



GOVERNMENT OF SINDH  
SOCIAL PROTECTION STRATEGY UNIT  
CHIEF MINISTER'S SECRETARIAT

## Request for Bids

**Employer:** Social Protection Strategy Unit, Chief Minister's Secretariat, Govt. of Sindh.  
**Project:** Sindh Enhancing Response to Reduce Stunting Project (SERRSP)  
**Contract title:** Payment Service Provider for Health & Nutrition Conditional Cash Transfer  
**Country:** Islamic Republic of Pakistan  
**Loan/Credit No:** IDA / 60470  
**RFB No:** PK-SPU-211111-NC-RFB  
**Issued on:** 1<sup>st</sup> February, 2021

1. The Government of Sindh (herein after called Borrower) has received financing from the International Development Association (IDA) (the Bank) in the form of a credit (hereinafter called credit) towards the cost of Sindh Enhancing Response to Reduce Stunting Project (SERRSP). The Project Director, Social Protection Strategy Unit, Chief Minister's Secretariat an implementation Agency intends to apply part of the proceeds of this credit towards payments under the contract for which this invitation of bids is issued. Bidding is open to all bidders from eligible source countries as defined in the World Bank Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers dated July 2016 (Revised in Nov 2017 and August 2018) available on [www.worldbank.org](http://www.worldbank.org).
2. The Social Protection Strategy Unit, Chief Minister's Secretariat, Government of Sindh now invites sealed bids from eligible Bidders for procurement of "**Payment Service Provider for Health & Nutrition Conditional Cash Transfer in Tharparkar and Umarmkot Districts in Sindh Province**", (hereinafter called "non-consulting services"). The supply of services and the execution of the related services are to be completed in one (01) year.
3. Bidding documents may be purchased from the following address for a **non-refundable fee of PKR. 1,000 (Pakistan Rupees One Thousand Only)** payable through pay order in favour of "**Social Protection Strategy Unit**".

**Project Director, Social Protection Strategy Unit**  
**Chief Minister's Secretariat, Government of Sindh**  
**5<sup>th</sup> Floor, State Life Building No.11, Abdullah Haroon Road, Saddar, Karachi (Sindh)**  
**Pakistan.**

4. Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information from the same address during office hours.
5. Bids shall be valid for a period of **120 Days** after bid opening and must be accompanied by security Rs.2.00 million (Pak Rupees Two Million) of bidding price and shall be delivered to the above-mentioned address on or before **10<sup>th</sup> March 2021 at 12:00 Noon** at which time they will be opened in the presence of the bidders who wish to attend. Late Bids will be rejected. Bids will be publicly opened in the presence of the Bidders' designated representatives and anyone who chooses to attend at the same address.
6. Interested bidders may also download the Bidding Documents from project website [www.spsu.gos.pk](http://www.spsu.gos.pk).

7. Those bidders who download the Bidding Documents from project website shall attach documents fee with Bidding Documents as mentioned in Para-3 of this IFB.
8. No alteration / modification is allowed in Bidding Documents downloaded from the website. Any alteration, modification found in the Bidding Documents might lead to disqualification of bidder.
9. Bidding procedure used is **Single Stage One-Envelope**.
10. All bidders shall be required to submit with their bids, qualification information specified in the bidding documents. This information shall be used for the post-qualification of bidders.
11. Bidders should give their best and final price in their bids as no negotiations are expected.
12. As provided in the bidding documents, bidders engaged in corrupt or fraudulent practices (including collusion/pooling) will be declared ineligible, either indefinitely or for a stated period, to be awarded a contract financed by the World Bank.

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