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Sub-regional Office for the Caribbean invites applications from suitably **qualified individuals**

JOB ID NO.: 0002-JAM
CLOSING DATE: **12 July 2020**
CATEGORY: Individual Consultancy
POST TYPE: Non-rotational
DUTY STATION: UNFPA- Jamaica
DURATION: 60 days
ORGANIZATIONAL UNIT: UNFPA Sub-regional Office for the Caribbean

Purpose of Consultancy

To provide technical support to the Bureau of Gender Affairs and relevant NGOs on the development of protocols and guidelines for the operationalization of shelters and the finalization of the National Shelter Strategy.

Background

In September 2017, the EU and the UN launched an ambitious joint partnership to eliminate all forms of violence against women and girls worldwide. The **Spotlight Initiative** (SI) aims at mobilizing commitment of political leaders and contributing to achieving the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). The Initiative aims at ending all forms of violence against women and girls, targeting those that are most prevalent and contribute to gender inequality across the world. The Spotlight Initiative will deploy targeted, large-scale investments in Asia, Africa, Latin America, the Pacific and the Caribbean, aimed at achieving significant improvements in the lives of women and girls. Jamaica is one of the countries in the Caribbean to benefit from this transformative initiative.

The overall vision of the Spotlight Initiative in Jamaica is that women and girls realize their full potential in a violence-free, gender-responsive and inclusive way. The Spotlight Initiative will directly contribute to the achievement of three of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs): Goal 5 on Gender Equality, Goal 3 on Good Health and Well-being and Goal 16 on Inclusive and Peaceful Societies.

Scope of work – *inter alia*

Under the supervision of UNFPA, Bureau of Gender Affairs and relevant NGOs, the individual consultant will perform the following specific tasks:

- A desk review of the international and/or regional best practices and national existing strategies and protocols.
- Based on the desk review, make a conceptual and analytical review of the existing “National Shelter Strategy Jamaica for Survivors of Gender Based Violence”.
- Conduct key informant interviews, in-depth interviews, and/or focus group discussions, with key stakeholders including staff of the existing shelters; actors of the BGA and of Woman Inc; operators of the human trafficking shelter; and other members of the shelters task-force; providers of the health sector, including sexual and reproductive health; as well as of the justice, police, education and social sectors; among others

Requirements:

Visit our website: <https://bit.ly/UNFABOF> for the detailed Terms of Reference.

To apply, kindly complete a profile in the UNFPA Consultants Roster at <http://consultantroster.unfpa.org> and submit the generated Job ID # along with application letter to:

Vacancy #: 2020/ICC-02

The Spotlight Initiative

14-20 Port Royal Street, Kingston

Email: vacancy.sroc@unfpa.org

Only short-listed candidates will be contacted.

Note:

- There is no application, processing or other fee at any stage of the application process.
- UNFPA does not solicit or screen for information in respect of HIV or AIDS and does not discriminate on the basis of HIV/AIDS status.
- UNFPA provides a work environment that reflects the values of gender equality, teamwork, respect for diversity, integrity and a healthy balance of work and life. We are committed to maintaining our balanced gender distribution and therefore encourage women to apply.