PATH/W/08/23: TENDER FOR THE PROPOSED ZAMBIA BIOMEDICAL EQUIPMENT MANAGEMENT SURVEY

1. PATH is an international organization that drives transformative innovation to save lives and improve health, especially among women and children. We accelerate innovation across five platforms—vaccines, drugs, diagnostics, devices, and system and service innovations—that harness our entrepreneurial insight, scientific and public health expertise, and passion for health equity. By mobilizing partners around the world, we take innovation to scale, working alongside countries primarily in Africa and Asia to tackle their greatest health needs. Together, we deliver measurable results that disrupt the cycle of poor health.

2. PATH intends to implement a biomedical equipment survey focused on respiratory care equipment and oxygen delivery systems in 91 health care facilities. This activity will also document the availability and functional condition of key oxygen devices, respiratory care, and related biomedical equipment in health facilities, which may help government partners to evaluate their medical device management processes and enable improvements within their health systems.

3. PATH now invites sealed bids from eligible survey firms with substantial formal training in qualitative and quantitative research methods, at least five years of relevant experience conducting qualitative and quantitative research, involving the collection of original or source data, familiarity using data collection tools such as SurveyCTO and ODK, excellent communication and team skills, experience in engaging different stakeholders, demonstrated ability to work effectively with government entities, high level of professional integrity.

4. Bidding will be conducted through the Open Bidding and is open to all eligible and interested bidders as defined in the Bidding Documents. All bids will be considered.

5. A complete set of soft copies of bidding documents (request for scope of work, Request for Quotation, and the list of facilities) may be obtained from PATH, upon request through email: sourcebmes@path.org by referencing:
   • RFP 2023-080 for BMES

6. Bids must be delivered to and placed in the tender box at the address below on or before 12:30 hour local time on Thursday, 31st August 2023. Bids must be appropriately bound, sealed, and labelled. Electronic bidding will not be permitted. Late bids will be rejected.
Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders or their representatives who choose to attend at the address below immediately after **12:30 hour** local time on **Thursday, 31st August 2023**.

**The bidders are required to submit one (1No.) original and three (3No.) copies of their bids.**

7. The addresses referred to above are:
Stand# 11059, Mikwala House, Brentwood Drive, Long Acres, Post.Net Box 370, Pvt. Bag E10| Lusaka, Zambia, Tel: +260 211 378 950; Web: [www.path.org](http://www.path.org)