

UNAIDS Brazil

Terms of Reference

Project: Data collection, production of evidence, data analysis for the implementation of the 2016 United Nations Political Declaration on HIV and AIDS *On the Fast-Track to Accelerate the Fight against HIV and to End the AIDS Epidemic by 2030 and for the implementation HIV Prevention 2020 Road Map.*

Background:

The 2016 United Nations Political Declaration on HIV and AIDS *On the Fast-Track to Accelerate the Fight against HIV and to End the AIDS Epidemic by 2030* adopted at the United Nations General Assembly High-Level Meeting on AIDS in June 2016, mandated UNAIDS to support countries in reporting on the commitments in the Political Declaration. As part of the recommendations, the Political Declaration calls countries to *accelerate efforts to increase significantly the availability of high -quality, timely and reliable data, including on incidence and prevalence, disaggregated by income, sex, mode of transmission, age (including for ages 10 to 14 and over the age of 49), race, ethnicity, migratory status, disability, marital status, geographic location and other characteristics relevant in national contexts as well as the strengthening of national capacity for use and analysis of such data and for evaluation of efforts to improve population size estimates, resource allocation by population and location and service access and to fill critical data gaps.*

The UNAIDS Country Office (UCO) is supporting Brazil in fast-tracking the national AIDS response to achieve treatment, prevention and zero discrimination targets with a focus on location and population. Brazil is a country of continental dimensions and despite the fact that HIV epidemic is mainly concentrated on key populations, there are some important regional differences that demand different responses. To understand the specific context of high burden areas and the needs for fast-tracking local responses represents a continuous challenge for the work of the country office.

The UCO is also supporting the country in fast-tracking combination prevention in order to reduce new HIV infections in the country. In October 2017, the Global HIV Prevention Coalition was established to galvanize greater commitment and investment in HIV prevention and to agree on a road map to meet the 2020 targets. Ministers of Health and other government officials from 25 countries with a high number of new HIV infections, including Brazil, and leaders of more than 20 international and civil society organizations participated in the inaugural meeting of the Coalition between 10 and 11 October 2017 in Geneva and endorsed the HIV Prevention 2020 Road Map.

Aligned with UNAIDS Strategy 2016 – 2021 and with the United Nations Sustainable Development Partnership Framework 2017-2021 for Brazil, UNAIDS CO is hiring a specialized consultant in order to strengthen the work of UNAIDS in Brazil in strategic information area.

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Objective: The purpose of this consultancy is to provide technical support to data collection, production of evidence, data analysis for the implementation of the 2016 United Nations Political Declaration on HIV and AIDS *On the Fast-Track to Accelerate the Fight against HIV and to End the AIDS Epidemic by 2030*. Therefore the consultancy will contribute with UNAIDS' strategic information role focused on assessing progress and identifying information and programmatic gaps of the country's HIV response, and support the development of activities to produce and disseminate evidence based information and best practices.

Products:

- Develop and update analysis on most relevant data of HIV epidemic and response in Brazil, including, but not limited to: surveillance and survey results on trends of the epidemic including through the use of standard estimation tools, with focus on location and population; programmatic and survey data on the HIV response; national and local progress on achieving fast-tracking treatment, prevention and zero discrimination targets; triangulation and modelling of epidemiological and response data to assess impact and identify programmatic gaps.
- Develop and update fact sheets with relevant information about HIV epidemic (including broader health, socioeconomic and stigma and discrimination data) for each one of the key populations for HIV epidemic in Brazil.
- Collect and analyse relevant data from the Brazilian cities that signed Paris Declaration, and provide support for the monitoring and evaluation of their advances and challenges in achieving 90-90-90 treatment targets.
- Support the country office in answering strategic information demands from media and other partners, including the preparation of briefings and presentations.
- Support the country office in implementing researches to produce evidence based information, including behavioural surveillance surveys with key populations and surveys on stigma and discrimination.
- Support the preparation of reports at national level and contributes data and analyses to the regional and global level.
- Support the country office in identifying, systematizing and documenting best practices and lessons learned at national and local responses to the epidemic.
- Provide strategic information and advice to the country office about specific programmatic actions and reprogramming informed by strategic analyses that identify programme gaps.
- Prepare and disseminate a monthly report on the development of the activities.
- A final technical report of all the activities carried out will be provided in the end of the contract.

Time Frame: From 25 March to 25 December 2019.

Supervision: The professional will work in close collaboration with UNAIDS Country Director in Brazil.

Profile of the consultant:

- Advanced university degree (doctor's degree) in public health,

medicine, epidemiology, statistics, demography or other health related areas.

- A minimum of 10 years of professional work experience in the national/local response to AIDS.
- Sound knowledge and experience on HIV programmes and strategic information on public health, including in the data collection, production of evidence, data analysis.
- Advanced knowledge of English

Selection Process: CV and financial offer (monthly value) must be sent until 13 March 2019 to brazil@unaids.org, with the subject " Consultant – Strategic Information". Only selected candidates will be contacted.

Payment Terms: Payments are processed every month under presentation of technical report