

# Amplify impact - Skills connector application form (grantees)

Positive Action 2020-2030 strategy's vision is healthy communities in a world free of AIDS. Our approach is underpinned by championing the meaningful involvement of people living with and affected by HIV in all their diversity. We work with and for communities to strengthen capacity that already exists and build it where it does not exist.

Our **mission** is to be a transformational partner that champions people and communities to end AIDS.

- This means that we want to **fund focussed and highly effective programmes** that transform the local HIV response;
- We want to **accompany our grantees** with needs based technical assistance and capacity building;
- We want to work with grantees and partners **to utilise data and learning to inform decision making** whilst also using it to shape advocacy and policy initiatives at the national, regional and global levels; and
- We will as the Positive Action Team play a bigger role in engaging and participating in relevant advocacy and policy platforms and discussions with colleagues within ViiV

## Positive Action Skills Connector

The Positive Action Skills Connectors will provide advice and provide **short-term**, long-distance, specialised support to grantees under our new [AMPLIFY IMPACT Programme](#)

This support can range from 3 hours – 10 days (per year) and will focus on the following broad areas:

- Business Development & Change Management
- Communications (media, messaging and publicity)
- Data Management and Knowledge Transfer (enhancing data value and distribution)
- Information Technology (IT) (networking and infrastructure)
- Representation and Influence (public speaking, effective representation)
- Sales and/or Marketing (promoting services, securing clients, raising money)

### Please note:

The Skills Connector is only available to grantees who have an existing grant with Positive Action.

Please provide as much detail as possible, we will make every effort to match your request to the skills and expertise of ViiV/GSK staff who have offered their services, but we cannot guarantee this.

## Section 1: Contact Information

First Name	
Last Name	
Job Title	
Organisation	
Email Address	
Telephone	
Name of current grant.	

## Section 2: Skills Required

Could you please identify in which of the following thematic areas you require additional support? Please try and provide as much detail as possible as this makes it easier to match your requirements.

Skills Connector Areas	Further details
Business Development & Change Management	
Communications (media, messaging and publicity)	
Data Management and Knowledge Transfer (enhancing data value and distribution)	
Information Technology (IT) (networking and infrastructure)	
Representation and Influence (public speaking, effective representation)	
Sales and/or Marketing (promoting services, securing clients, raising money)	

### Section 3: Availability and Languages

Can you identify how much time you think you will require from the Skills Connector?

Up to 3 hours a month

Between 3 – 8 hours a month  Please specify. \_\_\_\_\_

More than 1 day a month  Please specify. \_\_\_\_\_

Please complete your language proficiency in the following languages below as one of the following;

- Mother tongue
- Good
- Intermediate
- Basic

Language	Speak	Read	Write
Arabic			
English			
French			
Portuguese			
Russian			
Spanish			
Swahili			
Other			

### Section 4: Consent

Please complete the following

- I have access to appropriate electronic equipment to actively engage in the skills connector (computer, internet, headsets etc.)  
Yes  No
- I will make every effort to adhere to appointment times, but will inform my Skills Connector if I am unable to make an appointment with sufficient notice Yes  No
- I will provide regular updates on the Skills Connector via our 6 monthly and 12 monthly narrative reports. Yes  No

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_