

CALL FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

EOI Code Number: EpiC-001
Name of Project: EpiC Trans Health Program
Funding Partner: USAID through FHI 360

Title of TA Provision: Consultancy on Community Mapping and Linkages Building for Gender-Affirming Health Responses for Transgender Women in Quezon City and Central Luzon (Region III)
Type of TA Provider: Individual Consultancy
Terms of Reference: (Subject to Contract of Service)

PROJECT BACKGROUND: EpiC, or “Meeting Targets and Maintaining Epidemic Control,” is a global project dedicated to HIV that is funded by the United States government and people. In 2022, TLF Sexuality, Health and Rights Educators Collective (TLF SHARE), a duly registered non-stock, non-profit organization was awarded a grant to leapfrog past the country’s obstacles that restrain the health care system, HIV program, and overall environment from being sufficiently sensitive to the needs of transgender women. The grant shall implement activities to support attainment and maintenance of HIV epidemic control among key populations, focused transgender women residing or working in Quezon City and City of San Jose Del Monte, Bulacan, by delivering pilot local trans health programs with HIV prevention, care, and treatment services.

DESCRIPTION OF THE TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE (TA): The Consultant shall perform community mapping and linkages building, including the following: (1) designing and implementing qualitative studies that map out physical and virtual spaces of trans women peer networks, and available trans health and other services in the project cities; (2) participating as key resource and facilitator in related participatory and stakeholder processes; and (3) developing report manuscript that synthesizes results of the foregoing activities.

DESIRED QUALIFICATIONS OF THE TA PROVIDER

(Individual Consultant – Mapping and Linkages Building)

- At least two (2) years of experience in community-based or participatory approaches in development assessment and research as expert, consultant, and/or trainer
- Formal educational accomplishment as evidence of competence and expertise
- Additional compatible learning & development received and provided; focus expertise on sexuality & gender, HIV or other health and development subject matter preferred
- Trans women in possession of the desired qualifications strongly encouraged

REQUIREMENTS

- Address to: Executive Director, TLF SHARE Collective Inc.
- Letter of Expression of Interest (to include willingness to commit 100% level of effort in the Consultancy between August and September)
- Resume (to highlight compatibility with the stated desired qualifications)
- Additional documents or outputs on the performed projects or consultancy, if any
- Deadline for Submission: August 20, 2022 (Saturday), before or at 06:00PM (GMT+8) through the provided contact information below
- TLF Share shall arrange for an interview to facilitate the selection and offer

CONTACT: The Project Coordinator, transhealth@tlfshare.org