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## Technology Enabled Care 2025

West Sussex County Council

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## Scope

## Reference

C21029

## Description

West Sussex County Council's Technology Enabled Care service provision. The Technology Enabled Care service supports individuals in managing their health, wellbeing, and independence. This service is for older and disabled people living in their own homes within West Sussex.

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## Contract 1. Technology Enabled Care 2025

### Supplier

- [Livity Life Limited](#)

### Contract value

- £4,048,800 excluding VAT
- £4,858,560 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

### Earliest date the contract will be signed

31 July 2025

### Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 August 2025 to 31 July 2027
- Possible extension to 31 July 2028
- 3 years

Description of possible extension:

Up to 12 month extension

### Main procurement category

Services

## **CPV classifications**

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

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## **Participation**

### **Particular suitability**

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

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## **Other information**

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

Yes

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## **Procedure**

### **Procedure type**

Direct award

## **Special regime**

Light touch

## **Direct award justification**

Extreme and unavoidable urgency

The continuation of the Technology Enabled Care services is strictly necessary to ensure the safety, wellbeing, and independence of vulnerable individuals, including elderly residents and those with disabilities. These services are critical to preventing hospital admissions, safeguarding lives, and supporting independent living. The urgency has arisen due to an unexpected termination of the existing contract, which has resulted in an immediate cessation of services. This event was unforeseen and occurred without prior warning, leaving the Council insufficient time to conduct a compliant competitive procedure. The situation is unavoidable and demands immediate action to prevent serious harm to service users who rely on the service for emergency support and daily monitoring. Given the abrupt nature of the existing contract termination, any delay in appointing a replacement Provider would result in a critical gap in this provision, exposing vulnerable individuals to significant risk. The urgency has not arisen due to any delay, omission, or poor planning on the part of the Council. The current contract termination and immediate cessation of services was unforeseen and outside the Council's control.

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## **Supplier**

### **Livity Life Limited**

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Nutsey Lane, Calmore Industrial Park,

Southampton

SO40 3XJ

United Kingdom

Email: [contactus@livitylife.co.uk](mailto:contactus@livitylife.co.uk)

Region: UKJ36 - Central Hampshire

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

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## Contracting authority

### West Sussex County Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PXJW-5627-QRQR

County Hall

Chichester

PO19 1RG

United Kingdom

Contact name: Procurement and Contract Management Team

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Website: <https://www.westsussex.gov.uk>

Region: UKJ27 - West Sussex (South West)

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government