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Call for Expression of Interest as Principal Recipient (PR) for Round 10 Proposal: Malaria component

The Country Coordination Mechanism (CCM), Thailand on March 2, 2010 decided to develop the malaria proposal to be submitting in call for round 10 of The Global Fund to fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria (GFATM). The Technical Committee on Malaria, on behalf of CCM Thailand, places this Call for Expression of Interest to identify stakeholders to work as PR.

The goal of The Malaria Round 10 proposal is to contain artemisinin-tolerant *Plasmodium* falciparum parasites by removing selection pressure and reducing and ultimately eliminating falciparum malaria.

The objectives are:

- 1. To eliminate artemisinin tolerant parasites by detecting all malaria cases in target areas and ensuring effective treatment and gametocyte clearance
- 2. To prevent transmission of artemisinin tolerant parasites by mosquito control and personal protection
- 3. To support containment/elimination of artemisinin tolerant parasites through comprehensive BCC, community mobilization and advocacy
- 4. To undertake basic and operational research to fill knowledge gaps and ensure that strategies are evidence-based
- 5. Provide effective management system to enable rapid and high quality implementation of the strategy
- 6. Interested organization/s should take the responsibility of managing all the objectives and activities as defined under the disease components.

(Please find proposal framework for more details)

Organizations that interested to apply for the PR must show its experience and existing capacity for technical and financial management of programs. The PR is expected to ensure effective arrangements to mobilize and manage several local partners based on the national proposal framework for Round 10. Highlighting the concepts which approaches to manage all of the above mentioned, expected results and impacts outcome as well as extra innovative ideas/strategies are highly appreciated.

The Expression of Interest (EOI) as PR with the criteria that mention in Annex 1 must be received no later than 5:00 p.m., May 24, 2010.

- EOI should not exceed fifteen pages.
- EOI can be submitted before May 24, 2010
- EOI must be emailed to ccmthailand@gmail.com or received at the following address:

CCM Secretariat Office

3rd Floor, Building 2, Office of the Permanent Secretary of MoPH Ministry of Public Health, Tiwanond Road, Nonthaburi 11000

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Selection Criteria

PR Minimum Required Capacities

(A) Financial Management and Systems that:

- 1) Accurately and promptly record all transactions, disbursements and balances, including those supported by the Global Fund;
- 2) Disburse funds to sub-recipients, procurement agents and suppliers in a timely, transparent and accountable manner;
- 3) Maintains an adequate internal control system
- Enable the prompt preparation of regular and reliable financial statements and reports;
- 5) Safeguard the PR's financial and physical assets; and
- 6) Are subject to and comply with acceptable auditing arrangements.

(The selection will emphasize in this criterion 25%)

(B) Program Management Capacity and arrangements including:

- 1) Legal capacity, status and authority to enter into the grant agreement with the Global Fund;
- 2) Effective organizational leadership, management, transparent decision making and accountability systems;
- 3) Adequate infrastructure and information systems to support grant implementation, including the monitoring of performance of sub-recipients and outsourced entities (such as procurement agents) in a timely and accountable manner; and
- 4) Adequate health expertise (HIV/AIDS, tuberculosis and/or malaria) and cross-functional expertise (finance, procurement, legal, M&E) to implement the program activities.

(The selection will emphasize in this criterion 20%)

(C) Sub-recipient Management capacity, including:

- 1) Effective systems for undertaking sub-recipients capacity assessments and providing technical support as needed, to ensure that any proposed sub-recipients have the required capacities to implement the program activities; and
- Adequate management arrangements that ensure adequate PR oversight of grant implementation at the sub-recipient level facilitating effective and timely program implementation and resource management by sub-recipients.

(The selection will emphasize in this criterion 20%)

(D) Pharmaceutical and Health Product Management Systems that:

1) Procure, store and distribute health products in accordance with Global Fund procurement and supply management policies.

(The selection will emphasize in this criterion 20%)

(E) Monitoring and Evaluation Systems that:

- 1) Collect and record programmatic data with appropriate quality control measures;
- 2) Support the preparation of regular reliable programmatic reports; and
- 3) Make data available for the purpose of evaluations and other studies.

(The selection will emphasize in this criterion 15%)

The PR will be independently selected by Technical Committee on Malaria. Successful organizations will have to work with the Proposal Writing Teams to detail out the proposal.

National Proposal Framework Malaria Round 10

"MOVING TOWARDS THE ELIMINATION OF FALCIPARUM MALARIA IN THAILAND"

Goal:

To contain artemisinin-tolerant *Plasmodium falciparum* parasites by removing selection pressure and reducing and ultimately eliminating falciparum malaria

Objectives and activities

- 1. To eliminate artemisinin tolerant parasites by detecting all malaria cases in target areas and ensuring effective treatment and gametocyte clearance.
 - Support the implementation of the first line treatment for uncomplicated falciparum malaria-Training staff
 - Provide antimalarials to cover additional patients resulting from case investigations and active case detection (ACD)
 - Strengthen public sector supply of recommended antimalarials (SOPs)
 - Improve coverage of passive case detection: MC (checkpoints) and MP (A2)
 - Strengthen diagnostic network to deal with additional workload associated with 28 day follow-up and ACD: Training MP and PCR
 - Conduct active case detection: mass screening of migrants and focus investigation.
 - Implement directly observed treatment and conduct 28 day follow up of all confirmed falciparum malaria cases.
 - Establish management system for treatment failure cases

2. To prevent transmission of artemisinin tolerant parasites by mosquito control and personal protection.

- Increase coverage of LLINs to 1 per person (residents, migrants and military)
- Distribute LLI hammock nets for personal protection for local residents, migrants and military spending nights in the forest
- Distribute repellents for personal protection for plantation workers and soldiers patrolling at night.
- Conduct IRS in foci of transmission detected as a result of case investigation.

3. To support containment/elimination of artemisinin tolerant parasites through comprehensive BCC, community mobilization and advocacy

- Review and develop BCC strategy for containment (harmonized with that of Cambodia) targeting all risk groups.
 - Establish technical working group (TWG) on BCC
 - Community assessment
 - Develop BCC materials and methodologies for migrants, schools, and Thai
- Implement BCC/IEC, including massive health promotion & community mobilization to ensure high turnout for ITN campaign and to promote appropriate use.
 - school-based, community-based, workplace-based
 - mass media
- Implement sensitization and advocacy for political support for containment/elimination of artemisin tolerant parasites

4. To undertake basic and operational research to fill knowledge gaps and ensure that strategies are evidence-based

Undertake operational research

- Provide QA for QR
 - Establish OR steering committee
 - Annual meeting of the OR steering committee
 - Cross-border OR workshop
- Strengthen research capabilities
- Support dissemination of research results and information exchange through annual meetings and publications.

5. Provide effective management system to enable rapid and high quality implementation of the strategy

- HSS: Information system
 - Establish and maintain comprehensive malaria surveillance and active case investigation system in 13 Provinces bordering with Cambodia and Myanmar.
- Coordination and partnership development (national, community, public-private)
 - Ensure overall and technical coordination of containment operations, including regular meetings of the Thai Artemsinin Tolerance Containment Task Force
 - Partner meetings.
 - Hold cross-border coordination activities.
 - Joint monitoring missions.
 - Semi-annual border-wide progress review meetings (provincial level)
 - Annual cross-border progress review meeting
 - Regular follow-up workshops
- Establish migrant networks to improve information sharing on malaria in source, transit and destination communities and at work sites
 - Workshop to review the results of mapping works and identify specific networks both formal and informal.
 - Recruit migrant network coordinator
 - Establish provincial migrant network groups.
 - Quarterly meetings for provincial migrant network groups.
 - Establish Thai-Cambodia TWG on migrants and malaria (TWGMM)
 - Bi-annual meeting of the TWGMM attended by focal points from each of the 7 provincial migrant network groups
- Strengthen human resources at all levels for management and implementation related to containment efforts
 - Staff recruitment : Central, provincial, and district level
 - project officers
 - Microscopists
 - M&E specialist
 - NGO/CBO staff
 - Staff training: international and national (MPH, M. Sc, Diploma)
- Provide logistical support to ensure prompt and effective implementation of program activities:
 - Procure vehicle and equipments
- Infrastructure: rent office space and storage space
- Increase supervision capacity to cope with containment associated increase in workload.
 - Partner orientation workshop on MESST

- Review existing M&E system and update in line with additional requirements associated with containment. M&E system to be harmonized with that for containment operations in Cambodia.
- Recruit M&E specialist at central level.
- Recruit M&E officers at provincial level Vector Borne Disease
 - Centers
- Needs based training on M&E for selected staff from all levels.

6. Target Areas

- Thai-Cambodia border provinces:
 - Ubon Ratchathani
 - Si Sa Ket
 - Surin
 - Buri Ram
 - Sa Kaeo
 - Chanthaburi
 - Trat
- Thai-Myanmar border provinces:
 - Chiang Rai
 - Chiang Mai
 - Mae Hong Son
 - Tak
 - Kanchanaburi
 - Ratchaburi
 - Phetchaburi
 - Prachuap Khiri Khan
 - Chumphon
 - Ranong
 - Phangnga
 - Surat Thani
 - Songkhla
- High prevalence of Malaria
 - Chon Buri
 - Rayong

Acronyms:

ACD active case detection

BCC Behavior Change Communication

CBO Community based organization

CCM Country Coordination Mechanism

GFATM The Global Fund to fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and

Malaria

HSS Health system strengthening

IEC Information Education and Communication

IRS Indoor residual sprey

ITN Insecticide treated net

LLI Long lasting impregnented

LLINs Long lasting impregnented nets

M&E Monitoring and Evaluation

M. Sc Master of Science

MC Malaria Clinic

MESST Monitoring and Evaluation System Strenthening

Tool

MP Malaria Post

MPH Master of Public Health

NGO Non governmental organization

OR Operational research

PCR Polymerase Chain Reaction Technich

PR Principal Recipient

QA Quality assurance

SRs Sub Principal Recipients

TWG technical working group

TWGMM Thai-Cambodia TWG on migrants and malaria



Expression of Interest for a Call for Principal Recipient (PR) for Round 10 Proposal: Malaria component

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A .General information

- 1. Name of organization:
- 2. Registration of the organization (DD/MM/YY)
- Authority person
- 4. Contact/Responsible person
- Address/ Business telephone/ Fax/ Fmail
- Vision of organization
- 7. Mission Statement of organization
- 8. Program and budgetary that the organization has been management/implement in the last 3 years

Year 2007 Number of Program......Total budget...... Baht

Year 2008 Number of Program......Total budget...... Baht

Year 2009 Number of Program......Total budget...... Baht

B. Experiences, skills and capacity of the organizations

- General information of the organization, long term perform, personnel, specific skills (Please provide your organization, profile with organogram)
- 2. Experiences on program management and accountability of the program implemented or related to the proposa targeted population (Previous skills and capacity on malaria and/or other program management (Programmatic Financial, Procurement and Supply, M&E)
- Experiences on program management or implemented of the Global fund program

(If possible

- 4. List of partners that the organization has been implemented within the last 2 years
- 5. The experiences on partnership development and collaboration with GOs, NGOs, private sectors and communities
- 6. Capacity building and system integration to the national system
- 7. Capacity on financial, account and parcel management
- Capacity on procurement and supply of health and non-health product under the Global Fund condition
- 9. Experiences and capacity on program monitoring and evaluation (specify on Malaria program)
- 10. Other information related to support the program management with effectiveness and efficiency

*Please attach the supportive documents including:

- Annual Reports
- Annual Audit Reports (current year and 3 years backward)
- Other related documents

expected partnerships that will be facilitated on the management of your interested strategy
D. Please explain your anticipated plan for Malaria Round 10 accountable and management as well as plan for approving the organization capacity to be responsible for Malaria Round 10
Signature:
Responsible Officer:
Title: Date:

C. Please explain your past experiences and activities or current implementing activities or planned activities as well as