

Call for EoIs to Serve as a CCM Member

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First Announcement of CCM THAILAND: Subject: The Election and Selection of CCM Members for the 2024-2026 term

Topic: Call for Expression of Interest (EoIs) to represent the Thailand constituency in serving as Country Coordinating Mechanism (CCM) member of Thailand for projects supported by the Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria (GFATM).

Background: With support from and cooperation with the Global Fund, Thailand has formed a cooperation between the Royal Thai Government, the Global Fund, and other key stakeholders to fight AIDS, tuberculosis, and malaria. Since 2002, the Global Fund has awarded GF grants to Thailand for more than 583.43 million USD, and CCM was established in accordance with MOPH Order on February 18th, 2002, B.E. 2545. CCM is a unique structure at the national level that unites representatives from stakeholders including public and private sectors, CSOs, and representatives from key affected populations in the response to the three diseases to achieve the goal of a world free from the burden of AIDS, tuberculosis, and malaria. CCM Thailand coordinates the development of the national funding request from the Global Fund on behalf of the country, and provides strategic oversight to ensure effective and strategic implementation of the approved grant for NGOs and several government institutions. As the main governance body charged with securing Global Fund financing and overseeing the implementation of the grant, CCM Thailand embodies the same principles and values. Ethical, transparent, and responsible decision-making by CCM is key for program success in the country.

Roles and Responsibilities of CCM:

- Coordinates the development of the national request for the Global Fund funding
- Nominates the Principal Recipients (PRs)
- Oversees the implementation of approved grants
- Approval of any reprogramming requests
- Ensures linkages and consistency between GF grants and other national health and development programs

Level of commitment from CCM members (times and resources):

CCM members are expected to dedicate an individual's working time to attend and participate in the CCM meetings at least four regular meetings being held at about quarterly intervals throughout the year, with 0.5 days set aside.

Terms of membership of CCM member: a three-year term

CCM member skillset for effective constituency Engagement:

To represent their respective constituencies and ensure their voices are heard in the CCM forums, it is expected that each CCM member demonstrates:

- **ability to effectively** represent his/her constituency at the national level;
- **willingness to** meet with constituency members, solicit inputs and provide regular feedback to the constituency in a timely manner;
- **active engagement** in his/her constituency and knowledge of constituency issues, needs, concerns and policies on constituency endorsement process;
- **adequate knowledge** of AIDS, tuberculosis and malaria to engage in discussion and decision-making in disease related issues;
- **ability to widely consult and negotiate** with a broad spectrum of stakeholders, seeking consensus on constituency issues while aligning with overall national priorities;
- **ability to remain independent** and objective by adopting an evidence-based approach to problem solving and respecting confidential information;
- **ability to speak** to and make decisions on behalf of his/her constituency through an ongoing dialogue.¹

Benefit to be CCM members:

- At least 15% of the CCM Funding agreement amount must be allocated to support constituency engagement for non-governmental sector activities, in order to facilitate nongovernmental constituency consultations, including civil society and key population groups and to promote and improve the quality of stakeholder participation.
- CCM members eligible to receive budget support for accommodation, meals, local and non-local travel costs in the time to attend the CCM activities.

In reference to the Global fund's Operational Policy Manual², CCM Funding has the limitations to use to remunerate CCM members including honorarium or per-diem for CCM with the exception of compensating representatives of the civil society for lost earnings due to attending CCM meetings.

Limitations and challenges to be CCM members: The time commitment and involvement of constituency representatives are crucial in carrying out the CCM function toward achieving the goal of ending AIDS, tuberculosis, and malaria in Thailand with restricted funds and human resources.

**An Interested Person/Organization Should Submit the Application Form
to The CCM Secretariat Office (ccmthailand@gmail.com)**

By 20th Of November 2023

¹Country Coordinating Mechanism Guidance Note Engagement Annex 1 - CCM Member Guidance to Meaningfully Engage Updated March 2021

²Operational Policy Manual, 02 November 2023