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## **A Bed Every Night (ABEN) Phase 5**

Oldham Metropolitan Borough Council

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## **Scope**

## **Description**

ABEN was established in 2018 offering "no second night out" access to accommodation for individuals who are currently rough sleeping or at risk of rough sleeping in Greater Manchester.

In Oldham, the local authority receives grant funding from GMCA to provide 23 (including one emergency bed) bed spaces, and a further 6 spaces for individuals with no recourse to public funds. ABEN has now been operating for over 5 years and remains a

central pillar and safety net for people experiencing, or at risk of, rough sleeping. Since 2022, the landscape for

homelessness, rough sleeping and poverty has changed considerably across borough:

- Record high numbers of individuals approaching the Local Authority for support due to being at risk of homelessness.
- Record numbers of households in Temporary Accommodation (over 698 at any one

point in time)

- Sustained increases in the number of people seen rough sleeping on a single night
  - Sustained increases in the number of people receiving a Section 21, no-fault eviction.
  - A changing migration/asylum landscape, with the accelerated asylum decision-making process creating additional rough sleeping pressures across all 12 boroughs.
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## **Contract 1**

### **Supplier**

- DEPAUL UK

### **Contract value**

- £245,000 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

### **Earliest date the contract will be signed**

13 May 2025

## **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 14 May 2025 to 31 March 2026
- 10 months, 18 days

## **Main procurement category**

Services

## **CPV classifications**

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

## **Contract locations**

- UKD37 - Greater Manchester North East

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## **Participation**

### **Particular suitability**

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

### Procedure type

Below threshold - without competition

### Special regime

Light touch

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## Supplier

### DEPAUL UK

- Companies House: 02440093
- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PHZL-9877-JBNN

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Region: UKI44 - Lewisham and Southwark

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): Yes

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## Contracting authority

### Oldham Metropolitan Borough Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PMRJ-8362-DVNT

Spindles Shopping Centre, West Street

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Email: [commercial.procurementunit@oldham.gov.uk](mailto:commercial.procurementunit@oldham.gov.uk)

Region: UKD37 - Greater Manchester North East

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government