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Tender

DoJ - NIPS - Provision of Psychological Risk Assessment Reports to identify offending pathways, treatment-planning needs and meet Public Protection requirements within the Northern Ireland Prison Service

Northern Ireland Prison Service

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Scope

Reference

ID 6033878

Description

The Northern Ireland Prison Service (NIPS) wishes to establish a contract with a single Contractor for the provision of support to deliver Psychological Risk / Need Assessment reports to better understand service users offending pathways and make recommendations regarding suitability for release.

Total value (estimated)

- £225,000 excluding VAT
- £270,000 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 December 2025 to 1 September 2026
- 9 months, 1 day

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

Contract locations

- UKN - Northern Ireland

Participation

Particular suitability

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

Submission

Enquiry deadline

13 November 2025, 5:00pm

Tender submission deadline

20 November 2025, 3:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

<https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Award criteria

Name	Description	Type
AC1 - Company Experience	11.9 percent	Quality
AC2 - Implementation	30.1 percent	Quality
AC3 - Contract and Account Management	9.8 percent	Quality
AC4 - Data Handling and Maintenance	9.8 percent	Quality
AC5 - Business Continuity	13.3 percent	Quality

Name	Description	Type
AC6 - Price/Cost	30 percent	Price

Weighting description

70 percent quality, 30 percent cost.

Procedure

Procedure type

Below threshold - open competition

Special regime

Light touch

Contracting authority

Northern Ireland Prison Service

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PRMX-2692-MXQX

Dundonald House, Upper Newtownards Road

Belfast

BT4 3SU

United Kingdom

Email: Justice.CPD@finance-ni.gov.uk

Region: UKN06 - Belfast

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government

Devolved regulations that apply: Northern Ireland

Other organisation

These organisations are carrying out the procurement, or part of it, on behalf of the contracting authorities.

CPD - Supplies & Services Division

Summary of their role in this procurement: Construction and Procurement Delivery - Supplies and Services Division, is a Centre of Procurement Expertise and provides a central procurement function for central government in Northern Ireland

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PVWG-8426-YW XV

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