

## RESPONSES TO QUESTIONS ON RFP FOR DIGITAL TOOLS FOR HAI SURVEILLANCE AND ANTIMICROBIAL STEWARDSHIP IN KENYA

Question	Answer
<p>1. Does FIND intend to issue a specific type of contract (e.g. time and materials, fixed price, etc.) to the selected vendor, or should vendors propose a contract type in our proposals?</p>	<p><b>23/03/2023:</b> <b>A fixed price contract is most preferred. The contract will be done on FIND's template. Also note that core materials like servers required at the implementation sites are not in the scope of the contract and may be discussed separately with the selected applicant.</b></p>
<p>2. The RFP lists one of the expected activities as "integration of the digital tools with other data systems such as LIMS, electronic medical records system, national reporting systems for health, etc." Does FIND have a more specific list of systems that vendors should budget to integrate with the digital tools as well as the platform these systems use (e.g., DHIS2)? If not, for budgeting purposes, could FIND provide an expected number of integrations they would like the vendor to facilitate?</p>	<p><b>23/03/2023:</b> <b>The electronic systems in use at the facilities are: <a href="#">FunSoft</a>, and <a href="#">WHONET</a> in one hospital and <a href="#">Ecstasy Care HMIS</a> . The envisaged integration is a one-way data pull/exchange from these systems to the digital tool.</b></p>
<p>3. The RFP indicates that "FIND will have full rights to the resulting software tool." Would FIND accept a proposal that uses proprietary solutions for the integration components of this work?</p>	<p><b>23/03/2023:</b> <b>NO</b></p>
<p>4. Could FIND kindly extend the deadline for submission of proposals</p>	<p><b>23/03/2023:</b> <b>No, due to the fixed project end date. We will only consider extending in the unlikely event that we are unable to get a suitable applicant.</b></p>