

## QUESTIONS & EXPLANATIONS

Call for Proposal (CFP) for Responsible Parties  
to provide increased access to business skills development and business support opportunities  
in Moldova for Ukrainian refugees

### 1. Are the settlements of Transdnistria included in the available cartography?

*Beneficiary mapping and a rapid needs assessment to select the beneficiaries of the business support should include 5 districts from Republic of Moldova, including Transnistrian region.*

### 2. Can we as NGO with registration in Transdnistria apply in this Call?

*The legal entity which is registered and with full capacity to act as per the Laws of Moldova is eligible to apply for this call. According to Annex B-1, Mandatory requirements/pre-qualification criteria following eligibility criteria are required:*

- p.1.2, UN Women is soliciting proposals from Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) registered in Moldova.*
- p 3.2 All individual applicants and lead applicants must be registered in Moldova as non-profit organizations.*

### 3. Is a partnership between NGOs mandatory or can it be an NGO and the Business sector or an NGO and the Public sector?

*Only Civil Society Organizations can apply to this Call for Proposals.*

*The Partner selects a Sub-partner or Sub-contractor according to its own financial regulations, rules and procedures for selecting, Sub-partners and Sub-contractors to the extent that it is determined by UN Women that these do not contravene the principles of the Financial Regulations and Rules of UN Women and are otherwise appropriate. Important to state that:*

*“Sub-Partner” - is a non-profit organization which is considered as a Partner of a UN Women Partner, approved by UN Women, that will perform part of the work outlined/part of the implementation of the project.*

*“Sub-Contractor” - means a service provider, vendor, contractor or any legal entity approved by UN Women and engaged by a Partner to provide goods or services needed for the performance of the work and/or needed for the achievement of the outputs and outcomes as outlined in the ProDoc.*

### 4. Is it correct to understand that the main quantitative results of the proposed project must be:

- a) min. 100 women (among them min. 30% of the refugees) participated in the program of business education?

*At least 100 women and girls (including min. 30% of the refugees) will benefit of business skills development and business support opportunities*

- b) 20 of them received vouchers for services/equipment needed for their business start or development?

*Yes, at least 20 girls/women participating in business support opportunities (vouchers' beneficiaries). Vouchers will cover costs for procurement of services or/and equipment for eligible start-ups for launching and running a business).*

- c) 60 women operate their businesses, including 50 new businesses launched during the project (9 months)?

*60 % of women participating in the Program, operating new businesses (Businesses run by women that, at the time of enrollment in the Program, have been registered for a maximum of 12 months), including at least 50 new business established during the Program (9 months).*

*Another quantitative result expected: at least 3 activities/ services implemented for business support opportunities*