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Consultancy services: writer, editor and researcher specializing in public health and other development areas globally and domestically

- **Projects** include policy and advocacy publications, case studies, project evaluations and analyses, annual reports and meeting reports as a lead or supporting writer or editor
- **Topics and focus areas** include HIV and other infectious diseases and epidemics, sexual and reproductive health (SRH) and other global health priorities, human rights, education and migration

Selected projects, clients and publications

Listed below is a sampling of successfully completed consultancy work in recent years. Clients are listed in alphabetical order. Additional information, including about other projects and clients, is available upon request.

Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation

Writer and editor for policy and advocacy documents associated with initiative exploring why, where and how to focus HIV responses in sub-Saharan Africa on key populations

• November 2019–November 2022

Countdown to 2030 initiative for Women's, Children's and Adolescents' Health (in conjunction with the African Population and Health Research Center)

Editor for a series of articles on maternal and newborn child health indicators and inequities in selected African cities for special supplement in the *Journal of Urban Health*

• October–November 2023

Every Woman Every Child (EWEC)

Researcher, writer and editor for wide range of advocacy, policy and communications documents for movement launched by the UN Secretary-General's office to mobilize funding and non-financial resources in support of the health and well-being of women, children and adolescents worldwide

• January–December 2020

Frontline AIDS (formerly International HIV/AIDS Alliance)

Researcher and writer of a market study report for the Alliance Centre for HIV Treatment, with a focus on identifying specific services, tools and commodities that might help local community groups and networks – especially those that are led by or focus on people living with or affected by HIV – to contribute to overcoming gaps and challenges in their countries' HIV care continuums. In-country research was carried out in Mozambique, South Africa and Zimbabwe

• December 2016–April 2017

Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria

Lead rapporteur of Partnership Forums, a series of multisectoral regional consultations that form a key part of the institution's development process for its post-2022 strategy

• January–May 2021

Researcher and writer of comprehensive literature review of examples of community-based monitoring projects focused on one or more of the three diseases. Editor of inputs provided by advocates and project managers from several developing countries

• November 2019–March 2020

Joep Lange Institute

Co-author of *Ensuring Efforts to Scale Up, Strengthen and Sustain HIV Responses*, a detailed report presenting a framework and approach for improving national and global HIV responses in an era of constrained funding and a

new integrated development era. Also, writer of reports on seven meetings over 11 months that formed the basis for the comprehensive final report

• April 2017–July 2018

Partnership for Maternal, Newborn and Child Health (PMNCH) and other partners

Writing and editing support for *Protect the Progress*, the 2022 global progress report of the Global Strategy for Women's, Children's and Adolescents' Health

• July–October 2022

Writer of advocacy brief, *Rise, respond and recover: Renewing progress on women's, children's and adolescents' health in the era of COVID-19*, based on data and trends associated with the Global Strategy for Women's, Children's and Adolescents' Health

• June–July 2021

SheDecides Support Unit

Researcher and writer of contextual analysis of entry points in four countries (India, Kenya, South Africa, Uganda) for legal and policy reform associated with sexual and reproductive health and rights (SRHR)

• December 2017–March 2018

United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF)

Writer and editor for communications products from Executive Director's office, including speeches, statements, and a range of other advocacy and policy outputs

• Ongoing since May 2022

Writer of HIV and AIDS section of Annual Results Report

• Reports for the years 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022 (January-May each following year)

Lead writer of *Women: At the Heart of the HIV Response for Children*, an in-depth policy and advocacy analysis publication released at the 2018 International AIDS Conference

• April to July 2018

Writer of *Seizing the Opportunity: Towards an AIDS-free Middle East and North Africa,* a joint publication (with the World Health Organization) on HIV and AIDS among children, adolescents and pregnant women in the region

• October 2018–April 2019

Writer of four chapters of Step up the pace: Towards an AIDS-free generation in West and Central Africa, a comprehensive review of the HIV/AIDS situation among children, adolescents, and pregnant women in the region

• September–November 2017

United Nations Development Programme (UNDP)

Editor of *Building inclusive democracies: A guide to strengthening the participation of LGBTI+ persons in political and electoral processes,* which focused in particular on removing the barriers associated with gender and rights.

October–November 2023

Editor of guidance document Political participation of persons with intellectual or psychosocial disabilities

• September–November 2021

Women 4 Global Fund (W4GF)

Writing, editing and communications support to women from grassroots networks and community-based organizations to engage effectively with all country-based funding and decision-making processes of the Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria (Global Fund) – with the ultimate goal being more resources and attention for women and girls living with and vulnerable to the three diseases.

• September 2019–July 2022