

Request for Proposal on:

'Assessing the care gap and its impact on the mental health of resident children of government run Child Care Institutes (CCIs)

By- West Bengal Commission for Protection of Child Rights

Apply by: June 30th ,2019

West Bengal Commission for Protection of Child Rights (WBCPCR) has made observations on several occasions with regard to the children in need of Care and Protection based at the Child Care Institutes. They often face problems within the CCI as well as once they are out in main stream society.

There are issues with their emotional well being which need to be addressed. As a first step, this needs to be identified.

The CCIs under the JJ Act, 2015 are mandated with certain rules which are to be followed for the children's welfare and development. There is a need to assess how far these are being adhered to.

WBCPCR would like to invite proposals to conduct a study from interested Institutions/ organizations working in the field of mental health, especially with children, who are in need of care and protection.

The objective behind such a study is:

- Identifying the care gaps and bridging the gap (regarding infrastructure, food etc)
- Status of mental health of children in the CCIs

The project time line would be : July,2019 - December,2019, followed by compilation of data and final report and its publication by March 2020

The Proposals should include the following points:

1. Background of the study:
2. Objective of the study:
3. Location of the study:
4. Deliverables:
5. How to apply / application should include:
 - Letter of expression of Interest

- Organizational Profile
- Proposal should describe the following points: Introduction of the applicant agency, past experience and proven track record, Curriculum Vitae of the Principal Researcher and other research personnel (if any)
- Proposed methodology
- Work plan including: Time frame, Budget, Human Resource
- Two professional references
- Audited statement and report of last one year

Interested institutions/organizations etc are requested to submit the proposal with proposed budget in a sealed document mentioning **“Proposal on assessing the care gap and its impact on the mental health of resident children of government run Child Care Institutes (CCIs)”**, to the address given below:

- **Secretary**

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