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Planning

Residential Rehabilitation & Recovery Services, Abstinent Accommodation based Service and Women's Harm Reduction Accommodation Based Service

Liverpool City Council

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Scope

Description

Provider Event

Date: Wednesday 22nd September 2025 from 2.00pm - 3.00pm

Location: Microsoft Teams Invite

Aimed at: All potential service providers of residential rehabilitation and recovery services for people with problematic substance misuse issues.

Background

Liverpool City Council is recommissioning a range of substance misuse rehabilitation and recovery services. These consist of distinct community and are residential services, with the aim to support service users into a managed process of change that helps build the

foundations of a sustainable recovery.

Services will provide an asset based approach to reintegrate service users into the local recovery community and wider mainstream society. Also included is abstinent supported

housing and a harm reduction supported housing service for women.

The Council intends to commission three distinct contracts:

- Contract 1: Residential Rehabilitation Service
- Contract 2: Abstinent accommodation based service / step down from rehabilitation
- Contract 3: Harm Reduction Accommodation Based Service - Female Only

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 July 2026 to 29 June 2029
- Possible extension to 27 June 2031
- 4 years, 11 months, 27 days

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

Contract locations

- UKD72 - Liverpool

Engagement

Engagement deadline

22 September 2025

Engagement process description

This Market Engagement follows on from the previous event that took place on 26th March 2025 10.00am - 11.30am (Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04eafb). This Market Engagement will expand the previous event, in terms of the development of these services and more information on the planned procurement exercise.

Provider Event

Date of new Market Engagement Event: Wednesday 22nd September 2025 2.00pm - 3.00pm

Location: Microsoft Teams Invite

Please see link to advert below;

<https://procontract.due-north.com/Procurer/Advert/AdvertSummary?projectId=ee0c4f37-a7fd-ef11-8136-005056b64545&projectStepId=3b0d4f37-a7fd-ef11-8136-005056b64545>

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Supporting people into recovery from substance misuse issues is a priority for the city, more specifically, it is a key component of Pillar 4 of the Council's City Plan. It is explicitly addressed in the people with complex lives section as follows: "Improve control over people's daily life; reduce alcohol admissions; reduce emergency admissions to hospital and improve mental wellbeing".

It also meets the ambitions of the Homelessness and Rough Sleeping Strategy 2022-27, particularly the priority relating to Integrating Health.

The agenda for the session on 22/09/25 will consist of:

- Overview for services and plans
- Key timelines
- Q&A

Providers only - Please outline your interest by messaging via ProContract messaging area to book a place with your email address and contact details. You will then receive a reply with the meeting invite link.

Participation

Particular suitability

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

Submission

Publication date of tender notice (estimated)

4 November 2025

Procedure

Special regime

Light touch

Contracting authority

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