

Salisbury Managed Procurement Services

Guide to Public Sector Education Procurements

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Background

Since the inception of the Apprenticeship Levy, the Salisbury Managed Procurement Services team at Salisbury NHS Foundation Trust have delivered a range of support for employers to increase their uptake of Apprenticeships. This provides a range of local, regional and national support services including the procurement of apprenticeship providers, the management of apprenticeship provider quality and engagement, and the contracting process, all of which have delivered considerable savings for employers in terms of reducing procurement cost, and also in launching a number of innovative delivery programmes for apprenticeships to support both small and large professions.

In addition to partnerships with NHS England and the NHS Leadership Academy, Salisbury frequently work in partnership with professional bodies, and NHS trusts, STPs / ICSs, and wider regional systems, as well as strategic organisations such as London Councils, the Association of Directors of Social Services, the Ambulance Chief Executives Association, UK Health Security Agency, and non health / social care bodies such as the Financial Conduct Authority.

Salisbury also partner with other organisations for the delivery of wider programmes, as well as working outside education in areas such as energy, professional services and commercial retail.

Salisbury NHS Foundation Trust are therefore a Contracting Authority within the meaning of the Public Contract Regulations 2015, and are able to make our procurements available to other public organisations listed in the relevant section of this document.

Meet the Team



Simon Dennis, Head of Commercial
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Simon heads Salisbury's Commercial team, working with external customers and Trust stakeholders key areas:

Salisbury Managed Procurement Services is the Trust's external brand, supporting over 800 customer organisations to manage £600m of value, including NHS, local authority, police services, and central government

nationally.

As well as Education Services, Salisbury develop renewable energy and net zero solutions including solar farms and geothermal energy for client organisations. Simon is also a Trustee of **The Carbon & Energy Fund** which works nationally to procure, fund, develop and operate energy solutions across the public sector.

Simon also manages the Trust's **concession operations** to maximise Trust income from commercial opportunities and supporting across the Trust with our owned intellectual property and innovations both to develop new markets and manage the IP attached to a wide range of medical and other devices.



Evie Chalk, Commercial Client Manager
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Evie looks after our 500 plus Managed Procurement Services client organisations and over 300 suppliers, managing the contract and ordering process along with supporting enquiries from all our partners.

SMPS handles over 100 tenders, 3000 plus customer contract orders, and hundreds of employer enquiries every year, with Evie managing first contact enquiries, supporting our external customers, and ensuring the frameworks and specialist procurements operate smoothly as well as

helping the business to continue its current growth. Evie's nursing training, customer service skills and friendly approach ensure Salisbury's specialist knowledge continues to enable those we work with to navigate a complex area easily.

General enquiries can also be directed to our shared inbox, sft.commercial@nhs.net

We recommend employers join our FutureNHS Workspace (also open to non NHS organisations) located at <https://future.nhs.uk/SalisburyApprenticeshipEE> which contains current guides and listings, providers' framework response information, and ordering forms/guides. Employers experiencing issues with registering should email sft.commercial@nhs.net for an invitation.

[Our Commitment to Buying Organisations](#)

We operate a standard Service Level Matrix for both Buying Organisations (employers) and Suppliers as follows :

Initial response to enquiry email	Two working days from receipt
Initial response to emails marked "Urgent"	One working day from receipt
Issue of orders to Suppliers (via Docusign)	Ten working days from receipt of order (where order submitted correctly)
Error correction (where Salisbury error)	One working day from receipt

[Procurement Levels and how to use](#)

Salisbury's Education Procurements work on two distinct levels – **a general Apprenticeship framework**, onto which any provider meeting the minimum criteria can list all the programmes they run. This is updated twice yearly for new providers to join, and for new standards to be added. Due to the way new standards are approved / released by Skills England, in some cases there will be a short delay between a standard being released for delivery, and provision showing on the Framework. Employers can either direct award via the Salisbury ordering / call off process, or Salisbury will run a further competition against the employers' criteria. Whilst we list the names of the training providers in the first part of this guide, due to the number of standards a separate Excel sheet is available from Salisbury detailing providers available by apprenticeship standard.

[Higher Level Procurements](#)

Higher Level Procurements are where Salisbury have worked with partner organisations, such as NHS England or employer groups, to set a more stringent awarding criteria for providers. These are typically profession specific, have asked in depth questions about quality, delivery, and added value available to employers. These include national further competitions as well as regional procurements and those aimed at enabling provision for smaller professions. As with the general framework, employers can either direct award via Salisbury, or a further competition can be run against specific additional questions. Providers' bid responses for higher levels procurements are available from the FutureNHS Workspace.

Higher Level Procurements are listed in the second section of this guide, and should be referred to first before looking for providers for those standards on the main framework.

External Resources ([click on titles to access webpages](#))

The IfATE website is a complete listing of all apprenticeships, able to be searched, or filtered by route, level, standard name, keyword or standard number.

Please note if using the “Find a Provider” function on this website, this does not mean the provider is on the framework, and is not an exhaustive list of those providing the standard concerned.

HASO (Healthcare Apprenticeship Standards Online) is a resource for NHS and social care employers, with guides to starting apprentices, case studies, career routes, and much more!

The NHS Leadership Academy - Salisbury work alongside the NHS Leadership Academy to enable the inclusion of various NHS LA programme content within apprenticeships. Programmes from these providers can be ordered in the normal way via Salisbury, however please ensure the content title (e.g. Mary Seacole) is listed in the “Pathways” section of the order form.

The **Apprenticeship Funding Rules** are set by the Education & Skills Funding Agency and vary according to the year of the apprentice’s enrolment

Ofsted Reports for providers can be viewed on the Ofsted website, and you can set regular searches to be informed of changes to providers’ status direct to your inbox

Accessing Providers

Employers wishing to access providers should request Provider Contact details and original bid packs from Salisbury by emailing sft.commercial@nhs.net . Salisbury will then issue a URN Request form – this acts as the Order Form which the employer should complete and return to Salisbury, who will then issue the appropriate contract to the Provider. **It is important that employers follow this process in order to be fully protected by NHS Contracts which include the Providers’ bid responses and commitments**, and to ensure compliance with both their internal procurement requirements and PCR2015. Providers are all told not to issue contract paperwork direct to employers, if they do this please return them and notify Salisbury. The call off / contracting flowchart is included at the end of this Guide. Employers can either direct award via the framework, run their own further competition, or Salisbury can run that process for employers using the employer’s own selection criteria. Salisbury do not specify the criteria for direct awards.

Why order through Salisbury Managed Procurement Services?

Please also see the ordering flowchart at the end of this Guide.

- The only specialist health education procurement service
- A service from the NHS, for the NHS (and other partners)
- Higher level competitions are the only national procurements evaluated by system partners, subject matter experts, and employers
- No cost to employers at any time
- No need to employers to conduct expensive and lengthy local procurements – fully managed service where a further competition is requested by employers
- Regularly updated for new standards and providers to join, and fully compliant with Public Contract Regulations

- Stringent entry thresholds and checks on providers to ensure high quality training delivery
- Streamlined, easy process – but don't just take our word for that :

“The procurement process with you guys has taken so much stress out of our daily lives, you wouldn't believe it. If you ever need a testimony for other Trusts please, please don't hesitate to get in touch. I no longer have sleepless nights about procurement thanks to this! “ (Hull University Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust)

“It's your expertise that is so brilliant, and the work that you do to get the best terms for the NHS Trusts. Everything is so efficient. That's why we want to use your Team as much as possible!” NHS Trust, South East England

*“You're the only procurement service I like working with!
As the old marketing slogan said... “If Carlsberg did...” procurement – then it would be as good as you!” Middlesex University*

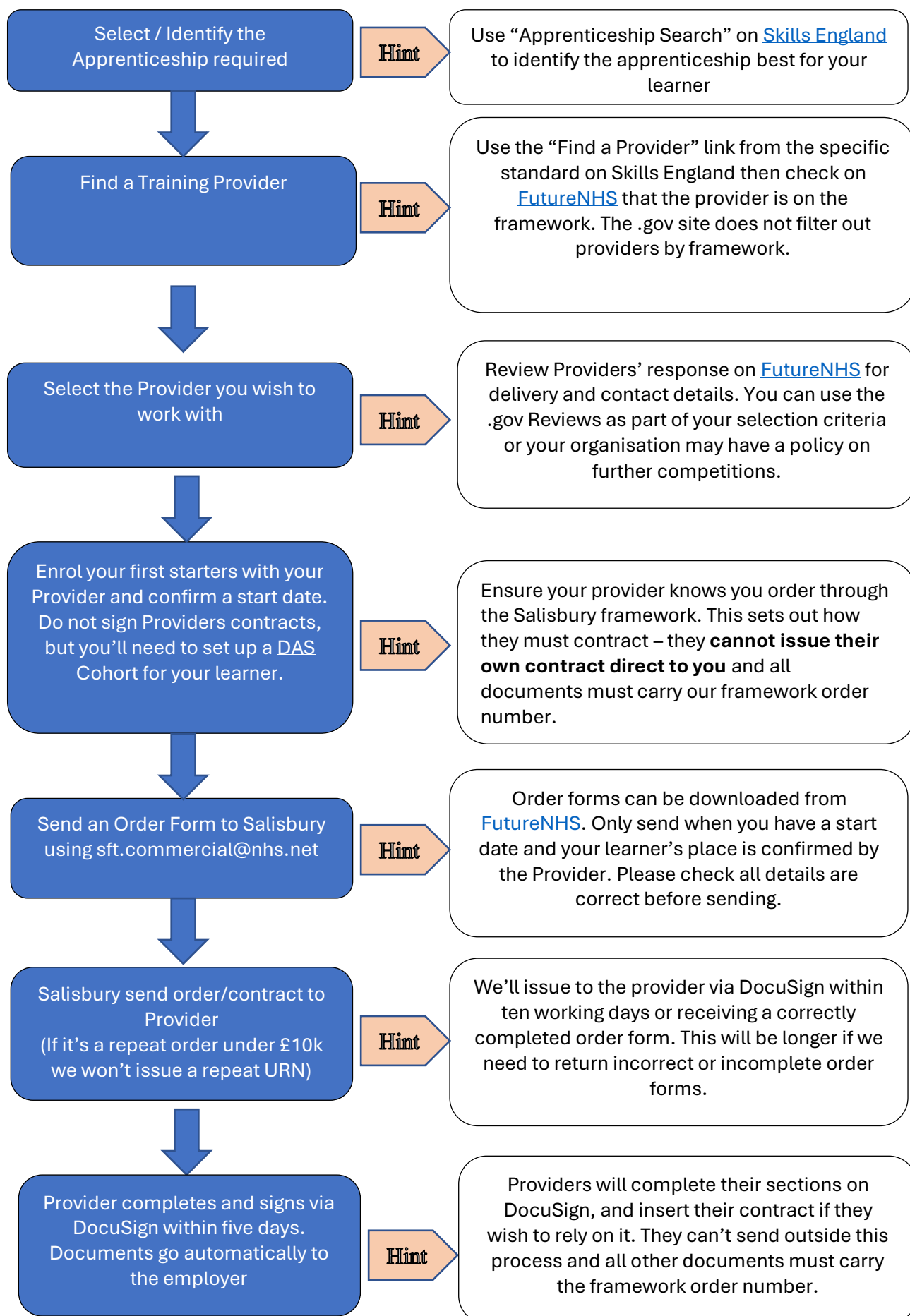
- The URN (Framework Order) process is your protection that the correct and current contract is being used for your providers and gives you compliance with the Public Contract Regulations, and DHSC contract requirements for NHS organisations.
- Please complete the order form and send to Salisbury when you know the number of learners who will be enrolling
- This includes commitments to free resits / retakes, protection from penalty charges, and ensures providers' commitments on national procurements are included within the contract
- Salisbury will automatically check most current contract version is in place but cannot do that without a URN form for enrolments

Framework Provider Selection Criteria

In order to be accepted onto this Framework, providers have had to demonstrate / agree the following :

- Registration on the ESFA Apprenticeship Provider and Assessment Register,
- Where an Ofsted visit / full report has been issued, this must be Grade 1 or Grade 2 relating to both the overall outcome and apprenticeship delivery,
- Where an Ofsted Monitoring Visit / Report has been issued, this must show Significant Progress or Reasonable Progress across all reported areas, and cannot include any finding of Insufficient Progress or less for any delivery area,
- Organisations without an Ofsted visit / report must provide evidence of learner success rates above the national average for apprenticeships (across all courses).
- Must provide within the Levy funding band, one resit for every exam, assessment or module and one resit at EPA for each learner
- Must not require additional entry criteria to that listed in the Standard

Please note providers may be removed where their Ofsted rating subsequently falls below the above criteria.



Employer Provider Selection Criteria

The framework allows for Direct Award by employers (buying organisations) in the following circumstances :

Provider Scenario	Direct Award Permissible	Further Competition Required
Only one provider on Framework for the required standard	Yes	No
Face to face delivery required, only one provider offering in employer's region	Yes	No
Online delivery required, only one provider on Framework	Yes	No
Multiple providers on framework, only one meets employer's set criteria (e.g. Ofsted Grade 1, success rates above required percentage, etc) which must be disclosed to suppliers	Yes	No
Multiple providers on framework offering same delivery method	No	Yes

- The provider listed is the only provider on the framework offering the required Apprenticeship (based on provider's framework listing submissions), or the only provider already selected by a Higher Level (further competition) procurement and listed in that Profession Specific guide, or
- Where the employer requires face to face delivery, the provider is the only one on the framework listing the relevant Delivery Region, or
- Where the employer has a set reasonable travel distance for learners, the provider is the only provider on the framework meeting that distance criteria (which should be transparent and the rationale clear for selecting the distance), or
- Where the employer has selected a reasonable first threshold (for example, Ofsted rating or Apprenticeship Success rate), the provider is the only provider on the framework meeting that criteria. Such criteria must be transparent and may not be set so as to exclude or disadvantage other suppliers.
- The rationale for any direct award must be open and transparent, and must be within the Standing Financial Instructions / Procurement Rules of the buying organisation.

Where the above criteria are not met, a Further Competition will need to be conducted involving all providers on the framework who (a) meet the regional delivery requirements in which the buying organisation is based, and (b) all providers listing national delivery of the apprenticeship. This process can be supported / managed by Salisbury, and must be compliant with the Public Contract Regulations 2015, Section 33, Regulation 8(b).

Buying Organisation Reminder – Public Contract Regulations 2015

Buying organisations and suppliers are reminded that at all times the liability for the selection decisions of the buying organisation rests with that organisation, and at no time shall Salisbury NHSFT be liable for any consequences arising from those decisions. Buying organisations must publish their award decisions within 30 days in line with the Public Contract Regulations 2015.

Guidance regarding award of contracts under framework agreements, as per the [Public Contract Regulations 2015](#)

- When the terms of a framework agreement are not precise enough to directly award a contract under Regulation 33(7) or 33(8)(a), the Buyer must run a further competition, as per Regulation 33(8)(b) or 33(8)(c).
- When the terms of a framework agreement are precise enough to directly award a contract, the Buyer must award the contract to the top ranked supplier in accordance with the assessment of award criteria when the framework agreement was established, or in accordance with any pre-prescribed rules (call-off protocol) regarding the use of catalogues, or reassessment of award criteria based on requirements configuration variations.
For further information about awarding contracts under our frameworks please contact sft.commercial@nhs.net
- Procurement Act 2023 – Please note that as a Framework already “in flight” at the time of the new Procurement Act, this Framework will continue under PCR 2015 as its legal regime, and not the Procurement Act. If you are not ordering through the Framework, you must ensure your provider selection method meets the Procurement Act 2023 requirements.

Framework Providers Available

Due to the number of changes to Suppliers on the framework (e.g. Ofsted suspensions), please always check the most recent Guide / List, located at <https://future.nhs.uk/SalisburyApprenticeshipEF> which is open to any employer, not only those within the NHS. You will be requested to register, this is to prevent Suppliers from accessing information only available to Employers.

ESFA UKPRN	Provider	Status	Last Response
1000005	ABINGDON & WITNEY COLLEGE	Live	Oct-24
10000061	ACACIA TRAINING LIMITED	Live	Apr-23
10010584	ACCESS TRAINING (EAST MIDLANDS) LTD	Live	Apr-23
10042735	ACCOUNTANCY LEARNING LTD	Live	Apr-24
10000099	ACHIEVEMENT TRAINING LIMITED	Live	Oct-24
10004927	ACTIVATE LEARNING	Live	Oct-24
10057981	ADA NATIONAL COLLEGE FOR DIGITAL SKILLS	Live	Apr-23
10043865	ADALTA DEVELOPMENT LTD	Live	Apr-23
10034128	ALWAYS CONSULT LTD T/A Always Consult	Live	Apr-23
10000291	Anglia Ruskin University	Live	Oct-24
10064562	APA PROCUREMENT TRAINING LIMITED	Live	Apr-24
10063272	APPRENTIFY LIMITED	Live	Apr-23
10005451	ARDEN UNIVERSITY LIMITED T/A Arden University	Live	Apr-24
10068438	ART PROVIDERS LTD	Live	Apr-23
10000421	ASPIRATION TRAINING LIMITED	Live	Feb-25
10007759	ASTON UNIVERSITY	Live	Oct-23
10000473	AYLESBURY COLLEGE T/A Buckinghamshire College Group	Live	Apr-24
10003979	AZESTA LIMITED	Live	Feb-25
10000494	BABINGTON BUSINESS COLLEGE LIMITED	Live	Oct-23
10019026	BALTIC TRAINING SERVICES LIMITED T/A Baltic Training Services	Live	Oct-24
10063578	BARKING, HAVERING AND REDBRIDGE UNIVERSITY HOSPITALS NHS TRUST	Live	Apr-24
10000533	BARNET & SOUTHGATE COLLEGE	Live	Apr-23
10000536	BARNSLEY COLLEGE	Live	Apr-23
10000560	BASINGSTOKE COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY	Live	Oct-24

10000610	BEDFORD COLLEGE	Live	Apr-24
10045955	BESPOKE PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND TRAINING LIMITED T/A BePro	Live	Feb-25
10007140	BIRMINGHAM CITY UNIVERSITY	Live	Apr-24
10039958	BIRMINGHAM COMMUNITY HEALTHCARE NHS FOUNDATION TRUST T/A Birmingham Community NHS Trust	Live	Apr-24
10006442	BIRMINGHAM METROPOLITAN COLLEGE	Live	Apr-24
10007811	Bishop Grosseteste University	Live	Feb-25
10000747	BLACKBURN COLLEGE	Live	Apr-24
10000754	BLACKPOOL AND THE FYLDE COLLEGE	Live	Oct-24
10024790	BLUE SCREEN IT LIMITED	Live	Apr-23
10000794	BOLTON COLLEGE	Live	Feb-25
10044607	BOOM TRAINING LIMITED T/A Boom Training	Live	Apr-24
10000820	BOURNEMOUTH AND POOLE COLLEGE, THE T/A The Bournemouth and Poole College	Live	Apr-23
10000824	BOURNEMOUTH UNIVERSITY	Live	Apr-24
10034212	BPIF TRAINING LIMITED	Live	Feb-25
10029952	BPP PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION LIMITED	Live	Apr-24
10031982	BPP UNIVERSITY LIMITED	Live	Apr-24
10000840	BRADFORD COLLEGE	Live	Apr-24
10000878	BRIDGWATER AND TAUNTON COLLEGE	Live	Apr-24
10033710	BRIGHT DIRECTION TRAINING LIMITED	Live	Apr-23
10000961	BRUNEL UNIVERSITY LONDON	Live	Apr-24
10000976	BUCKINGHAMSHIRE COUNCIL	Live	Oct-24
10000975	BUCKINGHAMSHIRE NEW UNIVERSITY	Live	Apr-24
10001000	BURNLEY COLLEGE	Live	Oct-24
10013570	BUTTERCUPS TRAINING LIMITED	Live	Oct-24
10001515	C.M.S. VOCATIONAL TRAINING LIMITED	Live	Apr-24
10019065	CALEX UK LTD	Live	Feb-25
10001113	CAMBRIDGE MARKETING COLLEGE LIMITED	Live	Feb-25
10001116	CAMBRIDGE REGIONAL COLLEGE	Live	Apr-23
10063309	CAMBRIDGE SPARK LIMITED	Live	Apr-24
10001143	CANTERBURY CHRIST CHURCH UNIVERSITY	Live	Apr-24
10024015	CAPELLA ASSOCIATES LTD	Live	Apr-24
10030870	CAPTIVA LEARNING LIMITED	Live	Apr-23
10008155	CENTRAL YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION	Live	Oct-24
10001353	CHELMSFORD COLLEGE	Live	Apr-23

10045070	CHERITH SIMMONS LEARNING & DEVELOPMENT LLP	Live	Oct-24
10001378	CHESTERFIELD COLLEGE	Live	Apr-24
10007817	CHICHESTER COLLEGE GROUP	Live	Oct-24
10037909	CHOICE TRAINING LTD.	Live	Oct-24
10024320	CHRYOS H.R. SOLUTIONS LIMITED	Live	Apr-23
10003252	CILEX LAW SCHOOL LIMITED T/A CILEx Law School	Live	Oct-24
10004772	CITY COLLEGE NORWICH	Live	Oct-24
10005128	CITY COLLEGE PLYMOUTH	Live	Oct-24
10001467	CITY OF BRISTOL COLLEGE	Live	Apr-23
10001478	CITY ST GEORGE'S, UNIVERSITY OF LONDON	Live	Apr-24
10083283	CLEAR QUALITY LIMITED	Live	Oct-23
10001535	COLCHESTER INSTITUTE	Live	Apr-24
10088215	COMMUNITY MATTERS LTD.	Live	Oct-23
10045505	COMPLETE SKILLS SOLUTIONS LIMITED T/A Innovative Alliance LTD	Live	Apr-23
10044008	CORDIE LTD	Live	Oct-23
10061407	CORNDEL LIMITED	Live	Oct-24
10007063	Cornwall SCITT	Live	Apr-23
10001309	COVENTRY AND WARWICKSHIRE CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE TRAINING LIMITED T/A Coventry & Warwickshire Chamber Training	Live	Apr-24
10007822	CRANFIELD UNIVERSITY	Live	Apr-24
10034952	CROSBY MANAGEMENT TRAINING LTD T/A Crosby Management Training	Live	Apr-24
10063438	CSA (SERVICES) LTD T/A CSA	Live	Feb-25
10034416	CSR SCIENTIFIC TRAINING LIMITED	Live	Apr-24
10001174	CT SKILLS LIMITED	Live	Oct-24
10091009	CU APPRENTICESHIPS (BETTER FUTURES) LIMITED T/A Better Futures Apprenticeships	Live	Apr-24
10001831	DAMAR LIMITED T/A Damar Training	Live	Apr-24
10001850	DARLINGTON COLLEGE	Live	Apr-24
10046149	DAVIES LEARNING SOLUTIONS LIMITED	Live	Apr-24
10001919	DCG T/A Derby College Group	Live	Sep-22
10001883	DE MONTFORT UNIVERSITY	Live	Apr-24
10035789	DENTRAIN PROFESSIONALS LTD	Live	Oct-24
10005109	DERBY BUSINESS COLLEGE LIMITED	Live	Apr-23
10001934	DERWENTSIDE COLLEGE	Live	Apr-24

10004695	DN COLLEGES GROUP T/A North Lindsey College	Live	Oct-24
10043208	DNA Awarding	Live	Feb-25
10023085	DOVE NEST MANAGEMENT TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT LIMITED T/A Dove Nest Group	Live	Apr-23
EPA0041	DSW LIMITED	Live	Feb-25
10007924	DUDLEY COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY	Live	Apr-24
10031984	DYNAMIC TRAINING UK LIMITED	Live	Oct-23
10041239	DYNAMO HEALTHCARE TRAINING LTD	Live	Apr-23
10002078	E-TRAINING LIMITED	Live	Apr-24
10002111	EAST DURHAM COLLEGE	Live	Apr-24
10002923	EAST SUSSEX COLLEGE GROUP	Live	Apr-23
10007823	EDGE HILL UNIVERSITY	Live	Apr-24
10006570	EKC GROUP	Live	Apr-24
10041891	EMA TRAINING LIMITED	Live	Oct-23
10032396	ENCOMPASS CONSULTANCY LIMITED T/A Encompass Consultancy	Live	Apr-24
10094224	EPA 4 Health	Live	Apr-24
10002327	ESSEX COUNTY COUNCIL T/A Adult Community Learning Essex	Live	Apr-23
10023516	ESSEX PARTNERSHIP UNIVERSITY NHS FOUNDATION TRUST T/A EPUT	Live	Apr-24
10048177	ESTIO TRAINING LIMITED	Live	Apr-24
10091766	ESTU GLOBAL LTD	Live	Oct-24
10002370	EXETER COLLEGE	Live	Apr-23
10030206	Explosive Learning Solutions Ltd	Live	Oct-24
10002407	FAREPORT TRAINING ORGANISATION LIMITED	Live	Apr-24
10052863	FE BUSINESS LIMITED	Live	Oct-23
10010335	FIREBRAND TRAINING LIMITED	Live	Apr-24
10062042	FIRST INTUITION BRISTOL LIMITED	Live	Apr-23
10030926	FIRST INTUITION CAMBRIDGE LIMITED T/A First Intuition	Live	Apr-24
10042003	FIRST INTUITION CHELMSFORD LIMITED	Live	Apr-24
10056738	FIRST INTUITION LIMITED	Live	Apr-24
10040718	FIRST INTUITION SOUTH LIMITED	Live	Feb-25
10027599	FLOORTRAIN (GB) LIMITED	Live	Apr-24
10022681	Future (Awards and Qualifications) Ltd	Live	Oct-24
10002639	GATESHEAD COUNCIL T/A LearningSkills	Live	Apr-24
10039882	GI GROUP RECRUITMENT LTD	Live	Apr-24

10048380	GINGER NUT MEDIA LIMITED T/A Ginger Nut Training	Live	Oct-24
10002696	GLOUCESTERSHIRE COLLEGE	Live	Apr-23
10046997	GLP TRAINING LTD	Live	Oct-24
10021650	GREENDALE LIMITED T/A ECTA	Live	Feb-25
10033815	GREY SEAL ACADEMY LIMITED	Live	Oct-24
10011147	GUY'S AND ST THOMAS' NHS FOUNDATION TRUST	Live	Apr-23
10002841	HADDON TRAINING LIMITED	Live	Apr-24
10037685	HAMPSHIRE HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST	Live	Apr-23
10002888	HAPPY COMPUTERS LIMITED	Live	Apr-24
10002899	HARLOW COLLEGE	Live	Apr-23
10002917	HARTLEPOOL COLLEGE OF FURTHER EDUCATION	Live	Apr-23
10009600	HAWK MANAGEMENT (UK) LIMITED	Live	Apr-24
10037401	HCRG CARE SERVICES LTD T/A The Learning Enterprise	Live	Apr-23
10000163	HEALTH SCIENCES UNIVERSITY T/A AECC University College	Live	Apr-23
10002976	HEART OF ENGLAND TRAINING LIMITED	Live	Oct-23
10007977	HEART OF WORCESTERSHIRE COLLEGE	Live	Feb-25
10003026	HEREFORDSHIRE AND WORCESTERSHIRE GROUP TRAINING ASSOCIATION LIMITED T/A Herefordshire & Worcestershire Group Training Association	Live	Feb-25
10003035	HERTFORD REGIONAL COLLEGE	Live	Oct-24
10012467	HIT TRAINING LTD T/A HIT Training	Live	Apr-24
10003146	HOPWOOD HALL COLLEGE	Live	Apr-24
10007193	HRUC (HARROW, RICHMOND AND UXBRIDGE COLLEGES) T/A HRUC (Harrow, Richmond & Uxbridge College)	Live	Apr-23
10055777	HTFT PARTNERSHIP LIMITED	Live	Oct-24
10003162	HTP APPRENTICESHIP COLLEGE LTD	Live	Apr-23
10044457	I & F LIMITED	Live	Feb-25
10018916	IMPACT FUTURES TRAINING LIMITED T/A Impact Futures	Live	Apr-23
10005077	INSPIRE EDUCATION GROUP T/A Peterborough College	Live	Feb-25
10037348	INSPIRO LEARNING LIMITED	Live	Oct-24

10003317	INSTEP UK LIMITED T/A Instep (UK) Limited	Live	Apr-24
10003347	INTEC BUSINESS COLLEGES LIMITED	Live	Feb-25
10062322	INTELLIGENCIA TRAINING LIMITED	Live	Oct-24
10062064	IODA LIMITED	Live	Apr-24
10003385	IPS INTERNATIONAL LIMITED	Live	Apr-24
10003406	ISLE OF WIGHT COLLEGE	Live	Feb-25
10001156	ITEC TRAINING SOLUTIONS LTD	Live	Oct-23
10033758	IXION HOLDINGS (CONTRACTS) LIMITED	Live	Apr-24
10042190	JANCETT CHILDCARE & JACE TRAINING LIMITED T/A JACE Training Ltd	Live	Oct-24
10056657	JC TRAINING & CONSULTANCY LTD	Live	Oct-24
10006710	JGA LIMITED T/A The JGA Group	Live	Apr-24
10003529	JUNIPER TRAINING LIMITED	Live	Oct-24
10034940	JUST IT TRAINING LIMITED	Live	Feb-25
10000446	KAPLAN FINANCIAL LIMITED T/A Kaplan Financial	Live	Apr-24
10007767	Keele University	Live	Apr-23
10003645	KING'S COLLEGE LONDON	Live	Apr-24
10003678	KINGSTON UNIVERSITY	Live	Apr-24
10003189	KIRKLEES COLLEGE	Live	Apr-24
10038982	KNOWLEDGEBRIEF LIMITED	Live	Apr-24
10011018	LANCASHIRE TEACHING HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST	Live	Apr-23
10031971	LDN APPRENTICESHIPS LTD T/A LDN Apprenticeships Ltd	Live	Apr-24
10088153	LEAN ENABLED GROUP LTD	Live	Oct-23
10008935	LEARNING CURVE GROUP LIMITED	Live	Apr-24
10003861	LEEDS BECKETT UNIVERSITY	Live	Apr-24
10003863	LEEDS TRINITY UNIVERSITY	Live	Oct-23
10003867	LEICESTER COLLEGE	Live	Apr-24
10040664	LET ME PLAY LIMITED T/A LMP Education	Live	Apr-23
10003915	LIFETIME TRAINING GROUP LIMITED	Live	Oct-24
10053869	LIGHTHOUSE (TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT) LTD	Live	Apr-23
10003956	LIVERPOOL HOPE UNIVERSITY	Live	Feb-25
10003957	LIVERPOOL JOHN MOORES UNIVERSITY	Live	Oct-23
10064332	LONDON METROPOLITAN COLLEGE LIMITED	Live	Apr-24
10004078	LONDON SOUTH BANK UNIVERSITY	Live	Apr-24
10024962	LUMINATE EDUCATION GROUP	Live	Apr-24

10041057	MAKERS ACADEMY LIMITED T/A Makers Academy Ltd	Live	Feb-25
10004180	MANCHESTER METROPOLITAN UNIVERSITY	Live	Apr-24
10065854	MANCHESTER UNIVERSITY NHS FOUNDATION TRUST	Live	Oct-23
10024124	MARR CORPORATION LIMITED T/A T2 Business Solutions	Live	Apr-24
10054216	MBKB LTD T/A MBKB Training & Development	Live	Apr-23
10023428	MEDIPRO LIMITED	Live	Apr-24
10026165	METADATA LIMITED T/A Metadata Training	Live	Apr-23
10004351	MIDDLESEX UNIVERSITY	Live	Apr-24
10005264	MILLBROOK MANAGEMENT SERVICES LIMITED T/A Prostart	Live	Apr-24
10055902	MULTIVERSE GROUP LIMITED	Live	Oct-24
10046315	NATIONWIDE ENERGY TRAINING SERVICES LTD	Live	Oct-23
10004599	NCG	Live	Oct-24
10004576	NEW COLLEGE DURHAM	Live	Apr-24
10004603	NEWCASTLE AND STAFFORD COLLEGES GROUP T/A Newcastle and Stafford Colleges Group (NSCG) / Axia Solutions Limited	Live	Apr-24
10004607	NEWHAM COLLEGE OF FURTHER EDUCATION	Live	Apr-23
10041332	NHS ENGLAND NORTH EAST AND YORKSHIRE	Live	Apr-23
10025909	NORTH BRISTOL NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE TRUST	Live	Feb-25
10004686	NORTH EAST SURREY COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY (NESCOT)	Live	Apr-24
10048199	NORTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY LONDON	Live	Oct-24
10013515	NORTHERN CARE TRAINING LIMITED T/A Northern Care Training	Live	Oct-24
10001282	Northumbria University	Live	Apr-24
10041486	NORTHWEST EDUCATION AND TRAINING LIMITED T/A Northwest Education And Training Ltd	Live	Oct-23
10004577	NOTTINGHAM COLLEGE	Live	Apr-23
10004797	NOTTINGHAM TRENT UNIVERSITY	Live	Apr-23
10022700	OPEN AWARDS	Live	Apr-24
10081890	ORTHODONTIC TEAM TRAINING LIMITED T/A Orthodontic Team Training	Live	Apr-24
10004930	OXFORD BROOKES UNIVERSITY	Live	Oct-24

10011880	P.T.P. TRAINING LIMITED T/A Performance Through People	Live	Apr-24
10004977	PARAGON EDUCATION & SKILLS LIMITED T/A Paragon	Live	Oct-23
10022490	Pearson Education Limited	Live	Oct-24
10038931	PENSHAW VIEW TRAINING LIMITED	Live	Apr-24
10040417	PIER TECHNOLOGY LTD T/A Pier Training	Live	Oct-24
10005126	PLYMOUTH CITY COUNCIL T/A On Course South West	Live	Oct-24
10061640	PMA LTD T/A PMA	Live	Apr-24
10005200	PRESTON COLLEGE T/A Preston's College	Live	Apr-24
10005204	PREVISTA LTD	Live	Oct-24
10065020	PROFESSIONAL APPRENTICESHIPS LTD	Live	Feb-25
10021391	PROFESSIONAL TRAINING SOLUTIONS LIMITED	Live	Oct-24
10022358	PROFOUND SERVICES LIMITED	Live	Oct-24
10082136	PROJECTING SUCCESS LTD T/A Projecting Success	Live	Apr-24
10083150	PURPLE BEARD LTD T/A Purple Beard Ltd	Live	Apr-24
10003375	QA LIMITED	Live	Apr-24
10027438	QUALITRAIN LIMITED	Live	Oct-24
10035908	Qualsafe Awards	Live	Apr-24
10007775	QUEEN MARY UNIVERSITY OF LONDON	Live	Oct-24
10034309	REALISE LEARNING AND EMPLOYMENT LIMITED	Live	Apr-23
10088273	REED LEARNING LIMITED	Live	Apr-24
10023047	REMIT GROUP LIMITED	Live	Apr-24
10024686	RESOURCES (N E) LIMITED	Live	Feb-25
10005457	REWARDS TRAINING RECRUITMENT CONSULTANCY LIMITED	Live	Apr-24
10036240	RICHMOND TRAINING ACADEMY LIMITED	Live	Oct-23
10002863	RIVERSIDE COLLEGE T/A Riverside College Halton	Live	Feb-25
10005488	RIVERSIDE TRAINING LIMITED	Live	Apr-23
10005534	RNN GROUP	Live	Oct-24
10007776	ROEHAMPTON UNIVERSITY	Live	Oct-24
10058083	ROYAL FREE LONDON NHS FOUNDATION TRUST	Live	Apr-24
10005575	RUNSHAW COLLEGE	Live	Apr-24
10036794	SCCU LTD	Live	Oct-24
10043208	SCL EDUCATION & TRAINING LTD	Live	Feb-25

10039259	SFJ Awards	Live	Apr-24
10005788	SHEFFIELD COLLEGE, THE	Live	Apr-23
10005790	SHEFFIELD HALLAM UNIVERSITY	Live	Apr-24
10005822	SHREWSBURY COLLEGES GROUP	Live	Apr-24
10005839	SIGTA LIMITED	Live	Apr-24
10082140	SKILLS OFFICE NETWORK LTD	Live	Apr-23
10062041	SKILLS4STEM LTD.	Live	Apr-23
10005927	SMART TRAINING AND RECRUITMENT LIMITED	Live	Oct-24
10006022	Solent University	Live	Apr-24
10042505	SOMERSET SKILLS & LEARNING CIC T/A SS&L	Live	Oct-23
10005977	South Devon College	Live	Apr-24
10036143	SOUTH GLOUCESTERSHIRE AND STROUD COLLEGE	Live	Apr-24
10007928	SOUTH HAMPSHIRE COLLEGE GROUP	Live	Apr-24
10032119	SOUTH WEST ASSOCIATION OF TRAINING PROVIDERS LIMITED	Live	Apr-24
10036350	SR SUPPLY CHAIN CONSULTANTS LTD	Live	Oct-24
10006299	STAFFORDSHIRE UNIVERSITY	Live	Apr-24
10018942	Steadfast End Point Assessments	Live	Apr-24
10006494	TAMESIDE COLLEGE	Live	Apr-23
10058007	TECHNICAL PROFESSIONALS LIMITED T/A LearnTech	Live	Apr-24
10007161	TEESSIDE UNIVERSITY	Live	Apr-24
10006549	TELFORD COLLEGE	Live	Apr-24
10006554	TEMP DENT DENTAL AGENCY LIMITED T/A Tempdent Dental Agency	Live	Oct-23
10008899	THE ASHRIDGE (BONAR LAW MEMORIAL) TRUST T/A Ashridge Management College	Live	Apr-23
10022788	THE CHILD CARE COMPANY (OLD WINDSOR) LIMITED T/A The Childcare Company	Live	Apr-23
10003955	THE CITY OF LIVERPOOL COLLEGE	Live	Apr-24
10020884	THE DEVELOPMENT MANAGER LTD T/A TDM	Live	Oct-24
10052437	THE EDUCATION AND SKILLS PARTNERSHIP LTD	Live	Apr-23
10006341	THE EDUCATION TRAINING COLLECTIVE	Live	Apr-23
10056839	THE EDUCATIONWISE ACADEMY LTD	Live	Apr-23
10056839	THE EDUCATIONWISE ACADEMY LTD	Live	Oct-24
10034037	THE EQUESTRIAN LEARNING ACADEMY LIMITED T/A The Equestrian Learning Academy	Live	Apr-23
10004177	THE GROWTH COMPANY LIMITED	Live	Feb-25

10022689	THE INSTITUTE OF REVENUES, RATING AND VALUATION	Live	Oct-23
10042593	THE LINK TRAINING ACADEMY LIMITED T/A The Link Training Academy	Live	Apr-24
10026397	THE NVQ TRAINING CENTRE LIMITED	Live	Apr-24
10082027	THE OCM GROUP LIMITED	Live	Oct-23
10007773	THE OPEN UNIVERSITY	Live	Apr-24
10055915	THE PRIME COLLEGE	Live	Apr-24
10039140	THE RECALVI ENTERPRISE LTD	Live	Apr-23
10005894	THE SKILLS PARTNERSHIP LIMITED	Live	Apr-23
10007850	THE UNIVERSITY OF BATH	Live	Apr-24
10006840	THE UNIVERSITY OF BIRMINGHAM T/A University of Birmingham	Live	Apr-24
10006841	THE UNIVERSITY OF BOLTON	Live	Apr-24
10000886	The University of Brighton	Live	Apr-24
10007137	THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICHESTER T/A University of Chichester	Live	Oct-24
10007842	THE UNIVERSITY OF CUMBRIA	Live	Oct-24
10007789	THE UNIVERSITY OF EAST ANGLIA	Live	Apr-24
10007791	THE UNIVERSITY OF ESSEX	Live	Apr-24
10007148	THE UNIVERSITY OF HUDDERSFIELD T/A University of Huddersfield	Live	Apr-24
10007149	THE UNIVERSITY OF HULL	Live	Oct-24
10007150	THE UNIVERSITY OF KENT	Live	Apr-24
10007795	THE UNIVERSITY OF LEEDS T/A University of Leeds	Live	Oct-23
10007796	THE UNIVERSITY OF LEICESTER T/A University of Leicester	Live	Apr-24
10007798	THE UNIVERSITY OF MANCHESTER T/A University of Manchester	Live	Apr-24
10007802	THE UNIVERSITY OF READING	Live	Oct-24
10007157	THE UNIVERSITY OF SHEFFIELD	Live	Apr-23
10007163	THE UNIVERSITY OF WARWICK	Live	Apr-23
10006566	THE UNIVERSITY OF WEST LONDON	Live	Apr-24
10007165	THE UNIVERSITY OF WESTMINSTER	Live	Apr-23
10007455	THE WKCIC GROUP T/A Capital City College Group	Live	Oct-23
10023538	TIRO TRAINING LTD	Live	Apr-24
10021755	TOTAL PEOPLE LIMITED	Live	Oct-24
10083799	TPC HEALTH LIMITED	Live	Feb-25

10002806	TQ EDUCATION AND TRAINING LIMITED	Live	Oct-24
10033640	TRAIN 2 TRAIN LIMITED T/A Train2Train	Live	Apr-23
10032052	TRAIN TOGETHER LIMITED	Live	Apr-24
10031093	TRAINING EVENT SAFETY SOLUTIONS LTD T/A The Tess Group	Live	Apr-24
10039242	TRS TRAINING LIMITED	Live	Feb-25
10025197	UNIVERSITY CENTRE QUAYSIDE LIMITED T/A University Centre Quayside (UCQ)	Live	Apr-24
10000712	UNIVERSITY COLLEGE BIRMINGHAM	Live	Apr-23
10007784	UNIVERSITY COLLEGE LONDON	Live	Apr-24
10022721	UNIVERSITY HOSPITALS OF LEICESTER NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE TRUST	Live	Apr-24
10007152	UNIVERSITY OF BEDFORDSHIRE	Live	Oct-24
10007141	UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL LANCASHIRE	Live	Aug-24
10007848	UNIVERSITY OF CHESTER	Live	Oct-23
10007851	UNIVERSITY OF DERBY	Live	Oct-24
10007144	University of East London	Live	Apr-23
10007792	UNIVERSITY OF EXETER	Live	Apr-24
10007145	UNIVERSITY OF GLOUCESTERSHIRE	Live	Apr-24
10007146	UNIVERSITY OF GREENWICH	Live	Apr-24
10007147	University of Hertfordshire Higher Education Corporation	Live	Oct-24
10007151	UNIVERSITY OF LINCOLN	Live	Apr-24
10007138	UNIVERSITY OF NORTHAMPTON, THE	Live	Aug-24
10007154	UNIVERSITY OF NOTTINGHAM, THE	Live	Apr-23
10007801	UNIVERSITY OF PLYMOUTH	Live	Apr-24
10007155	UNIVERSITY OF PORTSMOUTH	Live	Oct-24
10007156	University of Salford	Live	Apr-24
10007805	UNIVERSITY OF STRATHCLYDE	Live	Apr-24
10014001	University of Suffolk	Live	Apr-24
10007159	UNIVERSITY OF SUNDERLAND	Live	Apr-24
10007806	UNIVERSITY OF SUSSEX	Live	Oct-24
10007164	University of the West of England	Live	Apr-24
10003614	UNIVERSITY OF WINCHESTER	Live	Apr-24
10007166	University of Wolverhampton	Live	Feb-25
10007139	UNIVERSITY OF WORCESTER	Live	Apr-24
10007167	UNIVERSITY OF YORK	Live	Apr-24
10049233	VARSITY TRAINING LIMITED T/A Varsity Training	Live	Apr-24
10022592	VTCT Skillsfirst	Live	Oct-24

10064408	WALES ENGLAND CARE LTD T/A WE CARE	Live	Apr-24
10007315	WALSALL COLLEGE	Live	Apr-24
10007859	WARWICKSHIRE COLLEGE	Live	Apr-24
10007377	WEIR TRAINING LIMITED T/A Weir Training Ltd	Live	Apr-24
10007427	WEST NOTTINGHAMSHIRE COLLEGE T/A Vision West Nottinghamshire College	Live	Apr-24
10007431	WEST SUFFOLK COLLEGE	Live	Apr-24
10007459	WESTON COLLEGE OF FURTHER AND HIGHER EDUCATION T/A University Centre Weston	Live	Apr-24
10007469	WEYMOUTH COLLEGE	Live	Feb-25
10007500	WIGAN AND LEIGH COLLEGE	Live	Apr-23
10007527	WILTSHIRE COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY CENTRE	Live	Apr-24
10038165	WMC TRAINING LTD	Live	Feb-25
10037289	WORKPAYS LIMITED T/A Workpays	Live	Oct-23
10007696	YEOVIL COLLEGE	Live	Apr-24
10007709	YORK COLLEGE	Live	Feb-25
10007713	YORK ST JOHN UNIVERSITY	Live	Apr-23

Higher Level / Profession Specific Providers

Providers in this section have been awarded against more detailed criteria. There will be providers listed in this section who are not on the Level One framework – where this is the case, they are only awarded for the standards in this section, not their entire programme offering.

Corporate, Education, and Support Services Programmes

C1546.410 National - HR Standards mapped to NHS England People Profession Roadmap

NHS People Profession Apprenticeships

Employers Guide

The future of human resources and organisational development [report](#), published in November 2021, sets out a vision for the future of HR and OD in the NHS for 2030.

The report's recommendations inform an ambitious programme of work with key actions for NHS England, ICS's, employing organisations, Chief People Officers, and People Professionals - that will deliver on the workforce challenges and aspirations set out in the NHS Long Term Plan, People Plan and delivering on the 'People Promise' for the people who work in the NHS.

Supporting and developing the NHS People Profession is a key enabler to delivering this vision and, within that, apprenticeships have an important part to play. The report requires that "Organisation and ICS Chief People Officers, or equivalent, ensure that all people professionals have professional development plans aligned to the delivery priorities and have access to apprenticeship programmes to enable CIPD accreditation at all stages of the career journey."

To deliver these aims, NHS England has been working especially closely with CIPD and Health Education England. This partnership working has established a new delivery model for

NHS People Profession Apprenticeships that supports building the capabilities described in our [People Profession Roadmap](#)
Following an extensive procurement and Supplier verification process, 8 Suppliers have been approved to deliver NHS People Profession Apprenticeships aligned to the Map.

Training Provider	Apprenticeship Standards
Bespoke Professional Development	ST0239 HR Support Level 3 ST0238 HR Consultant partner ST0813 Senior People Professional (HR,L&D,OD Routes)
BPP Professional Education Ltd	ST0239 HR Support Level 3 ST0238 People Professional ST0813 Senior People Professional (HR,L&D,OD Routes)
MBKB Group Limited	ST0239 HR Support Level 3 ST0238 People Professional ST0813 Senior People Professional (HR,L&D,OD Routes)
Reed Learning (Watson Martin)	ST0239 HR Support Level 3 ST0238 People Professional ST0813 Senior People Professional (HR Route only)
The WKCIC Group	ST0239 HR Support Level 3 ST0238 People Professional
University of Keele	ST0813 Senior People Professional (HR Route only)

**C1546.432 National Procurement with NHS England
ST0830 Health and Care Intelligence Specialist**

The JGA Group Limited

National

Please note a dedicated resource area for this standard, and support available from NHS England, is located on Salisbury's Employer Resource Workspace at <https://future.nhs.uk/SalisburyApprenticeshipEE>
Employers unable to register/access direct should email sft.commercial@nhs.net to request.

Ordering Process

Employers should send the Order (URN) Form at the following point in enrolment:

- For Funding Band >£10k courses, when (a) the individual learner has a place offered, or (b) for multiple learners, when a cohort start date is confirmed by the provider
- For Funding Band <£10k, when (a) for rolling starts you have the first starter and know an approximate annual number, or (b) for one off courses when the provider has offered a place for the apprentice.

Even if you already have a contract with a provider, please update Salisbury with an order form for new starts unless a rolling annual number has been given as above. Some procurements time expire and this allows us to check the correct contract in place, and will allow the provider to quote the correct order number on their documents.

Please do not sign provider contracts / service agreements if they send them direct. They must be in the NHS framework contract only.

For other enrolment paperwork, such as ESFA compliant cost breakdown, Training Plans, etc, providers may send these direct but must quote the correct order number for that cohort issued to them by Salisbury.

Completing an Order

Employer Details

The organisation employing the apprentice. The Organisation name **MUST** match exactly the HMRC PAYE name on the employers Digital Apprenticeship Service account – do not abbreviate or shorten.

The Signatory name should be the person with authority to sign a contract between the employer and the training provider.

Salisbury NHSFT Managed Procurement Services URN/ Order Form - Apprenticeships Procurement

Employer Organisation Details Employer MUST complete

Organisation Full Legal Name: _____

Address: _____

Contact Name: _____

Signatory Name: _____

Signatory Email: _____

Education Provider Organisation Details Employer MUST complete

Organisation Full Legal Name: _____

Provider Address: _____

Do not complete – completed on Discussion when issued

Provider Contact Name: _____

Provider Contact Email: _____

Apprenticeship Details

Apprenticeship Standard Title	Funding Band Max	Estimated Number of Learners	Planned Learner Start Date (MM/YY)	URN Number	Allocated Date	New Contract or existing number	Framework or Higher Level (G) Not response

Signatures

Employer Signature: _____ Date: _____

Provider Signature: _____ Date: _____

Training Provider Details

This is the company, college or university providing the apprenticeship for your learner – not the apprentices' employer, or someone providing a placement. The name **MUST** match exactly to the Providers registration on the ESFA APAR register – this can be checked prior to completing by asking your provider, or by checking at <https://download.apprenticeships.education.gov.uk/apar>

The contact name should be the person who has confirmed your learner(s) have places. Please do not include the address.

Completing the Apprenticeship details

Standard number – this will always start ST and is the Skills England allocated number for the apprenticeship. This can be checked either with your training provider, or at <https://www.instituteforapprenticeships.org/apprenticeship-standards/> We will return automatically any forms with different content or left blank.

When to send an Order Form (URN request)

- **Order forms** can be downloaded from the Order Forms section on the FutureNHS Workspace - <https://future.nhs.uk/SalisburyApprenticeshipEF>
- **Once the places are confirmed** – please do not send ahead of having a start month confirmed by your provider, or before eligibility checks have been completed. For cohorts (more than one learner) please send once your provider has confirmed they

have capacity, if numbers change following that the supplier reports that to us on their annual return. The numbers on Order Forms are not contractual, and we don't amend issued forms for changes in number of learners, or start dates after that indicated on the form.

- **If you have never previously used the provider for the required standard** then please send an order form
- **If the Standard is Level 6 or Level 7** please always send an order form, even if you have enrolled learners previously under a framework contract
- **If the Standard is above £10,000 funding band** and even if you have enrolled learners previously, please send an order form.
- **You DON'T need to send an order form** if the standard's funding band is below £10k **and** it is a repeat enrolment – i.e. you have a previous framework order covering that standard.

When completed....

- Please send by email to sft.commercial@nhs.net – not to individuals within the team, this will delay processing and may lead to duplication.

When we receive it....

- We will allocate an order number within ten working days of receiving a correctly completed order form.

Eligibility

Salisbury's framework / procurements are designed to be accessible across the public sector and some other organisations (e.g. charitable and SPBs). The full listing as published with the Contract Notice are :

Framework Scope & Eligible Organisations

The Contracting Authority expressly reserved the right (i) not to award any contract as a result of the procurement process commenced by publication of this notice; and (ii) to make whatever changes it saw fit to the content and structure of the tendering competition; and in no circumstances will the Contracting Authority be liable for any costs incurred by the candidates. The awarding of a place on the Framework does not mean that there is any guarantee of subsequent contracts being awarded. Any expenditure, work or effort undertaken prior to contract award is accordingly a matter solely for the commercial judgement of potential suppliers. Any orders placed under this Framework will form a separate contract under the scope of this Framework between the supplier and the specific requesting other contracting body. The Contracting Authority and other contracting bodies utilising the Framework shall only use electronic portals during the life of the agreement. Any values that have been provided are only an estimate. We cannot guarantee to suppliers any business through this framework agreement.

The Framework has been established by Salisbury NHS Foundation Trust, for use by the following bodies (and any future successors to these organisations):

The following Contracting Authorities are entitled to place Orders:

Salisbury NHS Foundation Trust and all bodies listed below :

- [Central Government Departments](#), Executive Agencies, Arms Length Departmental Bodies and Public Corporations (Please note Central Government departments may be subject to Government Digital Service approval before using the Framework Agreement)
- [Local Authorities \(England and Wales\)](#)
- [National Parks Authorities](#)
- Educational Establishments in England and Wales, listed by the [Department for Education](#) including Schools, Universities and Colleges listed :
- Police Forces and Fire and Rescue Services listed by [His Majesty's Inspectorate of Constabulary and Fire & Rescue Services](#)
- NHS Bodies England :

[NHS Integrated Care Boards](#)

[NHS Provider Organisations](#)

Primary Care Practices listed by the [NHS Business Services Authority](#)

- [Hospices in the UK](#)
- [Registered Social Landlords \(Housing Associations\)](#)
- [Charities](#) registered within England and Wales
- [Citizens Advice](#) in the United Kingdom
- Any corporation established, or a group of individuals appointed to act together, for the specific purpose of meeting needs in the general interest, not having an industrial or commercial character, and (i) financed wholly or mainly by another contracting authority listed above in this section of this Framework Agreement;

(ii) subject to management supervision by another contracting authority listed above in this section of this Framework Agreement; or

(iii) more than half of the board of directors or members of which, or, in the case of a group of individuals, more than half of those individuals, are appointed by another contracting authority listed above in this section of this Framework Agreement

(iv) an association of or formed by one or more of the Contracting Authorities listed above in this section of this Framework Agreement

Entities which are not public sector bodies may also use the Framework Agreement if the Authority is satisfied that:

- such entity is calling-off goods and/or services directly, solely and exclusively in order to satisfy contractual obligations to one or more public sector bodies, all of which are entitled to use the Framework Agreement on their own account;
- all goods to be called-off by it are to be used directly, solely and exclusively to provide goods and/or services at sites occupied by such public sector body(ies); and
- it will pass the benefit of the call-off contract to such public sector body(ies) directly, in full and on a purely “pass-through” basis. Accordingly there must be no mark-up, management fee, service charge or any similar cost solely in relation to the supply of goods and/or services imposed on the relevant public sector body(ies), who must be able to benefit from the terms of the Framework Agreement in a like manner and to the same extent as if using the Framework Agreement on its/their own account.

Any ‘bodies governed by public law’ which under the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 means bodies that have all of the following characteristics

(a) they are established for the specific purpose of meeting needs in the general interest, not having an industrial or commercial character;

(b) they have legal personality; and

(c) they have any of the following characteristics:—

(i) they are financed, for the most part, by the State, regional or local authorities, or by other bodies governed by public law;

(ii) they are subject to management supervision by those authorities or bodies; or

(iii) they have an administrative, managerial or supervisory board, more than half of whose members are appointed by the State, regional or local authorities, or by other bodies governed by public law.

This Framework was launched as valid for four years, ending 23:59 on 31 March, 2025. Given the legislative changes around both Apprenticeships/Levy Funds, and the delay to the Procurement Act, we have utilised the two year extension period in the framework to run for new call-offs up to 31st March, 2027. As this is an extension period to existing framework contracts, new suppliers will not be able to apply/join during the extension period. We reserve the right to end this extension period early, and replace with a new Framework ahead of 2027 should legislative landscape clarity allow. Employers may enter into contracts which extend beyond the lifetime of the Framework – no maximum is set by the Framework for the length of that subsequent contract. All subsequent contracts under the Framework are non-exclusive and do not form a minimum financial commitment by the Contracting Authority(ies).