Requests for Expressions of Interest

The Western Highlands Provincial Health Authority (WHPHA) is a statutory body established in 2011 under the Provincial Health Authorities Act 2007. Its mandate is to provide health services to the people of Western Highlands Province. Some 40% of admissions to the Mt Hagen Hospital (MHH) come from outside the province reflecting the comprehensive range and high-quality services provided.

WHPHA provides a range of primary secondary and some tertiary level services and the MHH functions as the regional referral hospital for the Highlands region. It has an immediate catchment of some 500,000 and a regional catchment of some 3.8 million.

The MHH has a strong focus on clinical excellence, research and education and the development of a high standard School of Nursing is an integral part of the redevelopment.

WHPHA is seeking expressions of interest for the funding, design and construction of a new Mt Hagen Hospital to be constructed on the existing hospital site.

The design of the new 350 bed hospital with the future capacity of a further 100 beds will be informed by planning work already done which has led to the production of a number of redevelopment concepts for the brown field site.

The EoI should state health design and construction experience in PNG or similar environments, completed hospital projects in the last 10 years, the source of loan funds and requirements.

Suitable firms or consortia will be invited to do a presentation to the WHPHA Board and Executive staff as well as the Western Highlands Project Steering Committee either in person in Mt Hagen or online. Arrangements for online presentations should be included in the EoI response.

EoIs are to be emailed to Ms Jane Holden A/CEO, jane.holden@whhs.gov.pg no later than the close of business 6th December 2021.

Further information may be obtained by emailing whpha.tenders@whhs.gov.pg.

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