

Cover Note for COVID-19 Accelerated Funding Request

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Country:	Click here to enter text.
Grant agent(s):	Click here to enter text.
Coordinating agency(ies):	Click here to enter text.
Program name:	Click here to enter text.
COVID-19 Accelerated Funding amount requested:	Click here to enter amount.
Agency fees amount (additional to COVID-19 Accelerated Funding amount requested): ¹	Click here to enter amount.
Agency fees as % of total COVID-19 Accelerated Funding requested:	Click here to enter amount.
COVID-19 Accelerated Funding application date:	Click here to enter a date.
Estimated COVID-19 Accelerated Funding program start date:	Click here to enter a date.
Estimated COVID-19 Accelerated Funding program closing date (must be last day of the month, e.g. June <u>30</u> , 2021):	Click here to enter a date.
Expected submission date of completion report (At the latest 6 months after program closing date):	Click here to enter a date.
Grant modality - (please enter 'X')	<input type="checkbox"/> Sector Pooled
	<input type="checkbox"/> Project Pooled/ Co-financed
	<input type="checkbox"/> Project/ Stand-alone

¹ General agency fees are additional to the Accelerated Funding amount requested, and determined by the grant agent's own internal regulations. They are paid to the agency's headquarters and relate to overhead costs and are typically used to assist in the defrayment of administrative and other costs incurred in connection with the management and administration of grant funds. These fees are pre-determined in the Financial Procedure Agreement (FPA) between the grant agent and the GPE Trustee.

Note to the user

Informing the Secretariat:

→ Prior to submitting a COVID-19 Accelerated Funding application, the Government or the Coordinating Agency informs the Secretariat of the country's intention to apply and provides a timeline for the submission of their application to the GPE Secretariat.

COVID-19 Accelerated Funding Guidelines:

→ Applicants should read the [GPE Guidelines for COVID-19 Accelerated Funding Window](#), which explain the application development process, including timeline, and necessary steps. In case additional information is needed, the applicant can contact the Country Lead at the Secretariat.