

## Clarifications to the Expression of Interest (EOI) for a partnership

**Title:** Partnership for establishing affordable, quality components, materials and socket technology for serving lower-limb amputees – transfemoral (TF, above knee) and transtibial (TT, below knee) – in low-resource settings

**CFP Reference No.:** EOI-001-2023-ATscale

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Item	Page Number/ Section/ Paragraph (in original EOI)	QUESTION	ANSWER
1.	Page 4, Section 6 Instructions	There are 4 application cut dates, is it possible to apply more than once, or at least update the application after your feedback?	A single expression of interest would be expected per company, although there is no rule that prevents the submission of another EOI at a later stage. If there is additional information not yet available that will add value to the proposal, it would be advisable to wait before submitting an EOI later in the year.
2	Page 4, Section 5 Eligibility & Qualification Criteria	Is there any interaction (interview, presentation, etc.) in the selection process?	Potential partners meeting the EOI criteria will be invited to interact with ATscale before submitting a more detailed proposal.
3	Page 4, Section 5 Eligibility & Qualification Criteria	How many companies would you consider partnering up with for each component (socket, foot)?	There is no target number of companies. We will consider each potential companies' proposals and we will move ahead with as many as are deemed compliant with the requirements set both at the initial EOI and the RFP.
4	Page 4, Section 6 Instructions	After submitting the EOI, how long would we have in between before submitting a full proposal?	We would anticipate that a proposal should be submitted within 3 months of being notified that a supplier has passed the EOI, although this may be extended based on the discussions with the potential partners.
5	Page 4, Section 6 Instructions	Would everyone be called at the same time (end of the year) or would you be receiving full applications throughout the year?	We will be receiving proposals throughout the year, following the EOI review periods.

These clarifications shall form part of the official EOI documents. Please be guided accordingly.

Thank you.

## Summary of Changes to the Expression of Interest (EOI) for a partnership

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**Date:** 01 June 2023

Item	Page Number/ Section/ Paragraph (in original EOI)	Original	Amended
1.	Page 2, Section 3, Objective	With this Expression of Interest (EOI), UNOPS ATscale intends to gather information from vendors in the prosthetics sector that are motivated by the belief that people with lower limb absence should have access to the quality prosthetic care they need at an affordable price. ATscale seeks to establish partnership(s) (herein referred to as 'Global Access Partnership') in order to increase the affordable provision of quality components, materials and socket technology (herein referred to as 'Products and Technologies') for serving lower-limb amputees – transfemoral (TF, above knee) and transtibial (TT, below knee) – in low-and middle-income countries (LMICs).	With this Expression of Interest (EOI), UNOPS ATscale intends to gather information from vendors in the prosthetics sector that are motivated by the belief that people with lower limb absence should have access to the quality prosthetic care they need at an affordable price. ATscale seeks to establish partnership(s) (herein referred to as 'Global Access Partnership') in order to increase the affordable provision of quality <b>components, materials and socket technology</b> for serving lower-limb amputees – transfemoral (TF, above knee) and transtibial (TT, below knee) – in low-and middle-income countries (LMICs).
2.	Page 2, Section 4, Partnership scope and needs	<b>Type of partner</b> This opportunity targets providers of Products and Technologies in the prosthetics sector.	<b>Type of partner</b> This opportunity targets <b>suppliers</b> of components, materials and socket technology in the prosthetics sector.