Centre for Chronic Disease Control

A World Health Organization (WHO) & Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR) Collaborating Centre

TENDER NOTICE

Centre for Chronic Disease Control (CCDC) invites sealed tender offers from eligible and accredited laboratories for conducting clinical investigations related to the "SAATHI HF: A Randomized Controlled Study", a government-funded research project in the office of the undersigned at the Second Floor, C-1/52, Safdarjung Development Area, New Delhi 110016.

The laboratories intending to bid may submit their tender by the **10.04.2026** to the following address:

Assistant Director – Admin & Procurement
Centre for Chronic Disease Control (CCDC),
2nd Floor, C-1/52, Safdarjung Development Area,
New Delhi 110016

The bid will be accepted till **10-04-2026 (5.00 PM)**. Bid will not be accepted after the deadline i.e. after 5:00 PM on 10.04.2026.

TENDER SPECIFICATIONS

Sealed tenders are invited containing two types of bids i.e. technical bid and financial bid.

- The **technical bid** should include laboratory accreditation details, infrastructure and manpower capabilities, prior experience with similar clinical investigations, quality assurance protocols and details, methods used of assay and a proposed work plan with timelines. It should be submitted in a sealed envelope clearly marked "**TECHNICAL BID**".
- The **financial bid** should contain detailed cost estimates for each component of the clinical investigations, including sample processing, testing, reporting, logistics, taxes, and any other applicable charges. It should be submitted in a sealed envelope clearly marked "**FINANCIAL BID**".

Both sealed envelopes must be placed inside a larger sealed envelope, super scribed with "**Tender for Clinical Investigations- SAATHI HF**". Non-compliance with the instructions may result in rejection of the tender.

Vendors should submit all the required documents on their letterhead. No separate proforma will be provided.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- The laboratory should be NABL/GLP accredited and have a minimum of five years of experience in clinical testing.

- The laboratory must not be blacklisted by any government organization.
- The vendor should submit:
    - Laboratory profile with accreditation certificates.
    - Proof of at least three years of experience with clinical investigations.
    - Certificate that the company is not blacklisted by any government organization.
    - Three years of income tax returns.
    - A user list with contact details.

DETAILS OF CLINICAL INVESTIGATIONS REQUIRED

Type of investigation	**Number of assessments required for the study per participant**	**Number of assessments required for the study for 1130 patients**
NTproBNP	1	1130
Hb	2	2260
Serum Potassium	6	6780
Serum Sodium	6	6780
eGFR	6	6780
Serum Creatinine	6	6780

Please note: the number of tests mentioned in the table above are indicative, the final number is subject to change as per the study requirements

- Estimated Sample Size: 1130 participants x approx. 6 samples at different time points
- Study Locations: 10 (Batindha, Bangalore, Delhi, Madurai, Mangalore, Mysuru, Nagpur)
- Collection: at Hospital and Home-based collection within city limits (>30 Kms radius) from main hospital.
- Turnaround time for report : 2-3 hours
- Study Duration: 48 months
- Quality Assurance: All investigations must follow GCP/GLP standards.

In case of non-compliance with technical specifications, the laboratory may be asked to conduct a pilot test run for evaluation before awarding the contract.

All queries should be directed to our email: tenders@ccdcindia.org