



USAID | MOZAMBIQUE

LOCAL CAPACITY DEVELOPMENT (INDEFINITE QUANTITY CONTRACT)



GOAL

To strengthen the capacity of USAID's local implementing partners through tailored organizational development interventions.

LIFE OF ACTIVITY

May 16, 2016 to October 26, 2019

TOTAL ESTIMATED USAID FUNDING

USD \$1,140,970.50

GEOGRAPHIC FOCUS

Nationwide

IMPLEMENTING PARTNER

Eurosis – Consultoria e Formação em Gestão, Lda.
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OVERVIEW

USAID/Mozambique aims to substantially increase direct funding to local partners to implement development projects. Such potential partners, however, lack the institutional capacity in areas such as organizational governance, financial management, and monitoring and evaluation (M&E); which are required in order to ensure that United States Government (USG) funds are well-used and that current development efforts are sustainable into the future. As a result, USAID/Mozambique is investing resources in strengthening the processes and resources targeted local organizations need to be effective stewards of development assistance resources. With such capacity building assistance, future development funds will be channeled through local partners (government and non-government) using direct awards.

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

In line with USAID *Forward*, USAID/Mozambique is taking a two-pronged approach to local capacity development. Mission personnel provide capacity development services to the maximum feasible extent and then utilize Task Orders (TOs) to address the remaining capacity development needs in the following areas:

- Strategic and operational planning processes;
- Management systems;
- Financial management and internal controls;
- Organizational governance;
- Project performance management and M&E;
- External relationships;
- Sustainability and
- Procurement.

To date, Mozambican organizations with specialties in health, education, and economic growth have received a range of capacity development services through this activity.

EXPECTED RESULTS/IMPACTS

By strengthening the capacity of local partners, USAID/Mozambique hopes that development assistance resources can be used more efficiently and effectively by local partners, creating long-term sustainability host country ownership of development programming. Over the next four years, USAID/Mozambique plans to work with an increased number of local partners across the entire portfolio. Envisioned local partners include the Government of Mozambique, community based organizations, civil society organizations, faith based organizations, and private companies.