

The Community, Rights and Gender Technical Assistance (CRG TA) Program was created to help civil society and community organisations and networks make sure that barriers related to human rights and gender are addressed by Global Fund grants.

Who can apply to the CRG TA Program?

- Local or national civil society networks and organisations
- Local or national networks and organisations of people affected by the disease (e.g. key populations, women, youth, PLHIV, TB-affected communities and/or malariaaffected communities)
- CCMs if they collaborate with the other groups for both development and submission of the application

When can I apply?

The program was reformed and you can now access CRG TA **at any stage of the grant**, including grant implementation. The program also supports community engagement in sustainability and transition planning (STC) or other Global Fund processes like National Strategic Plan (NSP) development.

What type of technical assistance can I request?

You can apply for the CRG TA Program for projects linked to:

- Situational analysis and needs assessments (including gender assessments)
- Engagement in the country dialogue
- Supporting program design
- Supporting oversight and monitoring of grant implementation and re-programming
- Engagement in sustainability and transition strategies

This means that Technical Assistance for advocacy or institutional strengthening <u>cannot</u> be provided through the CRG TA program.



Who provides the CRG TA?

The CRG Department at the Global Fund Secretariat has pre-approved 25 TA providers. You can ask for a specific provider from the list in your application, but the CRG Department takes the final decision.

How can I apply?

To apply, you need to download the application form at https://www.theglobalfund.org/ media/5626/fundingmodel_crgtechnicalassistancerequest_form_en.docx? u=636486807400000000. Fill it out and send it to CRGTA@theglobalfund.org.

Alternatively, you may also contact the APCRG Platform at **jenho@apcaso.org** (platform management), **quentinbatreau@apcaso.org** (coordination), or **jeffacaba@apcaso.org** (communications).

List of pre-approved CRG TA providers	
African Men for Sexual Health and Rights (AMSHeR) AIDS & Rights Alliance for Southern Africa (ARASA) AIDS Strategy, Advocacy and Policy (ASAP) Alliance India* Alliance Technical Assistance Centre - International Charitable Foundation (ATAC- ICF) International HIV/AIDS Alliance Amref APCOM* Asia Catalyst* ATHENA Australian Federation of AIDS Organisations (AFAO)* Canadian HIV/AIDS Legal Network Caribbean Vulnerable Communities Coalition (CVC) Community Leadership and Action	d CRG TA providers Collaborative (CLAC) - a collaboration between GNP+, GATE, NSWP, INPUD, and IRGT Eurasian Coalition on Male Health (ECOM) HIVOS International Center for Research on Women (ICRW) International Council of AIDS Service Organisations (ICASO) KELIN KeNAAM Moldovan Institute for Human Rights (IDOM) Nai Zindagi Networking HIV & AIDS Community of Southern Africa (NACOSA) PATH Speak Up Africa The Union * TA providers that are based in Asia Pacific

APCASO is a regional civil society network of community-based and non-government organisations on HIV, health, and social justice.

APCASO Focal Points: Australia: Australian Federation of AIDS Organisations (AFAO); Cambodia: HIV/AIDS Coordinating Committee (HACC) and KHANA; China: China HIV/AIDS Information Network (CHAIN); Indonesia: GAYa NUSANTARA and Spiritia Foundation; India: National Coalition of People Living with HIV (NCPI+); Japan: Africa-Japan Forum; Lao PDR: Lao Positive Health Association (LaoPHA); Malaysia: PT Foundation; Philippines: Action for Health Initiatives (ACHIEVE); Pakistan: Association of People Living with HIV (APLHIV); Papua New Guinea: Igat Hope; Sri Lanka: Alliance Lanka; Vietnam: Centre for Supporting Community Development Initiatives (SCDI)

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