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JHARKHAND STATE AIDS CONTROL SOCIETY

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EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

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ADVERTISEMENT FOR INVITING APPLICATIONS FROM INDEPENDENT CONSULTANT/EXPERTS FOR CARE SUPPORT CENTRE EVALUATION

The National AIDS Control Organization (NACO) is a division of India's Ministry of Health and Family Welfare has received Domestic Budgetary Support (DBS) towards the cost of the National HIV/AIDS Control Programme (NACP). The project is an intervention with a goal of reducing the burden of HIV/AIDS cases in the country. The components of the project are prevention, testing and treatment, Outreach Services, programme management and strategic information management with sub-components being care support centre for community based service delivery model which provides counseling psychosocial support and outreach activities, linkage to welfare schemes and an enabling environment for PLHIV, CSC serves as an extension of treatment services for providing care and support to enhance retention, adherence, positive, living referral, and linkages to need based services for PLHIV. Presently, Jharkhand State AIDS control Societyis having five CSC on boarded under domestic budget and completing three years. As per programmatic guidelines, all CSC established under the NACP shall be subject to an external evaluation. The key objective of the evaluation shall be to assess, the quality and overall performance of these organizations. Therefore application & CV are invited from independent consultant /expert as an External Evaluation for END TERM EVALUATION of CARE SUPPORT CENTRE (NGO/CBO working for PLHIV under Jharkhand state AIDS control Society for tenure basis) with following terms & Conditions –

- Independent consultants/Experts are not to be associated directly or indirectly with any CSC project of the concerned State/NACO/development partners who are supporting the NACP.
- > Independent Consultants/Experts should be sensitive to the PLHIV& have a comprehensive understanding of their concern.
- ➤ Qualification & Experience of independent consultants/experts will be
 - PG in Social work, other allied social science & public health (MPH) with seven years of experience in the development sector.
 - For community member Graduation with minimum of three years of experience in the HIV Sector.
- ➤ The External Evaluators will be engaged for two days in evaluating one CSC.
- The External Evaluation will be paid as per SACS/NACO norms.
- > The evaluation will be conducted through document review, data validation, grading the performance of the CSC using the evaluation tool finalized by NACO, key informant interviews & focused group discussions held with PLHIV, with their due consent, during the two day fields visit scheduled for that purpose.
- > The last date for submitting application 07.08.2025 till 5.pm through Email cstjharkhand01@gmail.com or Registered/Speed post at office Address Jharkhand State AIDS Control Society, 4th Floor, Directorate of Health Building, GVI Campus, Tata Road, Namkum, Ranchi-834010

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