



Date: 10 October 2018

REQUEST FOR QUOTATION RFQ N° UNFPA/THA/RFQ/18/004

Dear Sir/Madam,

UNFPA hereby solicits a quotation for the following service:

Provision of services on Adolescent Sexual Reproductive health (ASRH) and Rights Policy Implementation Gaps Analysis for Adolescents with Disabilities

UNFPA requires the provision of services on Adolescent Sexual Reproductive health (ASRH) and Rights Policy Implementation Gaps for Adolescents with Disabilities, as it is required on the attached Terms of Reference (Annex II)

This Request for Quotation is open to all legally-constituted companies that can provide the requested services and have legal capacity to deliver in the country, or through an authorized representative.

I. About UNFPA

UNFPA, the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA), is an international development agency that works to deliver a world where every pregnancy is wanted, every child birth is safe and every young person's potential is fulfilled.

UNFPA is the lead UN agency that expands the possibilities for women and young people to lead healthy sexual and reproductive lives. To read more about UNFPA, please go to: [UNFPA about us](#)

II. Terms of Reference (TOR)

Please see attached (Annex II).

III. Questions

Questions or requests for further clarifications should be submitted in writing to the contact person below:

Name of contact person at UNFPA:	<i>Doungdao Songphanich</i>
Tel N°:	<i>+66 2 687 0134</i>
Fax N°:	<i>+66 2 280 1871</i>
Email address of contact person:	<i>thailand.office@unfpa.org</i>

The deadline for submission of questions is Wednesday, 17 October 2018 at 16.00 hrs, Bangkok time. Questions will be answered in writing and shared with all parties as soon as possible after this deadline.

IV. Content of quotations

Quotations should be submitted in a single e-mail whenever possible, depending on file size. Quotations must contain:



- a) **Technical proposal**, in response to the requirements outlined in the service requirements / TORs. Technical proposal shall include following documentation:
- Proven record in working and coordinating with people with disability organisations
 - Proven record on conducting or supporting studies or research on People with Disability with clear understanding on sensitivity and culture of people with disability. Understand and apply Convention of Rights of People with Disability (CRPD) and right based approach when deal with people with disabilities
 - Proven record on having good maintained network of people with organisations and organisations working for people with disability
 - Team to collect and analyse data
 - Service providers are requested to provide the company profile, portfolio of the previous work, clear and concise concept paper, work plan and fees.
- b) **Price quotation** (see **Annex III**), to be submitted strictly in accordance with the price quotation form. Price quotation shall be attached by details break-down costs.

Both parts of the quotation must be signed by the bidding company's relevant authority and submitted in PDF format.

V. Instructions for submission

Proposals should be prepared based on the guidelines set forth in Section IV above, along with a properly filled out and signed price quotation form, are to be sent by e-mail to the contact person indicated below no later than : **Wednesday, 24 October 2018 at 16.00 hrs, Bangkok time.**

Name of contact person at UNFPA:	<i>Doungdao Songphanich</i>
Email address of contact person:	thailand.office@unfpa.org

Please note the following guidelines for electronic submissions:

- The following reference must be included in the email subject line: **RFQ N° UNFPA/THA/RFQ/18/004 – Gaps Analysis**. Proposals that do not contain the correct email subject line may be overlooked by the procurement officer and therefore not considered.
- The total e-mail size may not exceed **20 MB (including e-mail body, encoded attachments and headers)**. Where the technical details are in large electronic files, it is recommended that these be sent separately before the deadline.

VI. Overview of Evaluation Process

The evaluation will be carried out in a two-step process by an ad-hoc evaluation panel. Technical proposals will be evaluated and scored first, prior to the evaluation and scoring of price quotations

Technical Evaluation

Technical proposals will be evaluated based on their responsiveness to the service requirements /TORs listed in Section II and in accordance with the evaluation criteria below.

Criteria	[A] Maximum Points	[B] Points attained by Bidder	[C] Weight (%)	[B] x [C] = [D] Total Points
Proven record in working and coordinating with people with disability organisations	100		30%	
Proven record on conducting or supporting studies or research on People with Disability with clear understanding on sensitivity and culture of people with disability. Understand and apply Convention of Rights of People with Disability (CRPD) and right based approach when deal with people with disabilities	100		30%	
Proven record on having good maintained network of people with organisations and organisations working for people with disability	100		30%	
Team to collect and analyse data	100		10%	
Grand Total All Criteria	400		100%	

The following scoring scale will be used to ensure objective evaluation:

Degree to which the Terms of Reference requirements are met based on evidence included in the Bid submitted	Points out of 100
Significantly exceeds the requirements	90 – 100
Exceeds the requirements	80 – 89
Meets the requirements	70 – 79
Partially meets the requirements	1 – 69
Does not meet the requirements or no information provided to assess compliance with the requirements	0

Financial Evaluation



Price quotes will be evaluated only for bidders whose technical proposals achieve a minimum score of 70 points in the technical evaluation.

Price quotes will be evaluated based on their responsiveness to the price quote form. The maximum number of points for the price quote is 100, which will be allocated to the lowest total price provided in the quotation. All other price quotes will receive points in inverse proportion according to the following formula:

$$\text{Financial score} = \frac{\text{Lowest quote (\$)}}{\text{Quote being scored (\$)}} \times 100 \text{ (Maximum score)}$$

Total score

The total score for each proposal will be the weighted sum of the technical score and the financial score. The maximum total score is 100 points.

$$\text{Total score} = 70\% \text{ Technical score} + 30\% \text{ Financial score}$$

VII. Award Criteria

UNFPA shall award a Professional Service Contract on a fixed-cost basis to the Bidder(s) that obtain the highest total score.

VIII. Right to Vary Requirements at Time of Award

UNFPA reserves the right at the time of award of contract to increase or decrease by up to 20% the volume of services specified in this RFQ without any change in unit prices or other terms and conditions.

IX. Payment Terms

UNFPA payment terms are net 30 days upon receipt of invoice and delivery/acceptance of the milestone deliverables linked to payment as specified in the contract.

X. Fraud and Corruption

UNFPA is committed to preventing, identifying, and addressing all acts of fraud against UNFPA, as well as against third parties involved in UNFPA activities. UNFPA’s policy regarding fraud and corruption is available here: [Fraud Policy](#). Submission of a proposal implies that the Bidder is aware of this policy.

Suppliers, their subsidiaries, agents, intermediaries and principals must cooperate with the UNFPA Office of Audit and Investigations Services as well as with any other oversight entity authorized by the Executive Director and with the UNFPA Ethics Advisor as and when required. Such cooperation shall include, but not be limited to, the following: access to all employees, representatives agents and assignees of the vendor; as well as production of all documents requested, including financial records. Failure to fully cooperate with investigations will be considered sufficient grounds to allow UNFPA to repudiate and terminate the Agreement, and to debar and remove the supplier from UNFPA's list of registered suppliers.



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A confidential Anti-Fraud Hotline is available to any Bidder to report suspicious fraudulent activities at [UNFPA Investigation Hotline](#).

XI. Zero Tolerance

UNFPA has adopted a zero-tolerance policy on gifts and hospitality. Suppliers are therefore requested not to send gifts or offer hospitality to UNFPA personnel. Further details on this policy are available here: [Zero Tolerance Policy](#).

XII. RFQ Protest

Bidder(s) perceiving that they have been unjustly or unfairly treated in connection with a solicitation, evaluation, or award of a contract may submit a complaint to the Country Director of UNFPA Thailand, Ms. Marcela Suazo, at suazo@unfpa.org. Should the supplier be unsatisfied with the reply provided by the UNFPA Head of the Business Unit, the supplier may contact the Chief, Procurement Services Branch at procurement@unfpa.org.

XIII. Disclaimer

Should any of the links in this RFQ document be unavailable or inaccessible for any reason, bidders can contact the Procurement Officer in charge of the procurement to request for them to share a PDF version of such document(s).



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ANNEX I:
General Conditions of Contracts:
De Minimis Contracts

This Request for Quotation is subject to UNFPA's General Conditions of Contract: De Minimis Contracts, which are available in: [English](#), [Spanish](#) and [French](#)