# **Request for Proposal**

## A study on the Impact of domestic violence on children

## West Bengal Commission for Protection of Child Rights

Location: West Bengal

**Apply by:** 15<sup>th</sup> May, 2018

## Background of the study:

Children living with domestic violence grow up in an environment of fear, anxiety and tension. It can lead to significant emotional and psychological trauma. Instead of growing up in an emotionally and physically safe, secured, nurturing environment, these children are forced to worry about the future; they tend to predict when it might happen next and try to protect themselves and their siblings.

Most of the times, domestic violence is seen as the violation of women's rights, but the issue of rights of child are often not prioritized. Domestic Violence affects right to education, right to have good physical and mental health, right to be protected from neglect, rejection, desertion, right to have proper nutritious food and freedom of movement.

So, it seems that the incidence of violence affects both women and children but in a different manner. It denies the rights of women, children and in a nutshell rights of human.

Considering the situation the West Bengal Commission for Protection of Child Rights would like to conduct a study on the Impact of domestic violence on children.

#### Objectives of the study:

- To understand the extent of the problem
- To know the social, physical and emotional impact on children who are exposed to domestic violence
- To know how the basic rights of children are being violated
- To analyse the role of stakeholders
- To formulate a set of recommendations to mitigate the problem

#### **Current Assignment:**

The study time frame is between July 2018 and February 2019. It will include data collection, data analysis, and finalisation of the study report along with recommendations and dissemination of findings.

WBCPCR invites applications from the agencies/individuals to carry out the in-depth qualitative study with the high quality reports.

**Location of the study:** Kolkata and 6 districts from North and South Bengal (including both rural and urban area)

How to apply?



Following documents are requested to be submitted:

- ii. A letter of expression of interest
- iii. Organisational profile
- iv. Proposal that describes the following points
  - Detailed introduction to the applicant agency, past experience and proven track record
  - Proposed methodology for the study
  - Work-plan including an estimate of the number of days required for the assignment and number of human resources required
  - Two professional references
  - Detailed Budget & Timeline
- v. CVs of principal researchers and key staff members on the assignment

Interested agencies/individuals are requested to submit only hard copies of detailed proposal, time break up of activities and a detailed financial proposal (proposed budget) in a sealed envelope in the following address:

West Bengal Commission For Protection of Child Rights ICMARD Building (9<sup>th</sup> Floor), Block-14/2 CIT Scheme- VIII (M), Ultadanga, Kolkata-700067.

Please note that all application should reach the Commission with a detailed proposal & budget within 15<sup>th</sup> May, 2018.