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Ministry of Health and Family Welfare
Health Services Division
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REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI)

for Procuring Services of a Research/ Consultancy firm (National) for Conducting "Health Governance Readiness for Universal Health Coverage in Bangladesh: A Baseline Study"

Memo No. 45.05.0000.000.005.31.0003.25.460		Dated: 04/11/2025 CE	
SL NO	PROCURING AGENCY INFORMATION		
1.	Ministry / Division	Health Services Division, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare	
2.	Agency	Health Economics Unit (HEU)	
3.	Name of The Procuring Entity	Director (Administration), HEU	
4.	Procuring Entity District	Dhaka	
5.	Type of Organization	Consultancy Firm/ Research Organization	
5.	EOI Ref. No.	45.05.0000.000.005.31.0003.25.460	
6.	Date	04/11/2025 CE	
KEY INFORMATION			
7.	Procurement Sub-Method	Quality and Cost Based Selection (QCBS)	
FUNDING INFORMATION			
8.	Budget and Source of Funds	Funds of Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh (GOB-Operating Budget), Ministry of Health and Family Welfare (MOHFW)	
PARTICULAR INFORMATION			
9.	Project / Program Name (If Applicable)	Health Governance Readiness for Universal Health Coverage in Bangladesh: A Baseline Study	
10.	EOI closing date and time	Date: 24/11/2025 CE	Time: 02:00 PM
11.	Brief Description of the Assignment	Effective governance underpins Universal Health Coverage (UHC) by ensuring strategic policy direction, transparent financing, equitable resource allocation, strong regulatory frameworks, and accountability mechanisms that guarantee service quality and equity. Recognizing this, the Health Economics Unit (HEU) and the Planning and Research Wing of the Directorate General of Health Services (DGHS), has jointly identified health governance as a national priority area for evidence generation and system strengthening. The goal is to generate evidence on the current status and readiness of health governance in Bangladesh's public health system, identifying systemic strengths, weaknesses, and priority areas to inform actions toward establishing a sustainable, accountable, and resilient governance framework. Both institutions will jointly supervise and guide this study.	
12.	Experience, Resource and Delivery Capacity	To be selected, the organization MUST fulfill the following criteria: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10 years (or more) of working experience of Conducting National Level Surveys on Health • Demonstrated experience in health governance, institutional capacity assessment, or system readiness studies. • Familiarity with the health, nutrition and population sector in Bangladesh • Proven expertise in conducting national-level surveys. • Strong team with backgrounds in public health, health economics, public administration, and governance research. • Proven ability to manage large datasets effectively. Applicants fulfilling the following criteria shall be given SPECIAL CONSIDERATION in the selection process: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Working experience with the Health Economics Unit or DGHS 	
13.	Other details (if applicable)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • JVCA is not allowed for this service procurement • 02 copies of the EOI (01 Original and 01 Copy) should be submitted in a SEALED ENVELOPE clearly marked 'Request for EOI for conducting 'Health Governance Readiness for Universal Health Coverage in Bangladesh: A Baseline Study' to the undersigned. 	
14.	Association with external firm	Not Applicable	
15.	Indicative start date (month/year)	January, 2026	
16.	Indicative completion date (month/year)	September, 2026	
PROCURING ENTITY DETAILS			
17.	Name of Official Inviting EOI	Dr. Mohammad Shawkat Hossain Khan	
18.	Designation of Official Inviting EOI	Director Admin. (Deputy Secretary), Health Economics Unit, Health Services Division, MoHFW	
19.	Address of Official Inviting EOI	Health Economics Unit, 3 rd Floor, 14/2, Topkhana Road, Dhaka 1000.	
20.	Contact details of Official Inviting EOI	Telephone- +88 09666782278; ext: 715, E-mail: shawkat9294@gmail.com	
21.	Detail Information	www.heu.gov.bd ; www.cptu.gov.bd	
The Procuring Agency reserves the right to accept/ reject any/ all EOIs without any reason whatsoever & without incurring any liability to the affected applicant(s).			


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