



The Banyan Global EVAL ME II Indefinite Delivery Indefinite Quantity (IDIQ) Consortium

Banyan Global has assembled a world-class team—including The Mitchell Group, Democracy International, and Environmental Incentives—to ensure maximum responsiveness to USAID mission and operating unit requests across the IDIQ’s range of technical skills and geographic and sectoral areas. Banyan Global and its partners bring an innovative outlook, tested approaches, rigorous systems, and deep in-house capacity to successfully implement EVAL ME II.

Banyan Global, the prime, is a women-owned small business that has worked in more than 50 countries across the globe over the past 18 years. We have extensive experience partnering with the United States Agency for International Development (USAID) as a prime and work seamlessly within six practice areas: evaluation and learning, health, finance and investment, enterprise development, gender, and youth. At Banyan Global, we believe that evidence serves as the foundation for successful project design, offers guidance for course corrections, and should be disseminated widely to offer lessons for better and more impactful programming. Banyan Global brings expertise in conducting performance and impact evaluations; supporting USAID and its partners to develop and operationalize performance monitoring plans; leading collaborating, learning and adapting (CLA); and communications and knowledge management (KM). We have led four regional and global analytical platforms and are spearheading efforts across the agency to **integrate gender and social inclusion** and women’s empowerment in monitoring, evaluation and learning (MEL), CLA, and USAID initiatives—including the Journey to Self-Reliance and the private-sector engagement policy. Banyan Global also brings a strong track record in building local experts’ and partners’ capacities. As the prime contractor, Banyan Global will lead the IDIQ, task orders, and grants management, as well as provide MEL services across the full breadth of technical areas.

Subcontractor, **The Mitchell Group**, is a veteran-owned business that for over 30 years has managed more than 80 contracts in 75 countries across core areas, including MEL and local-capacity building and training. The Mitchell Group brings a strong track record in managing regional and country-level MEL platforms and as a subcontractor on EVAL ME II will provide services across a range of technical areas, including countering violent extremism, resilience, and education. Subcontractor, **Democracy International**, is a leading provider of analytical services, including evaluations, assessments, special studies, KM, performance monitoring, strategy design, and institutional support and training. Democracy International’s focus areas on EVAL ME II include democracy, human rights and governance, conflict transformation, conflict management and mitigation, post-conflict reconstruction, and transition. Subcontractor, **Environmental Incentives**, is a small business that provides services in MEL; CLA; adaptive management; systematic learning; communications and KM; capacity development; and evidence-based development practices, assessments, and research. As a subcontractor, they will provide services in the areas of environment, biodiversity, forestry, climate change, and WASH.