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MINISTERIAL ADVICE

For decision by: Minister for Health and Social Services

Subject	All-Wales Digital Contact Tracing and Case Management Platform
100 word summary	<p>The Welsh Government has published its 'Test, Trace, Protect' strategy for managing the ongoing risks of covid-19 to communities in Wales. The approach comprises both digital and manual components.</p> <p>A rapid review of existing relevant digital infrastructure in the UK and elsewhere has concluded that a new all-Wales platform is needed to support effective and consistent delivery of the 'test, trace, protect' approach at the scale which will be required.</p> <p>This advice therefore seeks agreement to the deployment of a new all-Wales digital customer relations management (CRM) and case management platform, to support overall arrangements for covid-19 contact tracing across Wales.</p>
Timing	<p>Urgent – different elements of the overall 'Test, Trace, Protect' approach are being put in place rapidly during the coming weeks.</p> <p>The current target for deployment of the new all-Wales digital platform is early June, but this timescale can only be met if work begins urgently. Interim arrangements to support contract tracing and case management until the new platform is fully deployed are set out in this advice.</p>
Recommendation	<p>The Minister is invited to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Agree funding of up to £12.304m for the delivery of an all-Wales digital platform for contact tracing, for up to three years, as part of covid-19 response;