

## Questions and Responses for RFPs No. USAID-AN-060

Please find below a list of questions submitted and corresponding responses in connection with RFP No. USAID-AN-060.

1. **Can we have estimated average time to be spent for each assessment? Some are specific but not for all the assessments. For example what will be the average time (hours) an observer is likely to spend in observing one vendor for the direct observation method.**
  - a. **Response:** The time required for each assessment ranges from 30 minutes (vendor survey) to two hours (focus group discussion). Completing all assessments in a single market location takes approximately one week, dependent on the market environment and operational schedule.
  
2. **Can one firm bid for the two surveys I.e for Bauchi and Kebbi & Sokoto.**
  - a. **Response:** Yes, one firm can bid on both the Bauchi RFP (RFP USAID-AN-60) and the Kebbi and Sokoto RFP (RFP USAID-AN-61); however, separate proposals and budgets should be submitted in response to each tender. A firm applying for both studies must confirm they are able to complete all work for both studies within the expected timeframe. Additionally, firms applying for both studies must have established safety and security protocols to ensure the safe movement of staff between the identified States considering geographical contexts.