

Assessment Framework

We want to see a good balance between financial stability, good governance and capacity together with a strong service delivery plan.

The evaluation and weighting we will use to assess your application is detailed below.

Key theme	What we will be looking for	Score
Skills, capacity and leadership	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Governance – Are there adequate skills and experience from Trustees / Board and Management? • Are the staff appropriately skilled and trained? • Are there enough staff / personnel / volunteers to carry out the plans? • Are there appropriate safeguarding and recruitment policies and processes in place? 	20%
Financial sustainability	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • External credit rating • Financial Control rating • Realism of Projections - likelihood of failure over the next 4 years • Demonstration of how the organisation will generate external income over the next 4 years and success to date in bidding for external funds. 	30%
Past successes and transferability of that success to this stream, if applicable	<p>Demonstrates direct experience and success in this field and/or if have related experience and success in another area the applicant has demonstrated how well they can adapt to the funding stream outcomes applied for.</p> <p>OR</p> <p>If there is a compulsory need to be experienced in the field, e.g. Children’s Services, has it been met?</p>	10%

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Strength of service proposal to achieve desired outcomes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How clearly has the proposal addressed the outcomes in the service outline? • Are we seeing evidence that the proposal is linking to the relevant Council priorities and strategies? • How innovative and ‘outside the box’ is the thinking – are they open / flexible to ideas? • Is there a clear plan of how the outcomes will be achieved over the 4 years? • Demonstrates that the funding asked for is evidenced by needs of the population. • Demonstrates clear knowledge and understanding of the relevant service user groups within a Greenwich context • Does the proposal demonstrate empowering service users, co-producing and evaluating services with them? • Is there a clear plan for working with volunteers? • How well does the proposal embrace joint working and/or partnering with others? • How is the organisation / proposal manifesting equality? Are they embracing those who are vulnerable and those covered by the Protected Characteristics? • How does the proposal show how the organisation intends to communicate with residents / users of their service? Are they using novel / innovative means such as digital platforms? • How well does the proposal show the organisation identifies needs early and connects people with each other, and with services that support their client group(s)? • How does the proposal address Social Value? • Is there a commitment to utilise Live Well Greenwich as a referral pathway, where relevant? • Does the proposal show how the organisation will utilise other resources they have available, 	40%

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	<p>e.g. digital and premises, to achieve the outcomes?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Will the data monitoring tools tell us clearly how the organisation is performing and highlight opportunities to learn? <p>Bearing the above in mind, does the organisation have the potential to work with the Council to work towards delivering the outcomes we are funding it for?</p>	

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