

**FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA**  
**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL AFFAIRS**  
**REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (RFP)**  
**RFP Number: FSM/DHSA/RHD/2026-01**  
**Issue Date: February 03, 2026**  
**Closing Date: April 04, 2026**

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## **1. INVITATION**

The Federated States of Micronesia (FSM) Department of Health and Social Affairs (DHSA) invites qualified and experienced organizations or individuals to submit proposals to provide **Rheumatic Heart Disease (RHD) screening, treatment, and consultation services in the FSM States of Kosrae, Pohnpei, Chuuk, and Yap.**

This RFP is issued in accordance with applicable FSM procurement regulations and policies.

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## **2. SCOPE OF WORK**

The successful bidder shall be responsible for the following:

- 2.1 Screening Activities:** Conduct RHD screening for approximately **2,000 to 5,000 children and youth in the FSM.**
- 2.2 Treatment:** Treat screened patients as needed.
- 2.3 Consultation:** Consult with public health and hospital staff on the screening results, treatment plans, and future recommendation on management of patients.
- 2.4 Staffing:** Provide qualified medical professionals, including: Physicians, Nurses, Echocardiographers.
- 2.3 Training and Capacity Building**
  - Provide hands-on training and mentorship for up to **four (4) local health workers** in each state.
- 2.4 Referral and Follow-Up**
  - Identify suspected or confirmed RHD cases.
- 2.5 Health Education**

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## **5. LOCATION AND DURATION**

- Project Location:** Federated States of Micronesia
- Project Duration:** Two (2) weeks mission in each State
- Completion Date:** On or before November 26, 2026

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## **6. DELIVERABLES**

Based on the scope of work, the contractor shall provide the following deliverables:

1. Screening implementation plan and schedule
2. Screening logs and participant records
3. Referral and follow-up documentation
4. Training records and competency assessments
5. Final report summarizing:

- Number of individuals screened in each state and an overall number in the FSM.
- Number of positive or suspected RHD cases
- Number of referrals made with specific diagnosis/ prescription.
- Number of local staff trained with specifications identifying if the staff meet minimal knowledge to carry out RHD screening in their respective states.

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## **8. BUDGET**

A detailed budget with narratives must be submitted to justify the costs. The FSM Department of Health and Social Affairs reserves the right to award the bid as it sees proper. The contractor must adhere to FSM National Government Rule and Regulation in expending the funds.

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## **9. PROPOSAL SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS**

Proposals must include the following:

1. Cover letter signed by an authorized representative
2. Organizational profile and relevant experience
3. Technical approach and work plan
4. Staffing plan and qualifications
5. Training and capacity-building strategy
6. Monitoring and evaluation approach
7. Detailed budget and justification

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## **11. PROCUREMENT CONDITIONS**

- FSM DHSA reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.
- Submission of a proposal does not obligate FSM DHSA to award a contract.
- All costs associated with proposal preparation are the responsibility of the bidder.
- The selected bidder will be required to enter into a formal contract with FSM DHSA.

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## **12. CONTACT INFORMATION SUBMISSION GUIDELINES**

All submission and inquiries regarding this RFP shall be directed to:

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Approved by:

  
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