

Tasmanian Industry Participation Plan Executive Summary

Procurement details

Procurement Reference No.	DHHS-5640W
Procurement title	Rural Medical Services for the Tasmanian West Coast and King Island
Name of Responsible Agency/Entity	Tasmanian Health Service

Supplier details

Name of supplier	Ochre Health Pty Ltd
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Executive summary

- Ochre Health operates several general practices within Tasmania at Queenstown, Strahan, Zeehan and Rosebery. Ochre has also recently expanded these services to King Island.
- Ochre employs local staff in each of its practices. Permanent doctors reside locally. Locum doctors from Tasmania are used where possible to ensure continuity of service. Doctors outside Tasmania are used as a last resort.
- Ochre staff live in and support the local community and economy.
- Ochre Health will provide services to local industries and look to expand the type of services it offers in each location including occupational medicine supporting employees to maintain their health and return to work, increasing productivity.
- 75% of services purchased by Ochre Health are from local small to medium enterprises
- This contract will provide a long term sustainable service to the communities of West Coast and King Island