

# **TERMS OF REFERENCE**

**Evidence Review Consultancy** 

Child Protection Minimum Standards Working Group Alliance for Child Protection in Humanitarian Action

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### **Role Purpose:**

The <u>Child Protection Minimum Standards Working Group</u> of the <u>Alliance for Child Protection</u> in <u>Humanitarian Action</u> are seeking a research consultant!

Pillar 4 highlights the risks of health, food security and other sectoral programming that is blind to child protection risks, including the potential exposure of children to further harm, inefficient use of resources, and compromising sectoral outcomes. However, there have been limited efforts to analyse existing evidence and data to demonstrate the benefits of child protection sensitive programming in education or other sectors. This area of work will aim to conduct a thorough analysis of existing research and grey literature in diverse humanitarian settings to document the impact of child protection sensitive sectoral programming. Ideally the review will aim to quantify the potential cost of sectoral programming that does not sufficiently consider children's protection and well-being.

#### **General Deliverables:**

- 1. Methodology for all aspects of the work
- 2. Two 10-page evidence reviews of the impact of sectoral programming that is unaware of child protection risks / the benefits of sectoral programming that is sensitive to child protection. Each evidence review will focus on one specific sector, likely to be health and camp management.

#### Timeframe:

This Evidence Review consultancy is currently being recruited for 20 days, from mid-November 2021 – 28 February 2022. The evidence review is scheduled for November-mid-January, with dissemination taking place in February 2022.

#### **Desired Skills, Experience and Approach:**

- Solid experience in undertaking desk reviews of both academic and grey literature
- Experience writing for humanitarian actors around the world
- Experience calculating financial impacts of programming
- Knowledge of the *Minimum Standards for Child Protection in Humanitarian Action*, Sphere and related humanitarian standards
- Knowledge and experience of both child protection and health or camp management programming in humanitarian settings is preferred



## **Application Process:**

Please submit applications to the CPMS Working Group by 8 November 2021, with the subject line "Application: CPMS evidence review" to <a href="mailto:susanna.davies@rb.se">susanna.davies@rb.se</a>. Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis. You are encouraged to apply early!

In your application, please include:

- A link to the most relevant sample of your research work
- A short letter that describes:
  - Your experience working on child protection and other sectorsin humanitarian settings
  - o The particular value you would bring to this work
  - How you would approach the review
- Your CV and two professional references
- Your daily rate