

**Dawladda Puntland
Ee Soomaaliya**



**Puntland Government
of Somalia**

**Wasaaradda Horumarinta Haweenka iyo Arrimaha Qoyska
Ministry of Women Development and Family Affairs (MOWDAFA)
XAFIISKA AGAASIMAHA GUUD
DIRECTOR GENERAL OFFICE**

***Subject: CONTRACT BETWEEN MINISTRY OF WOMEN DEVELOPMENT & FAMILY AFFAIRS
and LOCAL CONSULTANT FOR CHILD PROTECTION***

Ministry of Women Development & Family Affairs (MOWDAFA) is one of the 19 ministries of the Puntland Government. This ministry was established in 2005 and has been **mandated** by the Puntland Government to support the development of integrated programs for women and family welfares. Its **mission** is to act as facilitator, advocate, coordinator and monitor of policies and programs to promote gender equality and equity, protecting of the rights of women and children, and enhancing their overall development and promoting the welfare of families. In terms of staffing, MOWDAFA has 49 full time staff and 15 part time staff.

Context of work

The **CP local consultant (CPLC)** will be deployed to MoWDAFA Head office with direct collaborating to UNICEF, overall protection response in Puntland. The CPLC will provide technical expertise to support the implementation and monitoring of child protection activities and build the capacity of actors involved in child protection interventions (government agencies and civil society) and will work on strengthening regional and national partnerships across stakeholders for the Child Protection Response. The CPLC will work in close cooperation with UNICEF offices, as well as and other relevant national and international actors.

OVERALL OBJECTS

To strengthen adequacy and referral system and coordination of various stakeholders and draft, review and finalize national policy on protecting for CP and justice for the children in Puntland, the ministry of women, Development and family affairs (MOWDAFA) in partnership with UNICEF is now engaged in endorsement of alternative care policy to the cabinets. The alternative care policy mainly aims to protect all rights of children living in Puntland

TERMS OF THE AGREEMENT

The ministry of women development and family affairs is one of ministries of Puntland state of Somalia, which aims to facilitate, advocate, coordinate and monitor policies and programs set for the promotion of gender equality, equity and protection and women and children's rights.

The fulfillment of the above mentioned responsibility, MOWDAFA formulated The Local Consultant responsible to provide technical and field support to MOWDAFA and LNGOs in designated areas for all Protection activities, especially CP, including data gathering and analysis, supervision of all activities, training and capacity building of MOWDAFA staffs and partner including monitoring and report writing.

The consultant will also provide support for endorsing existing alternative care policy to cabinets

Key tasks and accountabilities

1. Institutionalize regular coordination consisting of civil society groups, religious, leaders, multi-disciplinary departments, judges, prosecutors, defense lawyers and police regarding the rights and best interest for the CP.
2. Coordinate workshops and prepare meetings minutes, which are to be circulated in a timely manner to all concerned and relevant stakeholders.
3. Draft, review and finalize national policy on protecting the children and justice for the CP cases.

4. Ensure smooth coordination of the activities with relevant partners: governmental bodies including; juvenile justice institutions, civil society, women groups and NGOs.
5. Develop a strategy and action plan to support victims at risk (street children, women against violence, children at prison etc.)
6. Develop and implement a public-awareness campaign on women right, child rights and best interest for the children and women.
7. Gathering statistics, reviews and regulations regarding rights and best interest for the children from the relevant stakeholders.
8. Submit monthly, quarterly and yearly reports;
9. Providing expert knowledge of CP practice to MOWDAFA.
10. Monitoring and facilitating the implementation of relevant legislation, delegations, policies, quality standards and the Women and Child Safety Practice Manual.

DURATION OF THE CONTRACT

The period of this contract is 12 months period starting from **1st March 2023 up to 1 February 2024?**

B. SALARY AND BENEFITS

MOWDAFA will pay a salary of US dollars **\$1,500.00(One thousand Five hundred dollar only)** to the consultant as a salary per month payable at the end of each month.

On behalf of The Ministry of Women development and Family **hired Abdirahman Abdullahi Abdirahman** for the position of CP local consultant to perform the above duties for the above specified time.

On behalf of Ministry

Child Protection local consultant

Abduqadir Yusuf Dahir

MOWDAFA Director General

CP local consultant

Date: _____

Date: _____

Signature _____

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