

**Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh**

Ministry of Health and Family Welfare

Health Economics Unit (HEU)

Shasthyo Shuroksha Karmasuchi (SSK) Pilot Project

Shasthyo Shuroksha Karmasuchi (SSK) Cell

14/2 Topkhana Road (3rd floor)

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**Expression of Interest (Eoi)**

for

Hiring 'Firm/ company/ NGO' as Scheme Operator (SO) for managing field level implementation of the Shasthyo Shuroksha Karmasuchi (SSK) Pilot Project

1.	Ministry/ Division	: Ministry of Health and Family Welfare
2.	Agency	: Health Economics Unit (HEU)
3.	Name of the procuring entity	: Director, Shasthyo Shuroksha Karmasuchi (SSK) Cell
4.	Procuring entity code	:
5.	Procuring entity district	: Dhaka
6.	Expression interest for Selection of	: Company / Organization / NGO - registered and licensed to manage health insurance in Bangladesh - as Scheme Operator (SO) for managing field level implementation of the SSK Pilot Project
7.	Date	: 15-02-2015

**Key Information:**

8.	Procurement Sub-Method	: Quality and Cost Based Selection (QCBS)
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**Funding Information:**

9.	Budget and Source of Funds	: Government of Bangladesh (GoB)
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**Particular Information:**

10.	Project/ Program Code (if applicable)	:
13.	Project/ Program Name (if applicable)	: Shasthyo Shuroksha Karmasuchi (SSK) Pilot Project
11.	Eoi Closing Date and Time	: 25-02-2015

**Information for Applicant:**

12.	Brief Description if the Assignment	<p>SSK (Shasthyo Surokhsha Karmasuchi) is the social health protection scheme developed by the Health Economics Unit (HEU) of the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare (MoHFW) .This scheme is a model of health insurance. It was decided that a pilot scheme would initially be implemented at Upazila level.</p> <p>The scheme operator of the SSK will be an insurance company, an organization, or a NGO to which the task of administering the SSK will be outsourced by SSK Cell.</p> <p>The Scheme Operator will professionally conduct core SSK operations in the following areas: (i) SSK membership and Health Card management; (ii) SSK claims and finance management; (iii) Provider</p>
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		management and contracting.
13.	Experience, Resources and Delivery Capacity Required	At least 10 years of experience in providing health insurance to / experience of managing large funds for poor people in urban and rural settings;  Physical presence in the pilot regions with offices at least on district level with outreach possibilities to the pilot Upazilas; ability to employ mobile teams for outreach;  Experience with: use of smart cards for identification of the beneficiaries; cash and in kind benefits; low income clients; contracting low cost public and private health care providers; collaborating with low cost public and private health care providers.
14.	Other Detail (if applicable)	: Not Applicable
15.	Association with foreign firm is	: Not Applicable
16.	Phasing of Services	: 2 years with an option for additional 2 years
Procuring Entity Details:		
17.	Name of Official Inviting Eol	: <a href="#">Md. Hafizur Rahman</a>
18.	Designation of Official Inviting Eol	: <a href="#">Director</a>
19.	Address of Official Inviting Eol	: <a href="#">Ansari Bhaban ( 3rd Floor) , 14/2 Topkhana Road. Dhaka</a>
20.	Contact Details of the Official Inviting Eol	: <a href="#">Ansari Bhaban ( 3rd Floor) , 14/2 Topkhana Road. Dhaka. Tel : 9586822</a> <a href="#">Email : sskcell@gmail.com</a>
21.	<a href="#">Detail</a> information available in the Website	: <a href="#">www.heu.gov.bd</a> , <a href="#">www.cptu.gov.bd</a>
The Procuring Entity Reserve the Right to Accept or Reject all Eol's		
Md Hafizur Rahman Director HEU		