



Government of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Health Department
Request for Expression of Interest
for Selection of Consultancy Firm for Operating Nishtarabad Covid Hospital Of Khyber
Pakhtunkhwa

Country: Pakistan

Project: Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Human Capital Investment Program (KP HCIP)

Credit No.: 6421PK

Reference No: D680-PK

BACKGROUND

The Government of Pakistan (GoP) has received credit from World Bank towards the cost of the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Human Capital Investment Project (KP-HCIP). The project intends to improve the performance of the health sector, particularly Primary Healthcare (PHC), and is implementing several strategic policies/guidelines including the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Health Policy 2018. This long-term strategic plan, accompanied by a monitoring and evaluation (M&E) and financial framework, provides guidance on five priority areas three of which [(i), (ii), (iv)] are supported by the project:

- Enhanced coverage and access to essential health services especially for the poor and vulnerable;
- Measurable reduction in the burden of disease especially among vulnerable segments of the population;
- Improved human resources management;
- Governance, regulation, and accountability; and
- Enhanced health financing for efficient service delivery and financial risk protection for the people of KP.

Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Human Capital Investment Project (KP-HCIP) is seeking an experienced consultancy firm for executing/ running Nishtarabad Covid Hospital of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa.

The detailed Terms of Reference (TOR) & shortlisting criteria for the assignment can be found at the following website: <http://healthkp.gov/> or can be obtained at the address given below.

Eligibility Criteria for assessing an Expression of Interest will include:

- Experience in providing the same or similar services (completed projects with brief information on date, duration, location, fund amount and donor) in Pakistan or in countries at a similar level of socio-economic development;
- Date of establishment and official registration document with Government of Pakistan.
- Experience, if any of working with the department of health or any attached department(s) or district health department(s). (date, duration and location);
- Governance, organizational structure, and description of availability of key staff; and
- Annual financial audit report (to cover all the projects supported by different donors).
- All bidders are required to be registered with the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Revenue Authority, established under the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Finance Act, 2013 (Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Act No. XXI of 2013), documented experience in preparing quality reports which are concise to allow policy and technical decisions.
- Should have completed at least two similar projects of comparable scale and complexity (project completion certificates required)
- Should have an overall HR that substantially corresponds to areas covered on ToRs (See Team of Key Experts in ToRs).

Interested firms must provide information indicating that they are qualified to perform the services (brochures, description of similar assignments, experience in similar conditions, availability of appropriate skills among staff, etc.).

The attention of interested Consulting Firm is drawn to Section III, paragraphs, 3.14, 3.16, and 3.17 of the World Bank's "Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers" July 2016 [revised November 2017 and August 2018] ("Procurement Regulations"), setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.

Consulting firm may associate with other firms to enhance their qualifications but should indicate clearly whether the association is in the form of a joint venture and/or a sub-consultancy. In the case of a joint venture, all the partners in the joint venture shall be jointly and severally liable for the entire contract, if selected.

The firm will be selected in accordance with the Quality Cost-based Selection (QCBS) method set out in the World Bank's: Procurement Regulations for Investment Project Financing Goods, Works, Non-Consulting and Consulting Services" (July 2016) revised November 2017 & August 2018, and November 2020.

Information Session about the assignment will be held on Jan 25, 2021 from 10:00 am to 12:00 pm at Conference Room of Health Department Government of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Secretariat, Peshawar. The purpose of this session is to share with all prospective applicants, information regarding the assignment and to also walk them through the procurement process, etc.

Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours (0900 to 1600).

Expressions of Interest (EOI) shall be delivered in written form in compliance to format provided in ToRs of EOI to the address given below by 11:00 AM, February 4, 2022. The EOIs will be opened at 11:30 AM in presence of firms or there representative, who wishes to attend.

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