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Planning

Young People's Housing Support linked to Short Term Accommodation with Emergency Provision

Cumberland Council

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Changes to notice

This notice has been edited. The [previous version](#) is still available.

Date for the market engagement session changed.

Scope

Description

Cumberland Council is commissioning a replacement for two contracts which end 31st March 2026:

- Provision of Emergency Temporary Accommodation Service for Young People aged 16-24
- Housing Support linked to Short Term Accommodation for Young People

It is envisioned that the new contract will start 1st April 2026. As part of the Commissioning process the Council is keen to hear the views Providers of Housing who can deliver housing related support, who are interested in delivering services within Cumberland.

Total value (estimated)

- £588,398.73 excluding VAT
- £706,078.48 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 April 2026 to 31 March 2027
- Possible extension to 28 February 2028
- 1 year, 10 months, 28 days

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 85311000 - Social work services with accommodation

Contract locations

- UKD1 - Cumbria

Engagement

Engagement deadline

6 January 2026

Engagement process description

To start the engagement process, the Council would welcome feedback within this short survey that can be accessed in the link below:

<https://forms.office.com/e/6bHU72Rw3p>

Provider Engagement Session

6th January 2026 1pm-3pm via MS teams, the link can be obtained via <https://www.the-chest.org.uk/>

Participation

Particular suitability

- Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

- Voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)

Procedure

Special regime

Light touch

Contracting authority

Cumberland Council

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