

NCCT40066 Sex Workers Outreach Services

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Prior information notice – Concept Viability Event

Service category No: 25 Health and social services

Short description of nature and quantity or value of supplies or services:

Norfolk County Council is looking to procure a specialist support and outreach, drug and alcohol and sexual health (Level 1) for sex workers in Norfolk.

The service will provide support to those at risk or involved in sex work, in order to:

- reduce the harm and vulnerability of individuals;
- enable individuals to make healthy choices and take control of their sexual health;
- increase access to sexual health services and treatment;
- increase the number of individuals able to achieve sustained recovery from dependence by facilitating access to support and individually tailored treatment packages of care;
- improve their health and wellbeing;
- enable individuals to increase their ability to live independently.

This will be enhanced by increasing opportunities for individuals to develop skills and confidence which supports them in their recovery and in reaching their potential.

Estimated cost excluding VAT

Range between: 357 000 and 806 000 GBP

The value range expressed is for a contract period of 3 years. The contract will include an option to extend for a further 2 years subject to provider performance and funding availability

Concept Viability Event, Date & Time

We are holding a 'concept viability' event to inform providers of our intentions and what we hope to achieve, to ascertain what potential providers see as areas of risk, to discuss contract specification and terms, to discuss how best to integrate social, environmental and economic considerations into the procurement and to find out what (if anything) would stop interested parties applying for this business opportunity. We believe that the Public Services (Social Value) Act 2012 will apply to this procurement exercise.

Date: Wednesday 3rd April 2013

Location: Norwich

If you would like to attend the Concept Viability Event, we request that you e-mail your details to sourcingteam@norfolk.gov.uk, - Quoting "NCCT40066 Concept Viability Event" in the subject line.

If you are unable to attend the Concept Viability Event, but would like to be informed of further developments within this procurement process, we request that you e-mail your details to sourcingteam@norfolk.gov.uk, - Quoting "NCCT40066 Mailing list" in the subject line.