

**United Kingdom-Kingston upon Thames: Health and social work services**  
**OJ S 136/2019 17/07/2019**  
**Contract award notice**  
**Services**

**Legal Basis:**

Directive 2014/24/EU

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**Section I: Contracting authority**

**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: Achieving For Children

Postal address: Guildhall 2, High Street

Town: Kingston upon Thames

NUTS code: UKI63 Merton, Kingston upon Thames and Sutton

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Main address: <https://www.delta-esourcing.com/>

Address of the buyer profile: <https://www.delta-esourcing.com/delta/project/buyer>

**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**

Overnight Short Breaks for Children and Young People with Disabilities

Reference number: AfC/CS/01/2019

**II.1.2. Main CPV code**

85000000 Health and social work services

**II.1.3. Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4. Short description**

Achieving for Children (AfC), with Kingston Council, are constructing a new, purpose-built overnight respite facility at the Moor Lane Centre KT9 2AA. This building will be used to provide overnight respite care for children and young people who may have multiple disabilities, complex medical needs and challenging behaviour, and are aged 8 to 17 years. AfC engaged with the relevant market by publishing a PIN on the 14.11.2018 and a Contract Notice on 9.1.2019 inviting tenders for this service.

The aim of this service is to provide the young people an opportunity to learn, flourish and develop their independent living skills within a safe environment outside their family home and also to provide 'time off' for families from the additional demands of caring for child with special educational needs and disabilities.

#### **II.1.6. Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: no

#### **II.1.7. Total value of the procurement**

Value excluding VAT: 15 243 130,00 GBP

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

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

85000000 Health and social work services

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

NUTS code: UKI63 Merton, Kingston upon Thames and Sutton

Main site or place of performance: Merton, Kingston upon Thames and Sutton.

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

This procurement falls under the 'Light Touch Regime' Schedule 3 of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015, AfC in compliance with Regulations 74 to 76 would like to enter into a long term partnership with action for children to deliver a high quality standard of respite care to be provided by a team of qualified and experienced staff. It is to be noted that the commencement of this contact is contingent to the premises being ready.

The vision for AfC is to create a warm family type environment where children and young people are encouraged and supported to have fun, experience new things and develop their daily living skills. With a holistic view of the young person's needs, to provide a caring, safe and supportive environment based on clear boundaries, structure and always ensuring the child/ young person's welfare is paramount at all times.

#### **II.2.5. Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Service delivery / Weighting: 40

Cost criterion - Name: Price / Weighting: 60

#### **II.2.11. Information about options**

Options: yes

Description of options:

This contract is for a period of 10 years with further 2 periods of extensions of 3 years plus 2 years subject to meeting the requirements of the service. The contract commencement date is 2.9.2019, the service provider acknowledges that it is a condition precedent of this agreement that the premises are completed prior to the mobilisation and commencement of this agreement.

#### **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**

The Total contract Value of 22 000 000 is to allow for neighbouring local authorities who may access this contract subject to agreement.

## Section IV: Procedure

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### IV.1. Description

#### IV.1.1. Type of procedure

Open procedure

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

#### IV.1.8. Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: no

### IV.2. Administrative information

#### IV.2.8. Information about termination of dynamic purchasing system

#### IV.2.9. Information about termination of call for competition in the form of a prior information notice

## Section V: Award of contract

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A contract/lot is awarded: yes

### V.2. Award of contract

#### V.2.1. Date of conclusion of the contract

12/07/2019

#### V.2.2. Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 2

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: no

#### V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Action for Children

Postal address: 3 The Boulevard, Ascot Road

Town: Watford

NUTS code: UKI63 Merton, Kingston upon Thames and Sutton

Postal code: WD18 8AG

Country: United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME: no

#### V.2.4. Information on value of the contract/lot

Total value of the contract/lot: 15 243 130,00 GBP

#### V.2.5. Information about subcontracting

## Section VI: Complementary information

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### VI.3. Additional information

The Contracting Authority considers that this contract may be suitable for economic operators that are Small or Medium Enterprises (SMEs). However, any selection of tenderers will be based solely on the criteria set out for the procurement.

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**VI.4. Procedures for review**

**VI.4.1. Review body**

Official name: Royal Court of Justice

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Town: London

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**VI.4.3. Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:

The Authority has successfully completed the 10 calendar day standstill period at the point information on the award of the contracts was communicated to tenderers. Applicants and Bidders who are unsuccessful were informed by the Authority as soon as the decision was been made as to the reasons why the applicant or bidder was unsuccessful.

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

16/07/2019