

Achievement in Sustainable Development: Focus on Maternal and Infant Health

In September 2015, members of the United Nations adopted 17 Sustainable Development Goals designed to achieve by 2030 the eradication of poverty in all its forms as well as protect the planet from degradation, and generally ensure that all human beings can enjoy prosperous and fulfilling lives. The new award for Achievement in Sustainable Development recognizes initiatives that successfully address the challenges highlighted by the Sustainable Development Goals, focusing each year on different goals or targets. This category is open to all financial and non-financial private sector organizations, as well as NGOs that meet the judging criteria.

Focus on Maternal and Infant Health: This award relates to Goal 3: “Ensure healthy lives and promote well-being for all at all ages”, looking specifically at maternal and infant health. Although significant strides have been made in increasing life expectancy in this area, much more needs to be done to reduce the impact of a wide range of diseases and address persistent and emerging health issues.

Organization(s):

Name(s):

Job Title(s):

Email(s):

Phone(s):

Have you applied to the Awards before? If “Yes”, which year(s) did you apply, and to which category(ies) did you apply for?

1. Summary of Organization(s)

- 1.1. Key aspects of your organization(s): *Please summarize the activities of your organization(s), including sectors of activity and key operations* (100 words max)
- 1.2. Date of establishment
- 1.3. Country(ies) of incorporation and main countries of operation
- 1.4. Sustainability strategy: *Please summarize the organization’s(s’) overall approach to sustainability, how it is integrated, and how it has impacted the organization’s(s’) performance* (100 words max)
- 1.5. Total assets (in local currency and USD) in last fiscal year
- 1.6. Total net profits (in local currency and USD) in last fiscal year

2. Summary of Project or Transaction

- 2.1. Summary of Project or Transaction: *Please summarize the project or transaction* (200 words max)
- 2.2. Date of launch
- 2.3. Size (in local currency and USD)

- 2.4. Profitability (in local currency and USD)
- 2.5. Country(ies) of impact
- 2.6. Types of beneficiaries reached (directly and indirectly)
- 2.7. Number of beneficiaries reached (directly and indirectly)
- 2.8. Risk management and mitigation: *Please summarize what types of risks, if any, have been identified when structuring the project or transaction, and how they are mitigated, monitored and reported (200 words max)*
- 2.9. Governance: *Please summarize how this project or transaction is governed, including disclosure and transparency policies (200 words max)*

3. Innovation

Please summarize innovative and groundbreaking features of the project or transaction, including business model approach, market innovation, and financial structure (400 words max)

4. Impacts

4.1. Environmental impacts and benefits

Please summarize the main environmental impacts and benefits of the project or transaction (400 words max)

4.2. Social impacts and benefits

Please summarize the main social impacts and benefits of the project or transaction, including estimated numbers and types of beneficiaries (400 words max)

4.3. Financial impacts and benefits

Please summarize the main financial impacts and benefits of the project or transaction, including the key aspects that make the project or transaction financially viable (400 words max)

5. Scalability

Please summarize the project's or transaction's catalytic effect and potential for local, regional, or international replication, citing any major barriers that have been or would need to be overcome (400 words max)

6. Roles

Please summarize the organization's(s') role, as well as the roles of other stakeholders, highlighting the specific environmental, social, corporate governance, and financial value-add (400 words max)

What are the success factors of this Project or Transaction? (200 words max)

Why should this Project or Transaction win? (200 words max)