Terms of Reference Senior Consultant- UIP (One Position)

National Health Systems Resource Centre (NHSRC), New Delhi on behalf of Ministry of Health & Family Welfare is seeking applications from qualified candidates for the above mentioned post purely on contractual basis.

Roles and Responsibilities:

- 1. Provide techno-managerial support to DC (I) for various activities of the Immunization Division.
- 2. To collect, compile and analyse routine and supplementary immunization coverage and monitoring data and provide feedback to senior officials in MoHFW and state officials for interventions at national and subnational levels.
- 3. Develop technical guidelines and protocols on matters related to Routine and new vaccines, programme implementation and policy for improving immunization coverage in the country.
- 4. Assist MoHFW in techno-managerial capacity for introduction of new vaccines.
- 5. Review the progress of immunization program in different states of the country.
- 6. Undertake field visits to monitor the planning and implementation of immunization program, providing feedback at appropriate levels.
- 7. Assist MoHFW in review and coordination of the allocated thematic components of UIP like Monitoring & Evaluation, Vaccine logistics management, Health System Strengthening etc. with states and partners.
- 8. Assist MoHFW in establishing monitoring and review mechanisms related to status of vaccine stock, cold chain logistics and training.
- 9. Assist the States/UTs for preparation and review of project implementation plan under National Health Mission.
- 10. Liasoning with state in effective implementation of programme and improvement of immunization coverage.
- 11. Organize and coordinate meetings of technical expert committees, document the minutes of meetings and subsequently follow up on action points.
- 12. Coordinate with partners and stakeholders for improvement of program performance.
- 13. Undertake any other activities / tasks as assigned by the supervisors.

Eligibility:

- 1. Medical Graduate with Post-Graduate in Public Health or Health Management or Community Health or Community Health Administration or Preventive & Social Medicine.
- 2. Minimum 5+ years of experience out of which 3 years relevant experience in NHM/RCH/Immunization related programmes. Preference will be given to candidates who have worked in NHM/RCH/Immunization programme at National level.
- 3. Candidate having experience in public health system, and relevant government policies/ strategies, particularly in the field of National Health Mission and Immunization.
- 4. Computer proficiency with commonly used packages like MS Word, Excel, Power Point & Web surfing.
- 5. Excellent communication and presentation skills, analytical and interpersonal abilities, excellent oral and written communication skills in English. Working knowledge of Hindi is also desirable.
- 6. Demonstrated ability to work in a multi-disciplinary team environment.
- 7. Demonstrated experience in operationalizing health programme at field level/ working in strengthening of district level health systems.
- 8. Willingness to travel to states and districts to provide technical assistance and ability to work on different assignments simultaneously to meet the timelines for assignments.
- 9. Formal educational qualification, experience and age could be relaxed when there is published work of high quality or work experience of specific relevance.

Desirable:

- 1. Work experience of 2-3 years in the field of Immunization at National level.
- 2. Experience in the field of introduction of new vaccines in the country.

Age: Up to 55 years as on last date for receiving application and having sound health to undertake extensive field visits.

Remuneration Range: Between Rs. 90,000/- to 130,000 per month

Location: New Delhi with willingness to travel to states and districts

To Apply: Candidates are requested to download the application form attached with the TOR, which is uploaded on the NHSRC website and email the duly filled application form to rch.imm.mohfw@gmail.com by **23-Aug-2018**. Application submitted in other format will not be accepted. Please ensure to mention post applied for on the application form, without which the application form will not be accepted.