# GovNext-ICT Products and Services to Assist with Cloud Transition

# Cloud Policy Fact Sheet 8.1

GovNext-ICT is a program run by the Office of Digital Government (DGov), that provides products and services to assist in your agency's transition to cloud. GovNext-ICT seeks to support your agency by acting a service broker and working within the Common User Arrangement GNICT2015 (CUA) for the supply of compute, storage and cloud computing services to achieve competitive pricing.

# Objective

# Learn more about the Office of Digital Government's GovNext-ICT Government Service Broker Team.

#### **Process**

The GovNext-ICT Service Broker (GSB) within DGov provides assistance to agencies in transitioning to GovNext-ICT services. The GNICT2015 is a mandatory CUA for the supply of compute, storage, cloud computing, and a unified government communications network for whole of WA Government. The CUA aims to establish a fair, orderly and transparent market for ICT infrastructure services, where three consortia compete to provide ICT services to Western Australian government agencies.

The CUA is overseen by the GSB, who conducts regular price and service benchmarks and ensures that the ICT infrastructure services consumed under the CUA continue to be cost effective and state of the art.

GovNext-ICT provides induction sessions that will assist your agency with understanding:

- the scope of GovNext-ICT services;
- GovNext-ICT technical architecture;
- how the CUA is constructed and who the contractors are; and
- experiences learned from other agencies.

Additionally, the GSB provides planning and procurement assistance to agencies for:

- identifying the potential cost savings of adopting GovNext-ICT service offerings;
- defining a roadmap for GovNext-ICT transformation;
- interpreting the Service Catalogues and selecting the required services;
- providing requirements templates and ensuring alignment to the Service Catalogue and transformation agenda; and
- reviewing quotes/proposals from contractors.

The GSB Team can be contacted through DGov and are available to assist with your agency's transition to the cloud

## Useful tools

**GovNext-ICT Information paper** 

### **GovNext FAQs**

GovNext-ICT CUA GNICT2015 Mandatory supply of compute, storage, cloud computing, and a unified government communications network for whole of WA Government 20 January 2017 to 19 January 2022

# Related Cloud Policy Factsheets

- 8.2 Western Australian Case studies in cloud transition
- 8.2.1 Local Government and Communities cloud transition case study
- 8.2.2 Department of Sport and Recreation cloud transition case study
- 8.2.3 Landgate cloud transition case study