

Questions and Answers for
Access to Justice for the Juveniles in the Justice System: Opportunities for Judicial and Cultural Change - Phase III

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Question 1:

When we are describing our experience in the application, should we describe our combined experience or just that of the lead organization? If one organization has more extensive experience with indigenous populations in Costa Rica than the lead organization, how should we explain that, for example.

INL Response:

Each application package will be evaluated based on the criteria noted in the NOFO for the lead organization presenting the required documents to INL. Any suggested sub-recipients will not affect the evaluation of the application submitted, unless explicitly stated in the review criteria in the NOFO.

Question 2:

When it comes to the technical evaluation criteria scoring, will the combined experience be considered or just the lead organization?

INL Response:

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Question 3:

It has come to our attention that according to the different NOFOs it seems that only US-based NGOs and/or US-based educational institutions can participate. We wanted to confirm this information.

INL Response:

The NOFO states on section C that this particular program is seeking US-based educational institutions, with a UEI and a valid registration on SAM.gov. Each program requirement is different for INL programs, therefore the eligible applicants will differ from NOFO to NOFO.