



CALL FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

DEVELOPMENT OF ACTION PLAN AND PARTNERSHIP STRATEGY FOR THE MoU BETWEEN THE WOMEN'S MOVEMENT AND OPDs IN ZIMBABWE

Introduction

Women's Coalition of Zimbabwe (WCoZ) is a national membership-based network of women's rights organizations and individual women's rights champions. WCoZ, NASCOH and FODPZ, through the support of UNESCO within the Spotlight Initiative are working on an intervention aimed at "Supporting Coalition Building between OPDs and the Women's Movement in Addressing Intersectional Discrimination". To foster partnerships and relationships between the disability movement and women's movement in Zimbabwe, the 3 Organisations signed an MOU which seeks to build a transformative coalition for social change between OPDs and the women's movement led by the Women's Coalition of Zimbabwe. This should foster and facilitate mutual learning opportunities and exchange of experience in advocacy and policy dialogue for social inclusion, justice and equality which the two movements have accumulated over the years. The partners now seek to effectively operationalize the MoU by translating it into an Action Plan.

Tasks under this consultancy

The Consortium is therefore looking for a consultant to develop a Partnership strategy and action plan to support the partnership. The strategy will provide an action-plan and road-map for the Consortium, placing focus on sustainability, movement building and resource mobilization.

Methodology

In carrying out this work, the Consultant will be expected to pursue an inclusive consultative process with key Consortium representatives and other strategic partners such as the UN and CSOs

Key Deliverables

- Mapping exercise to identify the Consortium's key and potential partners.
- Develop an Action Plan and partnership strategy for the Consortium
- Unpack the Partnership strategy to the Consortium

Duration

Specific guidelines will be discussed with successful candidate

Expected Qualifications, experience of the Consultant

- Advanced university degree in Social Science Studies, Development studies or related field
- At least 5 years' relevant experience in the field
- Strong analytical, strategic thinking and planning skills and ability to work under tight deadlines.

Bid Format

- Interested and experienced individuals or teams should submit an Expression of Interest (EOI) by **2 September 2022** to wcozprocurement@gmail.com and copy coalitionzw@gmail.com. The EOI will detail the Consultant's understanding of the Scope of Work, and methodological approach. It will also detail work-plan, including dates for when specific tasks will be done. The EOI should also include a detailed budget, indicating a breakdown of all costs for conducting this work such as consultancy daily rate. The EOI must not exceed five pages.
- Cover letter summarizing the applicant's skills and past experience relevant to conducting the outlined SOW.
- Detailed C.V(s)/resume(s), with names of three referees and their contact details (email and phone)
- At least two recent samples similar to that called for in this SOW for which the applicant was a lead author.

NB* Qualified Women and persons with disabilities are strongly encouraged to apply. Due to the high influx of Applications that we receive, Only the successful candidate will be reached.