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Award

Mental Health Community Support

Tameside Metropolitan Borough Council

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Scope

Reference

DN792206

Description

The Service will provide community-based support for people recovering from mental ill-health. It will play a key role in linking them with existing community networks and opportunities. The Service will be available to people 18 to 65 years of age receiving mental health services under the Care Act Eligibility Guidance in that: each person has eligible needs and each person is ordinarily resident in the borough of Tameside.

The service will incorporate a delivery model encompassing the following key areas

- Community recovery
- Short term intensive support following hospital discharge
- Crisis support

The Service will operate a model based on the principles of recovery, reablement and habitation, aimed at supporting people recovering from mental ill-health to move through the service by providing the opportunity and confidence to regain some of the skills lost as a consequence of mental ill health.

The support will enable people to regain or learn new skills to help maintain long term independence and confidence to gain or retain employment, carry out activities and develop relationships that give their lives purpose and meaning, with a focus on promoting choice, control, independent living, social inclusion and wellbeing.

Contract 1. Mental Health Community Support

Supplier

- ICARE SOLUTIONS STOCKPORT LIMITED

Contract value

- £1,400,000 excluding VAT
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Below the relevant threshold

Award decision date

6 January 2026

Date assessment summaries were sent to tenderers

7 January 2026

Earliest date the contract will be signed

19 January 2026

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 April 2026 to 31 March 2031
- Possible extension to 31 March 2033
- 7 years

Description of possible extension:

Extension options: For two years

Expiry Date: 31/12/2033

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 85100000 - Health services
- 85300000 - Social work and related services

Contract locations

- UKD - North West (England)

Information about tenders

- 33 tenders received
- 13 tenders assessed in the final stage:
 - 13 submitted by small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
 - 0 submitted by voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)
- 1 supplier awarded contracts
- 12 suppliers unsuccessful (details included for contracts over £5 million)

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Special regime

Light touch

Supplier

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- Companies House: 10402138
- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PCTB-6516-JNQD

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Website: <https://www.icaresolution.co.uk/>

Region: UKD35 - Greater Manchester South East

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

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Contracting authority

Tameside Metropolitan Borough Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PVWB-2493-LWTQ

Tameside One

Ashton under Lyne

OL6 0GS

United Kingdom

Email: procurement@star-procurement.gov.uk

Region: UKD35 - Greater Manchester South East

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government