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**ABSTRACT**

Funding Opportunity Number	CDC-RFA-GH12-1243
Title of Announcement	Implementation of a Program to Build the Institutional Capacity to Develop Strategic Information Capability for Individuals and Organizations that will contribute to Enhanced Quality in Collection, Management, Analysis and Presentation of HIV/AIDS and Related Information in Zambia under the President's Emergency Plan for HIV/AIDS Relief.
Applicant: Name, Mailing address, phone number, FAX number, email address	University of Zambia Department of Population Studies, P.O. Box 32379 Lusaka, Zambia Vesper H. Chisumpa <a href="mailto:vchisumpa@yahoo.com">vchisumpa@yahoo.com</a> Tele: +260-966-766643 Fax: +260-211-253952
Approximate Total Project Period Funding	\$5,930,000
Approximate Current Fiscal Year Funding	\$1,130,000
Award Ceiling:	
Budget Year 1	\$1,130,000
Budget Year 2	\$1,200,000
Budget Year 3	\$1,200,000
Budget Year 4	\$1,200,000
Budget Year 5	\$1,200,000
Award Floor:	
Budget Year 1	None
Budget Year 2	None
Budget Year 3	None
Budget Year 4	None
Budget Year 5	None
New Award or Continuation	New Award
Project Period Length	5 years
Budget Period Length	12 years
Award Mechanism	U2G – Global HIV/AIDS Non-Research Cooperative Agreements
Statutory Authority	This program is authorized under Public Law 108-25 (the United States Leadership Against HIV/AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria Act of 2003) [22 U.S.C. 7601, <i>et seq.</i> ], and Public Law 110-293 (the Tom Lantos and Henry J. Hyde

	United States Global Leadership Against HIV/AIDS, Tuberculosis, and Malaria Reauthorization Act of 2008).
CFDA # and Title	93.067 – Global AIDS
Purpose of the Award	The purpose of this program is to develop the capacity and quality amongst strategic information and health care workers to collect, manage and present program information in Zambia. In the past, the United States Government (USG) has supported the Government of the Republic of Zambia (GRZ) to develop various capacity-strengthening activities for monitoring and evaluation (M&E). These activities have led to the identification of other gaps in skills that go beyond basic M&E. In partnership, activities in this funding announcement will allow us to improve the ability for local strategic information officers and other relevant staff to analyze programmatic data and use it to inform policy and to make other local decisions.
Single Source Justification Reasons Cited	<p>The University of Zambia (UNZA) is the main public university of Zambia. The only M&amp;E Center of Excellence that exists in the country resides in the Population Studies Department (PSD) at UNZA.</p> <p>Through this department, the Center of Excellence currently offers the only accredited M&amp;E short-course in country. This program has trained over 500 students in M&amp;E since beginning in 2006.</p> <p>Because it is the government university, it is in a unique position to serve government agencies. Center of Excellence staff members collaborate with the Ministry of Health, National AIDS Council, and Central Statistics Office to teach, evaluate, coordinate and certify completion of the Epidemiology for Data Users training, a training for government workers of these agencies. This collaboration, which aims to train over 400 government workers in Data Use, has trained 80 people since June 2011, and will train 100 more by the end of 2011.</p> <p>The University of Zambia is also a unique institution in the country as it is currently the only institution with both undergraduate and postgraduate programs in the Social Sciences with staffing capacity and systems to offer Monitoring and Evaluation and Epidemiology for Data Use to the caliber of individuals and organizations targeted.</p>
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