Decision taken

Made by an Executive Member or Chief Officer



Notice of Decision Made

Decision maker	Executive Director of Adult Services
Date of decision	1 April 2020
What is the decision?	Extension of the block contract with Potens for the period of 1/4/20 -31/3/21; as part of the Adults Contract Framework Extension. This contract covers the cost of 14 beds, all of which are supported accommodation
Reasons for the decision (but excluding any exempt or confidential information)	The current contract expired on 31st March 2020. The contract was in the process of being reviewed, however, due to current pandemic; Covid 19 this process was put on hold, hence agreement was given for this to be extended for a further 12 months to 31st March 2021
Alternatives considered and rejected	None
Name of Executive Member Consulted	N/A
Interests Declared	None
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Register of Key Decisions

Register of Key Decisions Reference	Not registered	
OR – if not published in the Register of Key Decisions		
Reasons for special urgency such that this was not published in a Register of Key Decisions	Urgency procedure not used	

Scrutiny Call In

Call-in deadline	This decision was implemented on 1 April 2020 and so cannot now be called-in	
OR – if Exempt from Call-in		
Advice as to how any delay would seriously prejudice the legal or financial position of the Council	Manchester City Council has a duty of care to the residents in relation to continuation of service and Potens as an organisation. It would be severely detrimental to end this contract without further provision being available during the Covid 19 pandemic	

Scrutiny Chair who agreed the urgency	Agreement not sought
Date this notice was published	14 May 2020