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Adults Substance Misuse

London Borough of Harrow

F14: Notice for changes or additional information

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04c29d

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

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Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Adults Substance Misuse

Reference number

DN754395

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85100000 - Health services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The London Borough of Harrow is intending to award a contract to VIA Community Ltd

(existing

provider) for the provision of Adult Substance Misuse Services following

Direct Award Process C of the Provider Selection Regime (PSR).

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.6) Original notice reference

Notice number: [2024/S 000-039264](#)

Section VII. Changes

VII.1.2) Text to be corrected in the original notice

Section number

11.2.4

Instead of

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Adults Substance Misuse following Direct Award Process C in accordance with the Provider

Selection Regime (PSR)

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The service delivered by VIA Community Ltd for Adults includes:

VIA Harrow offers comprehensive adult services (18+) for substance misuse, providing support and treatment for individuals struggling with drug and alcohol addiction. They aim to help individuals achieve recovery and maintain a healthy, substance-free life. VIA offers a structured range of services from Tier 1 to Tier 4 to enable this. Tier 1 services include training and advocacy across the community, focusing on education and prevention. Tier 2 services provide targeted interventions for individuals at risk, offering brief educational sessions and signposting to further support. Tier 3 services involve specialist interventions for those with more significant substance misuse issues, including one-on-one counselling and group therapy. Finally, Tier 4 services are for individuals requiring intensive support, involving close collaboration with adult providers to facilitate referrals for specialist treatment and rehabilitation programs. VIA work closely with the CYP provider, COMPASS, to ensure there is joined up working for service users in the transitional age range (18-24) or when families are impacted. VIA also commission a peer-led recovery network (build on belief) to support service users sustain their recovery. Their offerings include social activities, support groups, and practical assistance, all designed to help individuals build confidence and develop new skills. The service emphasises a community-based approach, encouraging peer support and mutual aid to foster recovery and well-being. VIA also offer a range of other essential services to support individuals dealing with substance misuse. This includes Blood Borne Virus (BBV) testing, vaccinations, smoking cessation programs, and naloxone provision. They also provide Employment Support through access to Individual Placement & Support (IPS) with a dedicated employment specialist. Additionally, their Criminal Justice Support includes prison in-reach and probation satellites to assist those involved with the criminal justice system.