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Tender

Young Persons Homelessness Pathfinder

Greater Manchester Combined Authority

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Scope

Reference

GMCA1623

Description

The GMCA will be looking to reprocure The Greater Manchester young persons Homelessness prevention service. The Greater Manchester (GM) Young Persons Homelessness Prevention Service is a flexible, person-centred service designed to

prevent homelessness for young people between the ages of 18-25. This service builds on the learning of the Young Persons Homelessness Prevention Pathfinder service which had previously been commissioned to provide homelessness prevention support for young people across GM between 2022 - 2026. The new service model is expected to be outcomes based, evidence-informed, and highly personalised, enabling more flexible and responsive primary prevention focused support for young people at risk of homelessness.

It will intervene for individuals who are at risk of their first instance of homelessness in the next 6 months at point of access and who are lacking the support that would enable them

to prevent their situation worsening. The service also aligns heavily to priorities included as part of the Greater Manchester Strategy 2025 - 2035, working towards ensuring healthy homes for all and everyday support in every neighbourhood.

Total value (estimated)

- £6,539,222.36 excluding VAT
- £7,847,066.95 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 April 2026 to 31 March 2027
- Possible extension to 31 March 2029
- 3 years

Description of possible extension:

Extension periods are based on successful completion of the initial 12 month contract and funding approval.

Extension period will be 1x 24 month extension

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

Contract locations

- UK - United Kingdom

Participation

Particular suitability

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

Submission

Enquiry deadline

24 December 2025, 11:59pm

Tender submission deadline

2 January 2026, 12:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

Tenders must be submitted via the Chest Portal portal only. submissions issued outside this platform will not be considered <https://www.the-chest.org.uk/>

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Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Languages that may be used for submission

English

Award decision date (estimated)

20 February 2026

Award criteria

Name	Type	Weighting
Technical Assessment questions	Quality	80%
Social Value weighting	Quality	10%
Price weighting	Price	10%

Other information

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Special regime

Light touch

Contracting authority

Greater Manchester Combined Authority

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Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government