

**EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EPI)
CRITERIA FOR EVALUATION**

“Health Systems Research on the Social Health Protection Initiatives in Pakistan”

A. ELIGIBILITY / MANDATORY CRITERIA:

- i) Both public and private sector applicants based in Pakistan can apply.
- ii) Both public and private sector applicants must have active National Tax Number (NTN).

B. EVALUATION CRITERIA FOR APPLICANTS:

Score	0	2	3	4	5
Relevant qualification of principal applicant in public health	None	x	X	X	Yes
Relevant qualification of team members (if any) in public health or health financing	None	x	X	X	Yes
Relevant experience of applicant in implementation research	Not relevant	Below average	Average	Good	Excellent
Relevant experience of applicant in evaluation / monitoring	Not relevant	Below average	Average	Good	Excellent
Relevant experience of applicant in research in health sector	Not relevant	Below average	Average	Good	Excellent
Relevant experience of applicant in research in insurance sector	Not relevant	Below average	Average	Good	Excellent
Relevant experience of applicant in outreach activities	Not relevant	Below average	Average	Good	Excellent
Experience of applicants on evaluating public sector programs	No experience	1 program	2 programs	3 programs	> than 3 programs

Marks (Applicant Evaluation): 40 (Minimum requirement / passing score 50%)

C. EVALUATION CRITERIA FOR CONCEPT NOTE AND PROPOSAL:

Score	0	3	6	10	12
Relevance of concept note / proposal with to TORs	Not relevant	Below average	Average	Good	Excellent
Relevance of research question with concept note / proposal	Not relevant	Below average	Average	Good	Excellent
Conceptual quality of concept note / proposal	Poor	Below average	Average	Good	Excellent
Technical quality of concept note / proposal	Poor	Below average	Average	Good	Excellent
Level of understanding on public sector social health protection initiatives	Poor	Below average	Average	Good	Excellent

Marks (Concept Note and Proposal): 60 (Minimum requirement / passing score 50%)