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Award

Independent Advocacy Services 2026

East Riding of Yorkshire Council

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Scope

Reference

BMC1003-2026

Description

Independent Mental Capacity Advocacy (IMCA), Independent Mental Health Advocacy (IMHA), Litigation Friend, Relevant Persons Representative (RPR), 1:2 Advocacy and Care Act Advocacy are statutory services; the general advocacy is included within the overall IMCA Service as similar skills and competencies are required and this supports people who do not qualify for the statutory services. As the services have to be independent of the Local Authority, a procurement exercise is required to ensure we meet our statutory duties and those of wellbeing for residents within the East Riding.

Contract 1. Independent Advocacy Services 2026

Supplier

- VoiceAbility

Contract value

- £1,197,625 excluding VAT
- £1,437,150 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Award decision date

10 December 2025

Date assessment summaries were sent to tenderers

10 December 2025

Standstill period

- End: 22 December 2025
- 9 working days

Earliest date the contract will be signed

9 January 2026

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 April 2026 to 1 April 2029
- Possible extension to 1 April 2031
- 5 years, 1 day

Description of possible extension:

two, 12 month extensions available

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

Contract locations

- UKE12 - East Riding of Yorkshire

Information about tenders

- 4 tenders received
- 4 tenders assessed in the final stage:
 - 4 submitted by small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

- 2 submitted by voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)
 - 1 supplier awarded contracts
 - 3 suppliers unsuccessful (details included for contracts over £5 million)
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Unsuccessful suppliers

- [Cloverleaf Advocacy 2000 Ltd](#)
 - [Empower Life Supported Living Limited](#)
 - [Hull and East Yorkshire MIND](#)
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Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Special regime

Light touch

Suppliers

Cloverleaf Advocacy 2000 Ltd

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PBTY-3237-JZYG

4th Floor Empire House

Dewsbury

WF12 8DJ

United Kingdom

Region: UKE44 - Calderdale and Kirklees

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): Yes

Empower Life Supported Living Limited

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PWWX-1892-GBTH

33r Ruby Lane

Sheffield

S20 5FH

United Kingdom

Region: UKE32 - Sheffield

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Hull and East Yorkshire MIND

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PPJP-1856-PHXD

108 Beverley Road

Hull

HU3 1YA

United Kingdom

Region: UKE11 - Kingston upon Hull, City of

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): Yes

VoiceAbility

- Companies House: 3798884

c/o Sayer Vincent

London

EC1Y 0TL

United Kingdom

Telephone: +44 7593525649

Email: sarah.ruby@voiceability.org

Region: UKI43 - Haringey and Islington

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

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Contracting authority

East Riding of Yorkshire Council

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Region: UKE12 - East Riding of Yorkshire

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government