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Tender

Warrington Advocacy Hub

Warrington Borough Council

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Scope

Reference

DN789135

Description

Warrington Borough Council wishes to procure integrated advocacy services provided through a single supplier offering an Advocacy Hub.

The supplier will deliver a comprehensive advocacy service for adults in Warrington 50 weeks a year, 5 days a week (Monday- Friday) excluding Bank Holidays and Weekends.

The Service will comprise:

- Care Act Advocacy
- Independent Mental Health Advocacy
- Independent Mental Capacity Advocacy

- Paid Relevant Persons Representative
- Parent Advocacy
- Project work

Total value (estimated)

- £3,090,000 excluding VAT
- £3,708,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 June 2026 to 31 May 2030
- Possible extension to 31 May 2036
- 10 years

Description of possible extension:

The contract will initially be for a period of 48 months with option to extend by 3 further periods of 24 months

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 85300000 - Social work and related services

Contract locations

- UKD61 - Warrington

Justification for not using lots

A single provider model is required to ensure a single point of access for users.

Participation

Particular suitability

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

Submission

Enquiry deadline

1 October 2025, 11:59pm

Tender submission deadline

9 October 2025, 12:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

Tenders must be submitted via the proactis system <https://the-chest.org.uk> with responses made within the system

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Languages that may be used for submission

English

Award decision date (estimated)

15 January 2026

Award criteria

Name	Type	Weighting
Quality	Quality	60%
Price	Price	40%

Other information

Applicable trade agreements

- Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Documents

Associated tender documents

<http://www.the-chest.org.uk>

Tender documents can be obtained via www.the-chest.org.uk using reference DN789135

Contracting authority

Warrington Borough Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PBVX-8195-NXYW

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Region: UKD61 - Warrington

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government