

Question	Response
<p>Submission date and time: The Terms of Reference document (ToRs) and the Request for Quotation document have different dates. We seek clarification of the true bid submission date</p>	<p>The ToRs and Request for Quotation have been harmonized. Deadline for asking questions was 20 April 2022 at 10.00 a.m. and deadline for submission of bid is Tuesday 26 April 2022 at 04.00 p.m. Kampala time to email address <a href="mailto:procurement.ug@unfpa.org">procurement.ug@unfpa.org</a>. If you already submitted your bid but feel you wish to improve it due to clarity of dates, you may resubmit and indicate a final version as FINAL</p>
<p>Number of IPs to be assessed: From the ToRs document, we have established that out of the 24 IPs selected for the 9th Country Programme, five (UHRC, MUSPH, IRCU, NTC, RD and JHPIEGO) were not engaged in 2021. Considering assignment objective 2 (Establish the IPs capacity in meeting Country Office's and Stakeholders' expectations in delivering the 9th Country Programme), please confirm whether UNFPA has subsequently engaged the five IPs and are therefore to be covered by this assessment</p>	<p>Only IRCU was engaged out of these listed six in 2021.</p>
<p>Performance assessment on the 8th Uganda Country Programme - Under the scope, we note that for new IPs, the assessment will cover 2021 implementation period. Otherwise, the assessment will cover performance during the 8th Country Programme to date; and current capacity attributes. It will cover all IPs (with whom UNFPA have MoUs), including strategic partners. Please advise which of the 24 IPs selected for the 9th Country Programme also implemented the 8th Country Programme).</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Uganda Bureau of Statistics (UBOS),</li> <li>2. Ministry of Health,</li> <li>3. Ministry of Gender, Labour and Social Development,</li> <li>4. Ministry of Education and Sports,</li> <li>5. National Planning Authority,</li> <li>6. Ministry of Justice &amp; Constitutional Affairs,</li> <li>7. Ministry of Defence &amp; Veteran Affairs,</li> <li>8. Makerere University Public Health,</li> <li>9. National Population Council (NPC),</li> <li>10. Uganda Human Rights Commission,</li> <li>11. CARE International in Uganda,</li> <li>12. International Rescue Committee,</li> <li>13. Building Resilience Across Communities (BRAC),</li> <li>14. ActionAid International Uganda,</li> <li>15. JHPIEGO Corporation,</li> <li>16. ACORD,</li> <li>17. The Lutheran World Federation,</li> <li>18. Inter-Religious Council of Uganda,</li> <li>19. Save the Children International,</li> <li>20. Marie Stopes Uganda,</li> <li>21. Reproductive Health Uganda (RHU).</li> </ol>
<p>Beyond the 24 IPs selected for the 9th Programme, please clarify whether there are other IPs that implemented the 8th Programme and are subject for this assessment. Please share list as applicable</p>	<p>Only the IPs selected for the 9<sup>th</sup> Country Programme are eligible.</p>

<p>We wish to request for the TOR for IPs assessment.</p>	<p>The ToRs and RFQ are posted on website, also here attached.</p>
<p>Our office has a Long-Term Agreement (LTA) with UN Agencies to carry out Harmonized Cash Transfer assessments on implementing partners. We would like to confirm whether this does not pose as a conflict of interest under this newly RFQ - Performance Assessment of Implementing Partners.</p>	<p>There cannot be conflict of interest. Please make your submission, if still interested and the evaluation will take care of any such concerns</p>
<p>From the TOR, 19 IPs out of the 24 IPs were engaged in 2021. Does it imply that the assessment will cover only 19 IPs that were engaged in 2021 or all the 24 IPs.</p>	<p>Only the 19 IPs engaged in 2021 will be covered by the assessment.</p>