

TERMS OF REFERENCE FOR INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANTS AND CONTRACTORS

Title: International Consultant to support compilation of the background paper on Nutrition Sector Review		Type of engagement <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Consultant (ZCON) <input type="checkbox"/> Individual Contractor Part-Time <input type="checkbox"/> Individual Contractor Full-Time	Duty Station: Home Based
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Purpose of Activity/Assignment:

The purpose of this assignment is to support the preparation of the background paper on Nutrition Sector Review to guide the integration of nutrition into the forthcoming Medium-Term Development Plan (RPJMN 2025-2029) in Indonesia, in collaboration with a national agency already recruited by Bappenas for this purpose.

Scope of Work:

The Government of Indonesia has recently embarked on the preparation of the next five-year National Medium-Term Development Plan for 2025-2029 (known as *RPJMN*), as the first phase of the implementation of the Government's 2025-2045 National Long-Term Development Plan (*RPJPN*). The 2025-2029 *RPJMN* will provide the basis for the formulation of the forthcoming Strategic Plans (*RENSTRA*) of line ministries, as well as the subsequent generations of Provincial and District Medium-Term Development Plans. These plans are taken into account when developing the government's annual work plans and allocating government resources.

Stunting and Wasting indicators are included in the main chapter of Book I of the current *RPJMN* (2020-24), and other nutrition indicators are included in health chapter of Book II.

The government recognizes that more could be done to ensure that nutrition is firmly anchored in the upcoming RPJMN. Given the huge triple burden of malnutrition in the country, the strong focus and commitment on reducing stunting, wasting and other forms of malnutrition is expected to continue in the coming years. This includes how best to address the emerging problems of overweight and non-communicable diseases which appear to affect all income groups. This will be important to ensure achievement by Indonesia to the SDG targets to end hunger and all forms of malnutrition by 2030

UNICEF has been requested by Government of Indonesia through BAPPENAS to support the development of an analytical paper on nutrition that can provide a sound basis for integrating nutrition into the 2025-2029 RPJMN. This work should be built on the findings of different studies and to also include an analysis of the status of implementation of existing policies and plans.

Against this backdrop, UNICEF is seeking one international consultant to work closely with the national agency appointed by Bappenas to support the preparation of the background paper on Nutrition Sector Review. The consultant is expected to support a review of policies and programmes across the life course with specific focus on reducing stunting, wasting, micronutrient deficiencies, and overweight and obesity among women and children, and to lead compilation of the recommendations and report.

Supervisor: Nutrition Specialist/ Chief of Nutrition	Start Date: October 2022	End Date: December 2022	Number of Days (working): 40 days within 3 months duration
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*Work Assignment Overview (SMART)			
Tasks/Milestone:	Deliverables/Outputs:	Timeline	Estimate Budget
In coordination with the national agency recruited by Bappenas, the consultant will: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o identify policies and programmes related to stunting, micronutrient deficiencies and overweight/obesity and support a comprehensive literature review prevention o Analyze nutrition policy and programme implementation status o Review current status of integrating nutrition into health system, food system transformation and climate change policies 	A draft background paper which provides the following: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Synopsis on the implementation status of the nutrition priorities included in the 2020-2024 RPJMN and national policy frameworks and plans for addressing malnutrition in Indonesia 2) Identification of opportunities for integrating nutrition in all relevant sectors (health and non-health) 	October 2022	
In collaboration with the national agency, the consultant will analyze nutrition policy and programme implementation status in Indonesia.	List of draft indicators and targets to be included in the forthcoming RPJMN	November 2022	
Conduct review on the implication and requirement of the recommended measures to investing nutrition in health system, and emerging issues such as food system transformation and climate change to nutrition in Indonesia		November 2022	
Guide the data collection to be led by the national agency	final draft background paper/interim report in English which provides the following:	November 2022	
Analyze the data and information collected and lead compilation of the recommendations and report	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Summary of the nutrition policy and programme implementation status 2) List of recommended steps on how to adopt SDGs into RPJMN 3) List of recommended indicators and targets for inclusion in the forthcoming RPJMN 	November 2022	
With the national agency, develop and share draft findings and recommendations with government officials for feedback and comment	Finalized background paper for Nutrition Sector Review submitted to the GoI	November 2022	
Prepare final report		December 2022	

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<p>Minimum Qualifications required:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Bachelors <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Masters <input type="checkbox"/> PhD <input type="checkbox"/> Other</p> <p>Enter Disciplines</p>	<p>Knowledge/Expertise/Skills required:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum Master’s degree in public health, nutrition, or related field, or significant equivalent experience. • Minimum 15 years’ professional experience in international nutrition and/or health program • Excellent writing skills in English with published articles in international publication • Familiarity with UNICEF’s nutrition programming is an advantage • Proven experience of high-quality report writing and documentation. • Good analytical, facilitation, communication and presentation skills. • Experience in working in Asia (EAPRO) will be an added advantage • Fluency in English (verbal and written). Good written and spoken skills in the language of the humanitarian operation and knowledge
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