

 Early Warning System

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Contracting Private Providers for Universal Healthcare in Egypt



Quick Facts

Countries	Egypt
Financial Institutions	International Finance Corporation (IFC)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2021-11-06
Borrower	Government of Egypt - Universal Healthcare Insurance Agency (UHIA)
Sectors	Education and Health, Law and Government
Investment Type(s)	Advisory Services
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 0.66 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 0.66 million



Project Description

According to the Bank's website, the objective of this advisory agreement between IFC and the Universal Healthcare Insurance Agency (UHIA) of Egypt is to support the Agency in developing and implementing a framework for contracting for health services with the private sector under the universal health insurance system.

The project will undertake an external benchmarking exercise through a consultant to develop a recommended framework for Egypt, conducting necessary stakeholders engagement with various stakeholder groups to adapt the proposed framework to the on-the-ground status and overall structure of the healthcare system in Egypt, incorporate UHIA's relationship with service providers and other payors (insurance companies) in the proposed framework, engage with local legal advisor to propose actionable contracts and raise third-party donor funds to complete the full scope of activities outlined for the project.

Successful implementation of the project will support Egypt's Universal Healthcare Authority with establishing a framework for contracting health services from private contractors. This will improve access to healthcare services across the country, and expand the growth opportunities of private health services providers.



Investment Description

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Estimated Total Budget: \$668,137.00 (Project budget includes all project-funded activities)



Contact Information

No contacts available at the time of disclosure.

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