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## Connect to Work

York and North Yorkshire Combined Authority

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## Scope

## Reference

104327

## Description

Connect to Work will support the wider development of locally planned systems to drive growth, working jointly with the United Kingdom Government. It will be an important strand in local plans to tackle inactivity and expand employment opportunity. By encouraging join up between health systems and employment support, Connect to Work will support those, primarily, currently outside the workforce and facing greater labour market disadvantages, to stay in work and get back into work. In turn, supporting the Government's ambition for a more inclusive economy, supporting local people to realise their potential and supporting local and national growth. This marks an important first step towards the future devolution of employment support.

## **Lot 1. Lot 1, IPS North Yorkshire**

### **Description**

LOT1: - IPS North Yorkshire

Total participants: 1,346

Total out of work participants: 1,144

Total in work participants: 202

Allocated funding (these figures are per lot and INC VAT as well as the possible 12 month extension. See previous page for total contract value inc VAT): £5,061,600

Participant pot: £67,300

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## **Lot 2. LOT2: IPS York**

### **Description**

LOT2: IPS York

Total participants: 190

Total out of work participants: 162

Total in work participants: 28

Allocated funding (these figures are per lot and INC VAT as well as the possible 12 month extension. See previous page for total contract value inc VAT): £714,780

Participant pot: £9,500

## **Contract 1. Connect to Work - Lot 1**

### **Lots**

Lot 1. Lot 1, IPS North Yorkshire

### **Supplier**

- INGEUS UK LIMITED

### **Contract value**

- £5,061,600 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

### **Award decision date**

11 December 2025

### **Date assessment summaries were sent to tenderers**

11 December 2025

## **Standstill period**

- End: 22 December 2025
- 8 working days

## **Earliest date the contract will be signed**

5 January 2026

## **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 12 January 2026 to 12 January 2026
- Possible extension to 11 January 2031
- 5 years

Description of possible extension:

12 month extension available for both Lot 1 and Lot 2.

## **Main procurement category**

Services

## **CPV classifications**

- 79400000 - Business and management consultancy and related services

## **Contract locations**

- UKE2 - North Yorkshire

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## **Contract 2. Connect to Work - Lot 2**

### **Lots**

Lot 2. LOT2: IPS York

### **Supplier**

- BETTER CONNECT LIMITED

### **Contract value**

- £714,780 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

### **Award decision date**

11 December 2025

### **Date assessment summaries were sent to tenderers**

11 December 2025

### **Standstill period**

- End: 22 December 2025
- 8 working days

## **Earliest date the contract will be signed**

5 January 2026

## **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 12 January 2026 to 11 January 2030
- Possible extension to 10 January 2032
- 5 years, 11 months, 30 days

Description of possible extension:

12 month extension available for both Lot 1 and Lot 2.

## **Main procurement category**

Services

## **CPV classifications**

- 79400000 - Business and management consultancy and related services

## **Contract locations**

- UKE2 - North Yorkshire

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## Information about tenders

### **Lot 1. Lot 1, IPS North Yorkshire**

- 3 tenders received
- 3 tenders assessed in the final stage:
  - 2 submitted by small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
  - 0 submitted by voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)
- 1 supplier awarded contracts
- 2 suppliers unsuccessful (details included for contracts over £5 million)

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### **Unsuccessful suppliers**

- [BETTER CONNECT LIMITED](#)
- [TRIAGE CENTRAL LIMITED](#)

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### **Lot 2. LOT2: IPS York**

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

### Procedure type

Open procedure

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## Suppliers

### BETTER CONNECT LIMITED

- Companies House: 06378727
- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PLJV-3788-QQPH

Chain Lane Community Centre

Knaresborough

HG5 0AS

United Kingdom

Email: [info@betterconnect.org.uk](mailto:info@betterconnect.org.uk)

Website: <https://betterconnect.org.uk/>

Region: UKE22 - North Yorkshire CC

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

Contract 2. Connect to Work - Lot 2

**INGEUS UK LIMITED**

- Companies House: 04320853
- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PQWB-9993-TBMX

Second Floor, 66-68 East Smithfield

London

E1W 1AW

United Kingdom

Email: [trackers@ingeus.co.uk](mailto:trackers@ingeus.co.uk)

Website: <http://ingeus.co.uk>

Region: UKI42 - Tower Hamlets

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

Contract 1. Connect to Work - Lot 1

**TRIAGE CENTRAL LIMITED**

- Companies House: SC186908

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PGYR-4561-XQMT

Earlsgate House

Stirling

FK8 2HE

United Kingdom

Website: <http://www.triage.net>

Region: UKM77 - Perth & Kinross and Stirling

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

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## Contracting authority

### **York and North Yorkshire Combined Authority**

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PMGQ-6583-JYGR

County Hall, Racecourse Lane

Northallerton

DL7 8AD

United Kingdom

Contact name: Chloe Wilcox

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Region: UKE22 - North Yorkshire CC

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government