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Tender

WSSC-Hospital Discharge Care Services 2026

West Sussex County Council

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Scope

Reference

C21403

Description

West Sussex County Council is procuring a Hospital Discharge Care Service provision in the Coastal West area of West Sussex.

The services will be provided to Services Users who are referred by Sussex Community (NHS) Foundation Trust (SCFT) and West Sussex County Council (WSSC).

The tender is split into two (2) separate Lots, which are split based on geographical area. The areas included within each Service are detailed below:

- o Coastal West- Chichester
- o Coastal West- Bognor

The geographical Lots will ensure equitable service provision across the Western Coastal

area of West Sussex. There will be a focus on the way services are made available and delivered in 'Neighbourhoods' as the Integrated Care System reviews the intermediate care arrangements in West Sussex, and as a result the Lot Service Areas will be regularly reviewed to ensure this continues to align with the NHS plans to deliver service provision.

To view the tender documentation and submit a response please click on the following link to our e-tendering Portal and either Register or Login).

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Total value (estimated)

- £7,800,000 excluding VAT
- £9,360,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 April 2026 to 31 March 2028
- Possible extension to 31 March 2030
- 4 years

Description of possible extension:

Up to two years (2) extension.

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

Contract locations

- UKJ27 - West Sussex (South West)

Lot constraints

Description of how multiple lots may be awarded:

Suppliers can bid for either or both of the 2 Lots being tendered.

Lot 3A (was 1). Coastal West- Chichester

Description

Coastal West- Chichester

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Full details of the services required and information about the two (2) Lot areas can be found in the Tender Documents which can be viewed via our e-tendering Portal.

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Lot value (estimated)

- £3,744,000 excluding VAT
- £4,492,800 including VAT

Same for all lots

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Lot 3B. Coastal West- Bognor

Description

Coastal West- Bognor

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Lot value (estimated)

- £4,056,000 excluding VAT
- £4,867,200 including VAT

Same for all lots

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Participation

Particular suitability

Lot 3A (was 1). Coastal West- Chichester

Lot 3B. Coastal West- Bognor

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

Submission

Enquiry deadline

31 October 2025, 5:00pm

Tender submission deadline

7 November 2025, 12:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

All tender submissions must be completed and submitted via Atamis - WSCC's e-tendering portal.

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Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Languages that may be used for submission

English

Award decision date (estimated)

15 January 2026

Recurring procurement

Publication date of next tender notice (estimated): 1 October 2029

Award criteria

Name	Type	Weighting
Technical Quality	Quality	100%

Other information

Payment terms

30 days in arrears

Description of risks to contract performance

None

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Special regime

Light touch

Documents

Associated tender documents

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Contracting authority

West Sussex County Council

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Region: UKJ27 - West Sussex (South West)

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government