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Award

## **Management and Operation of a one-child Children's Home in St. Helens WA11 owned by St. Helens Borough Council**

St Helens Council

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### **Scope**

### **Description**

The service provided will be available at all times (including statutory holidays) during the term of the Contact, and will include the provision of an appropriate staffing model with a waking night or sleep-in staff (depending on the child's needs) in accordance with the Children's Homes regulations, including quality standards, and National Minimum Standards for Children's Homes.

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## **Supplier**

- INSPIRE CHILDRENS SERVICES LIMITED

## **Contract value**

- £2,548,000 excluding VAT
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Above the relevant threshold

## **Award decision date**

18 July 2025

## **Date assessment summaries were sent to tenderers**

18 July 2025

## **Standstill period**

- End: 29 July 2025
- 8 working days

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

30 July 2025

## **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 1 August 2025 to 31 July 2030
- Possible extension to 31 July 2032
- 7 years

Description of possible extension:

3+1+1

## **Main procurement category**

Services

## **CPV classifications**

- 85300000 - Social work and related services

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## **Information about tenders**

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

### Procedure type

Open procedure

### Special regime

Light touch

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## Supplier

### **INSPIRE CHILDRENS SERVICES LIMITED**

- Companies House: 06968122
- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PGNZ-5681-THXX

Unit 3, Craig Court, Standish Street

St Helens

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United Kingdom

Email: [paul@inspirecs.org](mailto:paul@inspirecs.org)

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Region: UKD71 - East Merseyside

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

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## **Contracting authority**

### **St Helens Council**

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PPYM-6238-VHLR

Town Hall

St Helens

WA10 1HP

United Kingdom

Email: [procurement@star-procurement.gov.uk](mailto:procurement@star-procurement.gov.uk)

Region: UKD71 - East Merseyside

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government