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Tender

## TaAF Leadership

Blackburn with Darwen

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## Scope

## Reference

DN803591

## Description

This contract aims to strengthen system leadership and build sustainable capacity across Pennine Lancashire by delivering certified CliftonStrengths coaching, collaborative leadership facilitation, and a Train-the-Trainer (TTT) programme. The work supports the Leadership Workstream within Sport England's Place Partner programme, running from 1st April 2026 to 31st March 2027.

## Total value (estimated)

- £210,000 excluding VAT
- £252,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

### **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 1 April 2026 to 31 March 2027
- 1 year

### **Main procurement category**

Services

### **CPV classifications**

- 80500000 - Training services

### **Contract locations**

- UKD4 - Lancashire

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## **Participation**

### **Legal and financial capacity conditions of participation**

As per the ITT documentation

### **Technical ability conditions of participation**

As per the ITT documentation

### **Particular suitability**

- Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
- Voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)

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### **Submission**

#### **Enquiry deadline**

9 February 2026, 12:00pm

#### **Tender submission deadline**

16 February 2026, 12:00pm

#### **Submission address and any special instructions**

<https://www.the-chest.org.uk/>

#### **Tenders may be submitted electronically**

Yes

#### **Languages that may be used for submission**

English

### **Award decision date (estimated)**

4 March 2026

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### **Award criteria**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Weighting</b>
Quality	Response to Quality questions	Quality	55.00%
Price	Total cost of contract	Price	30.00%
Social Value	Social Value delivery	Quality	15.00%

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### **Other information**

#### **Conflicts assessment prepared/revised**

Yes

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### **Procedure**

#### **Procedure type**

Open procedure

## **Justification for not publishing a preliminary market engagement notice**

The Council has previously tendered for these services.

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## **Documents**

### **Associated tender documents**

<https://www.the-chest.org.uk/>

Documents available through the Chest system Proactis - <https://www.the-chest.org.uk/>

### **Technical specifications to be met**

<https://www.the-chest.org.uk/>

Contained with the tender documents available through <https://www.the-chest.org.uk/>

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## **Contracting authority**

### **Blackburn with Darwen**

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PYGR-1856-CVXM

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Region: UKD41 - Blackburn with Darwen

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government