Tackling The Impact of Reduced Income and Increased Costs in the Care Sector



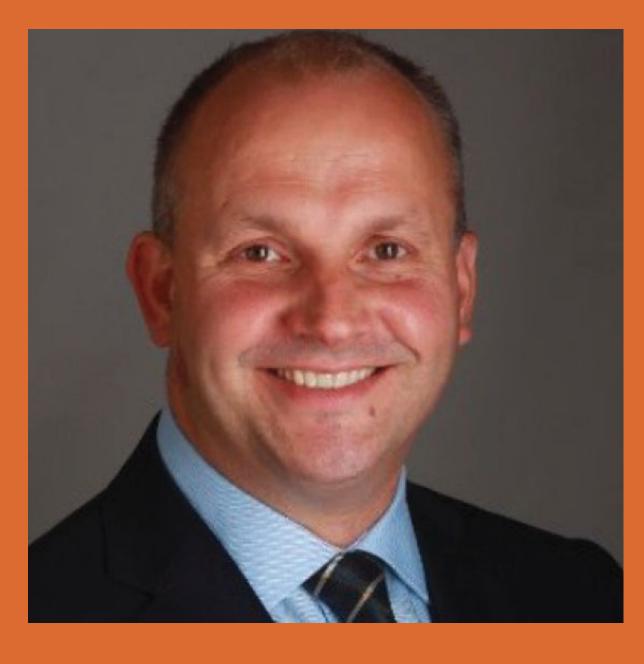
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About Marr Procurement

Marr Procurement was established by Christoph Marr in February 2015 following twenty years in Procurement. Initially as a Buyer at Marks & Spencer then as an IBM Procurement Consultant and IBM Head of Procurement for Europe Middle East and Africa, followed by seven years as the Group Procurement Director and Equity Partner at Care UK.

Whilst at Care UK Christoph struggled to find a Procurement Partner that shared his values of integrity and openness, which truly understood Procurement and where their commercial model was linked to delivering auditable savings.

Marr Procurement is a values led business that specialises in Procurement services for Care and Health providers.



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Care & Health providers are under increasing financial pressure from reduced income and increased operating costs, particularly following the Covid19 crisis.



The Procurement Process

I - Understand
addressable spend by
category & supplier

2 - Prioritise quick wins to deliver real value quickly

6 – Professional supplier and contracts mgmt. is key to locking in savings

5 - Audit savings to ensure P&L is impacted

3 - Stagger savings opportunities in a 1-2 year schedule

> **4** - Use a cyclical Approach to procurement

Benefits of a Good Procurement Process

- 1. Reduce operating costs quickly & that stick to the P&L
- 2. Lower risk in the supply chain
- Rationalised supply base is easier to manage & few invoices to process
- 4. More consistent quality
- 5. More efficient internal processes



5 Ways to Save Money Quickly

- Starting with material supply agreements, review supplier terms and ٦. discounts and re-negotiate, BUT, first secure buying power
- 2. Consolidate suppliers
- 3. Review stock levels and consider product swaps
- 4. Review tail-end uncontrolled spend
- 5. Secure external support if you don't have internal bandwidth

Target 'Quick Win' Savings

Start by considering your high value, day to day costs involving recurring spend. Providing incumbent suppliers are performing, re-negotiating with incumbents can be a fast way to achieve savings.



Marr Procurement can save you time and money by analysing your spend and sourcing cheaper prices for your every day costs. We help you KEEP these too!



Longer Term Savings in Care

A good Procurement process will identify multiple opportunities for long term, ongoing savings. Professional contract & supplier management and negotiation prior to renewals, as well as reviewing operational processes around categories such as Agency Spend, will drive savings.







Insurance



FIND Savings

Using 34 qualification criteria we identify opportunities to unlock savings in multiple categories.

GET Savings

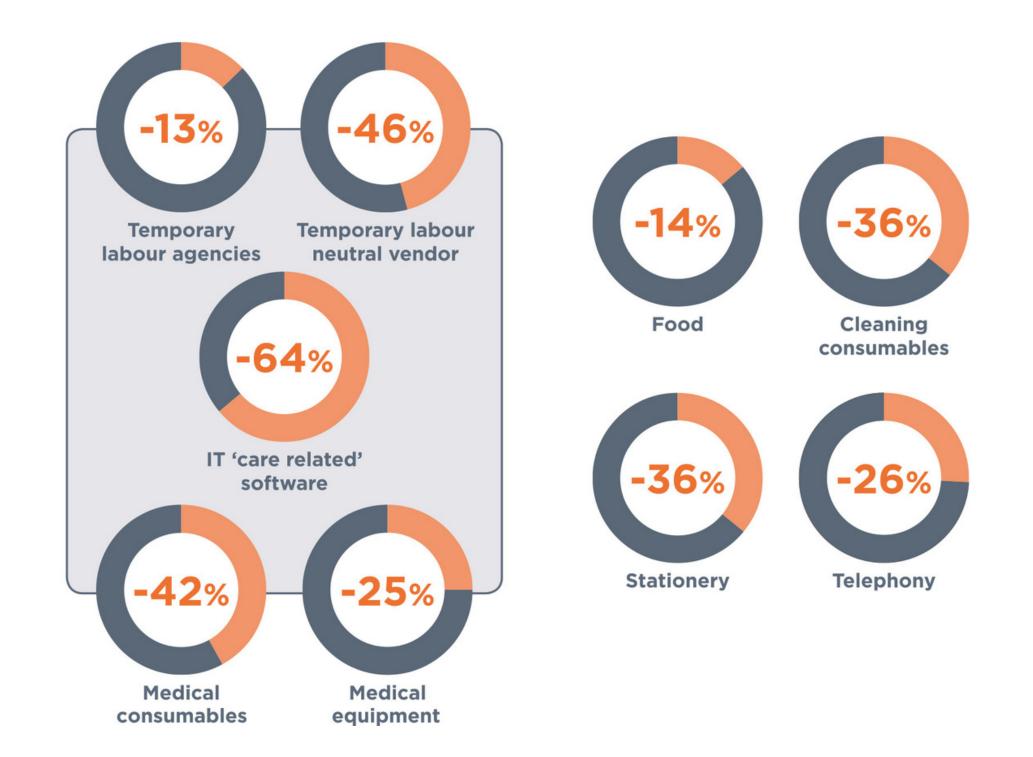
We will run tenders and follow a 7 step sourcing process to optimise savings. Never compromising quality.

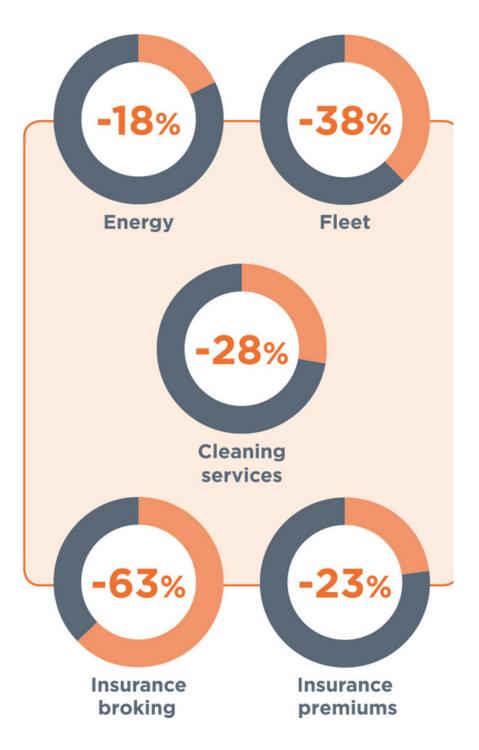
KEEP Savings

Our buying team lock in prices and ensure suppliers are managed and monitored on an ongoing basis to avoid inflation.

HOW WE CAN HELP: OUR PROCUREMENT PROCESS

Real Savings Achieved







Healthcare Homes

Key Marr Contributions:

Neutral Vendor Agency Model

£770,000 Savings Over 3 Years on Food

Standardised Contracts

Supplier Management Process

2020 ICF Fund Consultancy

Temp agency 7% **Food 15% Stationery 27% Consumables 13%**

Lifeways **Key Marr Contributions:** Delivered Material Savings Review & Rationalisation of Supplier Base Internal Communications & Buy In

Improved MI Useage and Invoicing Process

Temp Agency >£1m Catering 30% Consumables 30% **Telephony 25%**

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Key Marr Contributions:

Opportunity Assessment Review

Establish Category Baseline Targets

Multiple Category Tender Processes

Training and Mentoring internal staff to ensure efficient legacy financial management

> Courier Services >£200k Archiving 53% Consumables >20% Total savings £4.6m

Looking to unlock cost savings quickly?

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We partnered with Marr Procurement, the Care Sector Procurement Specialist, because of their reputation for delivering savings with integrity and transparency. The Marr team are simply extraordinary; I therefore strongly recommend Marr Procurement

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