

UN Women Call for proposals - Regional Capacity Strengthening on Measurement of Violence against Women in the Arab States Region

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Statistics that adequately reflect the lived realities of women and men, girls and boys are indispensable tools for developing evidence-based policies and interventions to achieve gender equality and women's empowerment. Such statistics help understand the issue being addressed, shed light on areas where progress is made, provide evidence of what works and what does not work, and reveal gaps where further efforts are needed. So this fund seeks proposals to strengthen capacity of an institution or consortium of institutions to contribute to enhanced expertise and capacities at national level on the measurement of Violence Against Women in alignment with globally agreed standards and principles.

The partner institution or consortium of institutions will, with UN Women and WHO's support:

1. Participate in the kick-off meeting to discuss the expected objective of the regional capacity development programme in detail, as well as to develop an agreed upon workplan and work-approach with timelines to implement the program.
2. Conduct a mapping of existing needs, capacities and tools particularly in the region to identify capacity needed to reach the VAW measurement capacity development objectives.
3. Regionalize a training curriculum based on those previously developed by WHO, UNFPA, and other organizations on measuring VAW
4. Deliver a pilot training using this curriculum and revise the curriculum based on lessons learned from the pilot training, and inputs from participants and members of the Technical Advisory Group.
5. Develop a monitoring and evaluation framework to measure capacity shift pre and post training.
6. Identify opportunities to link this regional VAW measurement capacity development initiative with other related initiatives
7. Recommend measures and take action towards ensuring the sustainability and institutionalization of the training curriculum for the Arab States region.
8. Exchange lessons learnt and experience with the similar regional capacity development initiative in the East and Southern Africa region.

Interested proponents may obtain further information by contacting this email address: khamsavath.chanthavysouk@unwomen.org

Deadlines

Requests for clarifications due: 8 April 2020, 17:00 EST (via e-mail)

Proposal due: 17 June 2020, 16:00 EST

Planned award date: 17 July 2020

Planned contract start-date: 03 August 2020

Eligibility: Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), especially Women's organizations, are encouraged to apply.

Fund link: <https://www.unwomen.org/en/how-we-work/programme-implementation/2020/03/call-for-proposals---vaw-data-arab-states>