**Pre-Arrest Drug Diversion Scheme**

**Application Form**

**Method**

Question 1. (up to 2,000 words)

Provide a method statement for how you propose to deliver the diversion scheme required, as defined in the grant specification. This method statement should detail your strategies for:

1. How you will mobilise the model and develop your approach to support the target cohort?
2. How you will engage stakeholders and agencies across the West Midlands to ensure the success of this project?
3. How your organisation will ensure a high standard for clients; with various needs and requirements?

1. How your organisation will work with other treatment and health providers in the West Midlands to ensure onward referrals?

Question 2. (up to 2,000 words)

Explain how your organisation will recruit staff, who are culturally competent and can engage with clients effectively.

1. Please provide examples of how your organisation has worked with clients exposed to similar risk factors.
2. Outline the processes your organisation has in place, with regard to safeguarding.

Question 3. (up to 1,000 words)

If successful, what metrics of success would give us evidence of outcomes for the target cohort? Please make reference to education, supporting clients, substance misuse tracking and re-offending rates.

**Experience & Competence**

Question 1 (up to 1000 words)

Describe your experience of supporting a harm reduction approach to substance misuse.

Question 2 (up to 1000 words)

Demonstrate your organisation’s understanding of the different vulnerability factors which drive substance misuse.

1. How does this understanding inform your organisation’s approach to the potential caseload? If so, please detail your rationale and provide your prospective criteria.

Question 3 (up to 2,500 words)

Explain why your organisation is best placed to deliver this service and to have the most impact on the target group?

1. Please provide an example of your impact on individuals who are engaged in substance misuse.
2. Identify specific aspects of this service that can increase your impact.
3. Tell us how your organisation will maximise the impact of this service.

Question 4 (up to 1,500 words)

Demonstrate your local understanding of the target cohort, making reference to specific issues relating to the West Midlands.

**OR**

If you are not West Midlands based, illustrate how your knowledge and experience is applicable to the West Midlands context? Outline your organisation’s strategy to be successful in the West Midlands.

**Delivery**

Question 1 (up to 1,000 words)

Detail your mobilisation plan for this project. We would like this service to go live as soon as possible, following the completion of the application process. Please set out your strategy detailing your projected start date.

**And finally…**

Please tell us anything you think that is relevant to this proposal that we have not asked. (up to 500 words)