

#### United Nations Children's Fund

Title	Funding Code	Type of engagement	Duty Station:
Documentation of Lessons Learned & Best Practices – Country Programme – 2012-2021 – UNICEF Yemen		Consultant	Remote/Online

### Purpose of Activity/Assignment:

To identify and document key lessons learned, good/emerging practices, failures and innovations in implementing the current (2012-2021) Country Programme.

#### **Background/** Scope of Work:

## 1. Background & Justification

The current YCO Country Programme runs from 2012-2022. As we enter the second part of 2021, there is a need to ramp up the preparation process for the next country programme, which will run from 2023-24. Using the power

As input to this process and the overall development of the new Country Programme, YCO will conduct key lessons learned and good practices from the current Country Programme focusing on the last 2-3 years of programme implementation (2018-2021).

Documentation of lessons learned and good practices for continuous improvements in programming.

## 2. Objective of the consultancy

To document key lessons learned, good/emerging practices, failures and innovations in implementing the current (2012-2021) Country Programme that can inform and support advocacy efforts for scale-up and replication in the areas of Education, Child Protection and WASH.

In addition, in 2020, the Country Office worked on six lessons learned cases and one value for money case. These cases are now at the final drafting stage but will require another round of review and redrafting. The international consultant to be assigned will also be requested to support with this work.

Budget Year:	Requesting Section/Issuing Office:	Reasons why consultancy cannot be done by staff:
2021	PMR	This is a time-consuming exercise requiring specific technical skills in knowledge management.

**Included in Annual/Rolling Workplan**: Xes No, please justify:

**Output 7.1:** YCO staff and partners have improved capacity to undertake equity- focused, gender- sensitive and evidence- informed planning and programming.

Activity 7.1.12 Lessons Learned and Value for Money

Consultant sourcing:

□ National 🛛 International 🗌 Both



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Consultant selection method:		Extension/ An	nendment
Competitive Selection (Roster)	eview/Interview)		
If Extension, Justification for extension:			
Supervisor: Boniface Kalanda, Chief, PMR	Start Date: 20.08.21	End Date: Number (workin 19.12.21 80 work	

**TERMS OF REFERENCE FOR INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANTS AND CONTRACTORS** 

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Work Assignment Overview			
Tasks/Milestone:	Deliverables/Outputs:	Timeline	Estimate Budget
Phase 1: Inception			
Desk review of the relevant documents relating to the three selected cases Draft Inception Report, including methodology and	<ol> <li>Inception Report</li> <li>Proposed structure of the three case studies</li> </ol>	15 days	
workplan/timeframe			
Review and endorsement of the draft Inception Report and the proposed structure for the three			
case studies (each case should have max 6 pages) Structure & outline of the three case studies	-		
Phase 2: Data Collection	1	1	1
Preparation for the data collection phase Collect data based on the methodology. The data collection can be done through online interviews; focus group discussions (FDGs). Remotely interviews with key stakeholders (implementing partners: Government; national/international NGOs and UN agencies)		20 days	
Phase 3: Analysis & Drafting			
Analysis and drafting – three case studies		17 days	
Engagement with stakeholders on first draft of the three cases	- cases	4 days	
Review and revise the existing 7 cases	4) Revised draft of the seven cases	12 days	
Phase 4: Validation & Dissemination			
Preparation of a PowerPoint presentation on emerging findings, conclusions, and recommendation	<ul> <li>5) Final and endorsed versions of all the cases</li> <li>6) PPT</li> <li>7) Webinar/presentation</li> </ul>	12 days	
Estimated Consultancy fee			35,000
Travel International (if applicable)			
Travel Local (please include travel plan)			
DSA (if applicable)			
Total estimated consultancy costs <sup>i</sup>			35,000
Minimum Qualifications required:	Knowledge/Expertise/Skills require	ed:	
Bachelors Masters PhD Other	Consultant should demonstrate that he/she can meet the following requirements: - Possess an advanced degree in social sciences, management, health, education, law or development studies, preferably in a university internationally renowned in social sector studies.		

	<ul> <li>At least 8 years of relevant professional experience, for which five years should be in conducting socio-economic analysis.</li> <li>Demonstrate, excellent analytical and report writing skills (sample analytical products will be requested).</li> <li>Strong communication and presentation skills.</li> <li>Excellent writing skills in English language; Good knowledge of Arabic language an advantage.</li> <li>Previous experience with knowledge Management and documentation an advantage.</li> <li>Relevant work experience in Middle East and North Africa region is an added advantage.</li> <li>Previous working experience with UNICEF in a similar capacity is an asset.</li> <li>Other competencies include demonstrated ability to work in a multi-cultural environment and established relationships with national partners</li> </ul>
Administrative details:	Home Based 🗌 Office Based:
Visa assistance required:	If office based, seating arrangement identified:
Transportation arranged by the office:	IT and Communication equipment required:
	Internet access required:
Request Authorised by Section Head	Request Verified by HR:
Approval of Chief of Operations (if Operations):	Approval of Deputy Representative (if Programme)
Representative (in case of single sourcing/or if not listed in	Annual Workplan)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>i</sup> Costs indicated are estimated. Final rate shall follow the "best value for money" principle, i.e., achieving the desired outcome at the lowest possible fee. Consultants will be asked to stipulate all-inclusive fees, including lump sum travel and subsistence costs, as applicable.

Payment of professional fees will be based on submission of agreed deliverables. UNICEF reserves the right to withhold payment in case the deliverables submitted are not up to the required standard or in case of delays in submitting the deliverables on the part of the consultant