

## Call for proposal: Assessing the Availability, Accessibility, and Quality of Water in Urban India

**About the Project:** Market study to understand the Quality of Water in Urban India

This is a call for proposal from market research and consulting firms to assist in conducting a market study to understand the current situation, map the consumers' access to water, and the dynamics involved in procurement and collection of water daily in 11 towns covering multiple slums in each of the cities. Most of these slums do not have access to piped water and depend on other sources like community standpipes, groundwater through borewells and tubewells, water supplied through Tankers, and Water ATM.

The research will be quantitative with closed-ended and open-ended questions for both in-home and out-home consumptions that would include interviewing homemakers and members of the household employed.

**Timelines:** Two months starting from the award of contract.

**Intellectual Property:** All output, training materials, questionnaires, feedback forms, results, data, and reports generated under the award are solely the property of Safe Water Network India.

**Confidentiality:** Any information, resources, and assistance (including access to records, systems) shared with you during the program for this engagement cannot be disclosed or used in electronic, print, or audio medium.

Please send in your application to this mail id – [psewak@safewaternetwork.org](mailto:psewak@safewaternetwork.org) / [psingh@safewaternetwork.org](mailto:psingh@safewaternetwork.org) / [info@swnindia.org](mailto:info@swnindia.org) till Mar 19, 2021

**About Safe Water Network:** Safe Water Network India is a not-for-profit Trust, registered on October 16, 2009, committed to bringing scalable, financially sustainable solutions that provide clean, affordable drinking water to the communities in quality-affected habitations in India. Safe Water Network India holds a licensing agreement with Safe Water Network, a 501 (c) (3) registered non-profit organization in New York, USA, and a core funder of the Trust.

**About Project SEWAH:** Project SEWAH is a collaboration between Safe Water Network India and USAID to strengthen the journey towards self-reliance in Urban Drinking Water through the multiplier effect of the knowledge hub and by leveraging the SWE Alliance. The project aims to create a legacy of a sustainable and reliable, safe drinking water footprint in the urban cities to accelerate the SDG Goal 6.1 by developing capacities of the citizens, PHED engineers, SWE implementers, and other stakeholders in the ecosystem so that SWEs are sustainably delivering safe drinking water reliably to the local communities.

### Proposal Requirements

1. The partner should have credible experience in conducting market research and submit such credentials and the proposal
2. Firms that have experience with similar engagements shall be preferred
3. Team credentials must be shared along with the proposal
4. Proposal must be submitted till the last date mentioned in this call for proposal
5. Total proposal cost must be submitted as exclusive of applicable taxes and charges