraception (LARC)  
Lot No: 3

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

85323000 Community health services

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

NUTS code: UKK21 Bournemouth and Poole  
NUTS code: UKK22 Dorset CC

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

LARC refers to contraceptive methods that require administration less than once per cycle or month, specifically:

- copper intrauterine devices,
- progestogen-only intrauterine systems,
- progestogen-only injectable contraceptives,
- progestogen-only subdermal implants.

There were 7 695 instances of LARC in 2017-18.

##### **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**

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

Duration in months: 12

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

Framework duration will be for an initial 1 year with the option to extend on a further year by year basis up to a maximum of 4 years at the discretion of the authority.

##### **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

### **II.2.14. Additional information**

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

**II.2.1. Title**

Needle exchange

Lot No: 4

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

85323000 Community health services

**II.2.3. Place of performance**

NUTS code: UKK21 Bournemouth and Poole

NUTS code: UKK22 Dorset CC

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

Needle and Syringe Programmes (NSPs) supply needles and syringes for people who inject drugs. In addition, they often supply other equipment used to prepare and take drugs (for example, filters, mixing containers and sterile water). The main aim of needle and syringe programmes is to reduce the transmission of blood-borne viruses and other infections caused by sharing injecting equipment. It also reduces the risk to the public from discarded needles by providing the opportunity for disposal. In 2017-18, there were 17,497 visits for needle exchange.

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

Duration in months: 12

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

Framework duration will be for an initial 1 year with the option to extend on a further year by year basis up to a maximum of 4 years at the discretion of the authority.

**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

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

Supervised Consumption of Methadone and Buprenorphine

Lot No: 5

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

85323000 Community health services

**II.2.3. Place of performance**

NUTS code: UKK21 Bournemouth and Poole  
NUTS code: UKK22 Dorset CC

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

In some instances where an individual is prescribed medication to help treat a substance use disorder, clinical guidance recommends that the patient is observed while taking what is a potentially toxic medication. In 2017-18, 708 individuals were registered for supervised consumption.

#### **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**

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

Duration in months: 12

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

Framework duration will be for an initial 1 year with the option to extend on a further year by year basis up to a maximum of 4 years at the discretion of the authority.

#### **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

#### **II.2.14. Additional information**

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

#### **II.2.1. Title**

Smoking Cessation  
Lot No: 6

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

85323000 Community health services

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

NUTS code: UKK21 Bournemouth and Poole  
NUTS code: UKK22 Dorset CC

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

In 2017-18, 3127 people started a quit attempt with support. Several treatments are available to support people looking to stop smoking, including:

— psychosocial behaviour change support, which offers people personalised support while they go through the process of quitting,

— nicotine replacement therapy, which provides a low level of nicotine, without the tar, carbon monoxide and other poisonous chemicals present in tobacco smoke,

— prescribed medication (i.e. Varenicline), which reduces cravings and blocks the rewarding and reinforcing effects of smoking.

#### **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**

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

Duration in months: 12

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

Framework duration will be for an initial 1 year with the option to extend on a further year by year basis up to a maximum of 4 years at the discretion of the authority.

#### **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

#### **II.2.14. Additional information**

### **Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information**

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#### **III.1. Conditions for participation**

##### **III.1.1. Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers**

List and brief description of conditions:

Requirements detailed in the service specification.

##### **III.1.3. Technical and professional ability**

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

#### **III.2. Conditions related to the contract**

##### **III.2.2. Contract performance conditions**

Requirements detailed in the service specification.

### **Section IV: Procedure**

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

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

Restricted procedure

##### **IV.1.3. Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system**

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

Framework agreement with several operators  
In the case of framework agreements, provide justification for any duration exceeding 4 years:

**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: 31/03/2020 Local time: 10:00

**IV.2.3. Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates**

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

English

**Section VI: Complementary information**

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**VI.1. Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: no

**VI.3. Additional information**

- The Framework Agreement will involve an unrestricted number of providers,
- services required, which will be “called-off” as and when demand arises,
- opportunity to apply for and participate with this Framework Agreement will remain open throughout its duration,
- framework duration will be for an initial 1 year with the option to extend on a further year by year basis up to a maximum of 4 years at the discretion of the authority,
- selection to the framework will be evaluated on a Providers qualification against defined minimum requirements, and, acceptance of the fixed charges, as set in the service specification,
- award of subsequent call off contracts will be proffered to end user’s choice.

**VI.4. Procedures for review**

**VI.4.1. Review body**

Official name: Dorset County Council - Legal & Democratic Services

Postal address: Corporate Resources Directorate, County Hall, Colliton Park

Town: Dorchester

Postal code: DT1 1XJ

Country: United Kingdom

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

01/02/2019