

Global Nutrition Cluster Consultant Roster



What is the Global Nutrition Cluster (GNC) Consultant Roster?

The GNC maintains a roster of approximately 200 consultants which provide technical support to actors working in Nutrition in Emergencies (NiE) in preparedness, response, and recovery.

Consultants come from 60 different countries around the world and speak 50 different languages including Arabic, Spanish, French, English, Kiswahili, and Urdu.

Recommendation of potential consultants from the roster takes approximately three working days.

Who can use the GNC Consultant Roster?

Any partner, agency, cluster, sector or technical working group at global, regional or country level that identifies a need for Nutrition staff support.

What is the vetting process for the GNC Consultants?

The vetting process is extensive and transparent, based on demonstrated technical capacities. Each application to the UNICEF hosted platform undergoes the following vetting process:

1. Initial screening based on Terms of Reference (TOR) outlining pre-determined criteria on level, type of education, and experience;
2. Detailed screening of profiles by relevant experts;
3. Technical testing, review of work samples and interviews, where applicable.

How do I place a request to the GNC Consultant Roster?

- Submit a Request using the green button at the top of this page: <https://www.nutritioncluster.net/>, detailing the nature of your request and attach any relevant documents and TORs. Your request will automatically be directed to the Roster Manager for review.

What is the process after I place a request?

- The Roster Manager will contact you within **one working day** after a request is submitted to review any additional information needed and to explain next steps.
- Within **3 working days** the Roster Manager will write back to you to recommend candidates for the position.
- It's now up to you to review the candidates and make a selection!

What are the benefits of using the GNC Consultant Roster?

- Placing a request and receiving recommendations of consultants from the Roster is free of charge.
- Technical vetting and initial background checks completed.
- Ability to liaise with the Roster manager throughout the selection process to navigate the profiles and find the right consultant.

How can I apply to be a part of the GNC Consultant Roster?

Applicants with specific profiles are encouraged to apply for the Roster based on trending requests from partners, agencies, clusters, sectors or technical working groups at global, regional or country level, with consideration to human resource gaps on the Roster.

Please follow updates from GNC's newsletter and social media channels (LinkedIn: Global Nutrition Cluster and X: GNCGENEVA), or contact the Roster at GNCroster@nutritioncluster.net to find out which specific profiles are currently being considered.

Being part of the Roster means that your profile is available to any NGO, UN agency or government partner worldwide who regularly seeks consultants. Once a person is placed on the roster, he/she will remain listed for up to 36 months, unless requested to be removed earlier.

The consultants are available in the following areas of expertise:

Prevention and management of malnutrition in emergencies

- ★ Detection and Treatment of Wasting in Children;
- ★ Management of Complicated Wasting;
- ★ Simplified Approaches;
- ★ Maternal, Adolescent and Infant and Young Child Feeding and Nutrition;
- ★ Micronutrients;
- ★ Multisectoral Programming;
- ★ MAMI

Cross-Cutting Approaches and Modalities Applied to Nutrition

- ★ Social and Behavior Change
- ★ Cash/Voucher Assistance;
- ★ Nutrition Advocacy
- ★ High Level Leadership, facilitation and engagement for nutrition programming
- ★ Nutrition Cluster Coordination
- ★ Information Management
- ★ Needs Assessment and Analysis

Should you have any issues using the request form or other questions about the roster, please reach out to us at: GNCroster@nutritioncluster.net.