

USAID NextGen Comprehensive Technical Assistance *for* Health Supply Chain *and* Pharmaceutical Management IDIQ

In January 2024, MSH was awarded the USAID NextGen Comprehensive Technical Assistance for Health Supply Chain and Pharmaceutical Management (NextGen Comprehensive TA) IDIQ. This multiple-award IDIQ contract is part of the Next Generation Global Health Supply Chain Suite of Programs (NextGen). This award signifies MSH's critical role within NextGen, marking a significant step forward in global health advancement.

PERIOD OF PERFORMANCE

Ten years (January 8, 2024–January 7, 2034) with a base period and option period.

- Base Period: 4 years, 9 months (January 8, 2024–September 30, 2028)
- Option Period: 5 years, 3 months (October 1, 2028–January 7, 2034)
- Ordering Period: 8 years from the effective date of the IDIQ contract.

All performance must be completed by January 7, 2034.

USAID intends to release up to three central Task Orders (TOs), which will be structured by either technical area or geographic region and will serve as mechanisms for buy-ins. Additionally, USAID will issue TOs led by individual countries, contingent on the requirements of each Mission.

GOAL

The goal of the NextGen Comprehensive TA IDIQ award is to ensure sustainable access to and appropriate use of safe, effective, quality-assured, affordable health commodities.

NextGen Comprehensive TA underscores USAID's strategic approach to optimize and transform health supply chains and pharmaceutical management systems worldwide. NextGen Comprehensive TA will deliver an extensive range of technical assistance services designed to enhance national supply chain systems, ensuring improved performance and long-term viability. These services will support the expansion of access to health commodities through operational and technical assistance and advance pharmaceutical management systems to promote impactful health outcomes.

OBJECTIVES

- Strengthen local supply chain systems to ensure a reliable, sustainable supply of quality health commodities beyond donor assistance through public- and private-sector channels
- Increase availability of quality-assured, essential health commodities through improved supply chain performance
- Sustainably strengthen pharmaceutical management systems, including quality pharmaceutical services and functional regulatory systems

TECHNICAL SCOPE AREAS

Supply Chain Management

- Forecasting and Supply Planning
- Procurement
- Customs Clearance
- Warehousing and Inventory Management
- Distribution and Transportation
- In-Country Logistics Operational Support
- Diagnostics Transition Support
- Supply Chain Information Systems and Data Management
- Data Analytics and Performance Management

Pharmaceutical Management

- Product Selection, Prioritization, and Resource Optimization
- Pharmaceutical Services
- Pharmacovigilance and Patient Safety
- Containing Antimicrobial Resistance
- Regulatory Systems Strengthening

Cross-Cutting Systems Strengthening

- Governance
- Strategic Planning
- Leveraging the Private Sector
- Financing
- Workforce Development and Institutional Capacity Strengthening
- Information Systems
- Enabling Environment
- Risk Management
- Construction

Other Support Services

- Monitoring, Evaluation, and Learning
- Knowledge Management and Communications
- Coordination
- Gender
- Climate Change

This comprehensive scope of work aims to not only bolster the efficiency and sustainability of health supply chains and pharmaceutical systems but also create a lasting impact on global health security and the well-being of communities around the world.

MSH NextGen Comprehensive TA IDIQ Consortium

DRIVING INNOVATION, DELIVERING IMPACT

The MSH Consortium brings together dynamic organizations and leaders from the global and local supply chain and pharmaceutical fields, ready to create meaningful collaborations with the public and private sectors, government entities, community groups, and civil society. Through this partnership, we aim to enhance the efficiency and reliability of health care delivery, ensuring that communities worldwide have access to the essential medicines and health products they need.

The MSH Consortium is uniquely positioned to offer specialized support in operational efficiency and capacity strengthening to governments and local entities. Our expertise spans key elements of supply chain management, including warehousing, distribution, forecasting, procurement, and the innovative use of information systems for health commodities, and optimizing pharmaceutical services to promote the use of cost-effective medicines, antimicrobial stewardship, pharmacovigilance, patient safety, and pharmacy best practices. This comprehensive suite of services underscores our commitment to enhancing global health outcomes.



Our technical strengths as prime:

- Public health supply chains
- Pharmaceutical management and systems
- Health systems strengthening
- Governance
- Workforce development
- Financing

Convening/behavior change partners and professional associations



Technology partners



Private-sector supply chain leading practices



Local innovation partners



Learning institutions



To learn more about partnering with MSH, please contact Furhana Wehelie, Senior Director, Pharmaceutical Systems Strengthening and Supply Chain Business Development, at fwehelie@msh.org or our team at partnerwithus@msh.org.