EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

Enhanced HIV/AIDS Control Program, Department of Health, Government of Sindh

Small Grants for Contract for Innovation / Scaling Up of People Living with HIV/AIDS

- 1- The Enhanced HIV/AIDS Control Program is a leading public health program in Pakistan. The Government of Sindh is implementing Program in Sindh through Department of Health. The Enhanced HIV/AIDS Control Program is providing leadership role in implementation of Program throughout Province.
- 2- The Enhanced HIV/AIDS Control Program Sindh has extensive network of Preventive and /curative Services like 12 Service Delivery Packages (for Injecting Drug Users, Male Sex Workers, Female Sex Workers, Truckers, Jail Inmates and Street Children MARA), 05 HIV/AIDS Treatment & Care Center, 02 PPTCT (Prevention of Parent to child Transmission) Sites, 21 VCCT (Voluntarily Counseling & Confidential testing) Centers and 46 STIs (sexually transmitted Infections) Clinics.
- **3-** The above mentioned services are being provided free of cost to vulnerable groups and general population throughout sindh at teaching & district headquarter hospitals level.
- **4-** In this PC-1, Small grants scheme has been designed to provide limited funding for such interventions/ research/ approaches and to facilitate investigation and analysis of emergent problems related to HIV/AIDS and Strengthening network and providing support to people living with HIV/AIDS. These resources are primarily intended to enhance public private partnerships so as to enable reduction in infections
- 5- Enhanced HIV/AIDS Control Program invites eligible Consulting Firms/ NGOs/Organizations/Institutions (hereafter referred to as Consultants) to submit Expression of Interest to work with Vulnerable Population for preventing and controlling of HIV/AIDS and STIs. The successful organization will be required to implement a defined "Package of Services" in areas mentioned in the proposal and where required.

The service requires implementation through single/separate contract for each Package

Targeted Interventions for Vulnerable Population

- i) Package 01 Small Grants for Innovation / Scaling Up
- ii) Package 02 Small Grants for Innovation / Scaling Up
- iii) Package 03 Small Grant for Strengthening Network and support to PLHIV
- 6- The interested bidders may obtain further information and Selection Criteria (Separate Data Sheet for each Package) from 19th November 2013 on submission of written application from the address given below from 09.00hrs to 17.00hrs and upon payment of a nonrefundable fee of Pak Rupees 1000/= (One Thousand Only) in cash/bank draft/pay order in favor of the Enhanced HIV/AIDS Control Program for each package.

- 7- The bidders are required to submit 05 copies of (EOI) Expression of Interest as per details/specification given in the Selection Criteria/data sheet.
- 8- The EOIs should reach the address given below on 05th December 2013 by 01:00 pm.
- 9- EOIs will be opened in the presence of bidders or their authorized representatives on 05th December 2013 at 02:00 pm in the office of the Provincial Program Manager, Enhanced HIV/AIDS Control Program, Karachi.
- **10-** The bidders will be shortlisted in accordance with the procedures set out in Sindh Public Procurement Rules 2010.
- **11-** The Shortlisted firms/Organization will be issued RFP (Request for Proposal) to submit the Technical and Financial Proposals.
- 12-As provided in the Bidding Documents, bidder(s) engaged in corrupt or fraudulent practices (including collusion/polling) will be declared ineligible either indefinitely or for a stated period of time by the purchaser.
- **13-** The Firms/Organizations already implementing the Service Delivery Packages of Enhanced HIV/AIDS control Program and GFATM funded projects are not eligible to apply.
- **14-** The purchaser reserves the right to accept or reject any/all bid(s) without assigning any reason to the bidder(s) as per provision of Sindh Public Procurement Rules 2010.

Provincial Program Manager

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