

WEST AFRICAN HEALTH ORGANISATION (WAHO)

CALL FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

Reference No FM/TEND/AMI//2017/014/bk

RECRUITING TWO (2) INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANTS TO DEVELOP THE REGIONAL PROGRAMME ON POSTING/WORKING OF HEALTH PROFESSIONALS IN THE OUTSKIRTS OF URBAN AREAS IN THE ECOWAS REGION

Funding Source: WAHO 2017 BUDGET

The West African Health Organisation (WAHO) in its budget for fiscal year 2017 has earmarked some funds to support the various ECOWAS Member States' health systems, and intends to use part of the funds to make payments under the following contract: RECRUITING TWO (2) INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANTS TO DEVELOP THE REGIONAL PROGRAMME ON POSTING OF HEALTH PROFESSIONALS IN THE OUTSKIRTS OF URBAN AREAS IN THE ECOWAS REGION

The objective of the consultancy is to conduct a feasibility study on the posting of health professionals in the outskirts (rural and peri-urban areas) of urban areas in the ECOWAS countries over a period of five (5) years.

Specifically, the two consultants will be tasked to do the following:

- > Collect information to verify health professionals' interest in settling down in the outskirts of cities, as well as Governments' interest in supporting, supervising and regulating the various initiatives for settling down in the outskirts of urban areas, including the granting of financing, tax exemption and other facilities.
- > Propose the types of health facilities to be established, indicating the services to be provided and the cost of investment and working capital;
- Estimate the possible number of facilities that can be established in a country (based on trained but unemployed health professionals, and those who have just graduated from school in all fields).
- ➤ Indicate the financing strategy of the Programme (stakeholders' contributions (ECOWAS / WAHO, member countries, initiative promoters, banking and financial system).

Duration of Mission

The mission is to last for 40 days.

Mission Commencement Date

June 2017

Profile of both (02) consultants

The mission must be conducted by two (2) individual consultants, with the following profiles:

- 1. The public health Specialist must be holder of a postgraduate (PhD) qualification in Public Health, with a minimum of 10 year-experience in health policy development, health systems management and development and monitoring of health programmes. In addition to his/her official language (English, French, Portuguese), the Consultant must have a working knowledge of any of the other two languages.
- 2. The Specialist in economic policy management or health economics with at least a Master's degree, DEA (M.Phil), DESS, with a minimum of 10 year-experience in design and management of health policies and engineering of health programmes and projects. In addition to his/her official language (English, French, Portuguese), the Consultant must have a working knowledge of any of the other two languages.

Content of the Expression

The West African Health Organisation (WAHO) invites qualified individual consultants to express their interest in providing the aforementioned services.

Interested individual consultants must provide information indicating that they are qualified to perform the services described above: Their expression will include:

- > a letter of expression of interest stating the position of specialist /consultants;
- A detailed, sincere, dated and signed Curriculum Vitae by the consultant, highlighting qualifications and experience in carrying out similar assignments, as well as references for possible checks.

Selection Method

The Consultant will be selected based on the Consultants' Qualification method (CQS) in accordance with the ECOWAS Tender Code (effective from 1st January 2014).

Information, date and bidding documents submission venue

Interested consultants may access the TORs on WAHO website at: www.wahooas.org

Interested consultants may also obtain additional information on reference materials from the address stated below and on the following working days and office hours: Monday to Friday between 8 am and 4 pm.

The expression of interest with the reference "Recruiting two (02) individual consultants to develop the Regional Programme on Posting/Working of Health Professionals in the outskirts of urban areas in the Economic Community of West African States (ECOWAS) Region" on the envelope may be received by WAHO Secretariat via post or email at the address below no later than 11.00 am (GMT) on Thursday 1st June 2017.

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