

CLARIFICATIONS TO THE RFQ ON MID-TERM REVIEW OF WAY PROGRAMME

Inquiry	UNFPA Response
Can deadline be extended?	We do not see need to extend. The timeline given is sufficient.
Requesting you to send through the price quotation form on page 12 included in the RFQ advert. Alternatively, please share the link where the form can be downloaded. What is attached in the advert is in PDF format and cannot edit/work in it	The price quotation template in the RFQ is a simple word document that anyone can draw / use. Expert drawing will not earn any advantage to bidder.
Do you expect the firm to conduct household interviews so as to assess outcomes at the population level OR this is expected to be conducted through a secondary analysis? This would have an implication on the budget	This is for the consultant to determine how best to answer the midterm review questions. We would love to see the proposals on methodology from the submissions.
Do you also expect any special considerations during the design for refugee host districts?	Yes, as indicated in the advert we would love to learn from our humanitarian-development nexus.
You mention seeking IRB approval only from the National Council for Science and Technology, but one requires approval from other institutional ethical review boards before getting one from UNCST. Please clarify.	After receiving further guidance, the mid-term review will not need to go through IRB approvals at UNCST. However, if the consultant is a part of an institution, then the internal IRB approvals should be followed.
You mention study takes 35 days spread across three months, do the 35 days refer to man days or just working days? We wish to ask for more information (the programme Log frame) to enable us to prepare our proposal and estimate the actual cost of assessing the programme indicators, which have not been provided in the TOR. Should we submit separate financial and technical proposals or a concept paper that combines both?	<p>The 35 days are working days. The results framework has been attached to this response table.</p> <p>It is provided for in section 111, instructions for submission</p>