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Tender

Ambulance Service for His Majesty's Coroner for Cheshire

Warrington Borough Council

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Scope

Reference

DN780038

Description

The Tender is to appoint a suitably qualified Contractor to collect bodies treated as sudden deaths and transport such to mortuaries identified by the Coroner or her authorised representative.

The Service will be delivered within the Cheshire boundaries namely Macclesfield, Northwich, Ellesmere Port, Runcorn, Widnes and Warrington.

The contract will be divided into Lots as follows:

Lot 1 - Cheshire North - Widnes/Runcorn/Warrington

Lot 2 - Cheshire West - Northwich/Chester/Ellesmere Port

Lot 3 - Cheshire East - Crewe/Macclesfield

Total value (estimated)

- £720,000 excluding VAT
- £900,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 28 February 2026 to 27 February 2029
- Possible extension to 27 February 2031
- 5 years

Description of possible extension:

Two 12 month extensions available to use if the provider is ensuring value for money and a consistently good service.

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 98370000 - Funeral and related services

Contract locations

- UKD6 - Cheshire
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Lot 1. Cheshire North - Widnes/Runcorn/Warrington

Description

The Tender is to appoint a suitably qualified Contractor to collect bodies treated as sudden deaths and transport such to mortuaries identified by the Coroner or her authorised representative.

Lot value (estimated)

- £240,000 excluding VAT
- £300,000 including VAT

Same for all lots

CPV classifications, contract locations and contract dates are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Lot 2. Cheshire West - Northwich/Chester/Ellesmere Port

Description

The Tender is to appoint a suitably qualified Contractor to collect bodies treated as sudden deaths and transport such to mortuaries identified by the Coroner or her authorised representative within Cheshire West.

Lot value (estimated)

- £240,000 excluding VAT
- £300,000 including VAT

Same for all lots

CPV classifications, contract locations and contract dates are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Lot 3. Cheshire East - Crewe/Macclesfield

Description

The Tender is to appoint a suitably qualified Contractor to collect bodies treated as sudden deaths and transport such to mortuaries identified by the Coroner or her authorised representative within Cheshire East.

Lot value (estimated)

- £240,000 excluding VAT
- £300,000 including VAT

Same for all lots

CPV classifications, contract locations and contract dates are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Participation

Particular suitability

Lot 1. Cheshire North - Widnes/Runcorn/Warrington

Lot 2. Cheshire West - Northwich/Chester/Ellesmere Port

Lot 3. Cheshire East - Crewe/Macclesfield

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

Submission

Enquiry deadline

4 August 2025, 12:00pm

Tender submission deadline

8 August 2025, 12:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

<https://procontract.due-north.com/>

or

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

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Languages that may be used for submission

English

Award decision date (estimated)

29 August 2025

Award criteria

Name	Type	Weighting
Price	Price	40%
Response	Quality	18%
Business Plan	Quality	12%
Resources	Quality	6%
Service Delivery	Quality	6%
Health & Safety	Quality	6%
Reporting	Quality	6%
Social Value	Quality	6%

Other information

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Contracting authority

Warrington Borough Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PBVX-8195-NXYW

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Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government