

Call for Expression of Interest (EOI)

Empanelment of Consultant Radiologists for Chest X-Ray (CXR) Interpretation

Integrated Pediatric TB & Technology-Enabled Active Case Finding (ACF) Project – Chhattisgarh

Implemented by: LEPRA Society

Supported by: The Global Fund

Principal Recipient: SAATHII

Under Guidance of: Central TB Division (CTD), National TB Elimination Programme (NTEP)

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1. Introduction

The Integrated Pediatric TB and Technology-Enabled Active Case Finding (ACF) Project, supported by The Global Fund, is being implemented by SAATHII as Principal Recipient (PR) under the guidance of the Central TB Division (CTD) and the State TB Office of Chhattisgarh.

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LEPRA Society is a non-governmental organization that sets up programs to bring sustainable healthcare within easy access to underserved and vulnerable communities. It innovatively harnesses already available resources more efficiently by using evidence-based management and technological solutions. LEPRA is best known for its programs focused on Tuberculosis, primary healthcare, HIV and Leprosy. The organization uses all available resources-both in the public and private sectors, to ensure that people living in any part of the project area will have access to high-quality treatment.

LEPRA Society invites **Expressions of Interest (EOI)** from qualified **Radiologists** for empanelment as **Consultant Radiologists** to provide **CXR interpretation services** under the project.

2. Objective of the EOI

The objective of this EOI is to empanel qualified Consultant Radiologists to provide timely and accurate interpretation of Chest X-Ray images for presumptive TB cases identified through project screening.

3. District Coverage (ACF Districts)

Sr. No.	Name of the Districts
1	Bastar
2	Kanker
3	Rajnandgaon
4	Sukma
5	Bijapur
6	Kabirdham
7	Gariyaband
8	Jashpur
9	Manendragarh–Chirmiri–Bharatpur
10	Balrampur
11	Kanker

4. Terms of Reference (ToR)

Position Title

Consultant Radiologist – Chest X-Ray Interpretation

Scope of Work

The Consultant Radiologist shall:

- Interpret digital Chest X-Ray images shared by the project by WhatsApp and/or e-mail
- Review AI-assisted CXR outputs, where applicable
- Provide independent clinical interpretation
- Classify findings as:
 - Suggestive of TB
 - Not Suggestive of TB
 - Other findings
- Issue signed reports within 48 hours
- Mention NMC / State Medical Council registration number
- Maintain patient confidentiality
- Participate in quality assurance reviews if required

5. Deliverables and Performance Standards

The consultant shall ensure:

- 48-hour reporting turnaround time
 - Accurate CXR interpretation reports
 - Monthly invoice submission
 - Compliance with data protection requirements
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6. Eligibility Criteria

Applicants must meet the following criteria:

- MBBS with MD / DNB/DMRD Radiology or equivalent
 - Valid NMC / State Medical Council Registration
 - Experience in radiological reporting
 - Experience in pulmonary imaging or TB diagnostics preferred
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7. Application Requirements

Applicants must submit:

Technical Proposal

- Updated CV
- Qualification certificates
- NMC registration certificate
- Professional experience details
- Availability for reporting services

Financial Proposal

- Cost per CXR interpretation
 - PAN details
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8. Duration of Engagement

The empanelment will initially be for 6 months, extendable based on:

- Project requirement
- Availability of funding
- Performance of the consultant

Termination notice period: 15 days

9. Payment Terms

- Payment will be made per CXR interpretation
 - Consultant must submit monthly invoice
 - Invoice must include supporting reports
 - Payment be processed within 30 days of invoice submission
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10. Professional Responsibility and Liability

The Consultant Radiologist shall:

- Exercise independent professional judgement
 - Be responsible for accuracy of interpretation
 - Maintain valid NMC registration throughout the engagement
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11. Confidentiality and Data Protection

The consultant shall maintain strict confidentiality of patient data.

Patient records and images must not be shared with unauthorized persons.

12. Conflict of Interest

Applicants must disclose any conflict of interest affecting their impartiality.

Failure to disclose conflicts may result in disqualification.

13. Evaluation and Selection Criteria

Applications will be evaluated by a Selection Committee constituted by LEPRASociety. The organization may empanel multiple radiologists based on the evaluation process. Selection will be carried out based on the technical qualifications meeting the eligibility criteria specified in the RFQ (Eligibility Criteria section) and the lowest quoted rate (L-1) per CXR report.

14. Submission of Applications

Applications must be submitted by: **18 March 2026 – 18:00 hrs**

Email: procurement@leprasociety.org

Submission Address:

LEPRA Society
C-1, Sector-1, Near Shankar Nagar Chowpatty,
Shimla Supermarket, Opp. Nagar Nigam Water Tank,
Shankar Nagar, Raipur – 492007, Chhattisgarh

Note: Late submissions will not be considered. LEPRA Society reserves the right to accept or reject any quotation without assigning reasons.

15. Ethics and Professional Conduct

Consultants must adhere to medical ethics, professional integrity, and patient dignity.

16. Anti-Fraud and Anti-Corruption Policy

LEPRA Society follows zero tolerance for fraud or corruption.

Any attempt to influence the selection process will lead to disqualification.

17. Right to Modify or Cancel the EOI

LEPRA Society reserves the right to modify, cancel, or withdraw the EOI process at any stage.

18. Contact for Clarifications

LEPRA Society

Email: procurement@leprasociety.org

19. Disclaimer and Data Use Clause

Participation in this EOI does not guarantee contractual engagement.

Information submitted may be used for evaluation, verification, and audit purposes.

ANNEXURE I

Technical and Financial Proposal Format

Personal Information

Name

Address

Mobile

Email

PAN

GST (if applicable)

Qualification

MBBS

MD/DNB Radiology

Additional Qualification

Registration

NMC / State Medical Council Registration Number

Experience

Organization | Designation | Duration

Service Commitment

Available Hours

Max CXR Reports Per Day

Reporting within 48 hrs (Yes/No)

Financial Proposal

Cost per CXR Interpretation (INR)

Declaration

Signature

Name

Date