**Cover Note *for***

**Accelerated Funding Request**

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| **OVERVIEW** | |
| Country: | Click here to enter text. |
| Grant agent(s): | Click here to enter text. |
| Coordinating agency(ies): | Click here to enter text. |
| Period of the TEP/ESP (if available)[[1]](#footnote-1): | Click here to enter text. |
| Estimated ESPIG application date (if known): | Click here to enter text. |
| Program name: | Click here to enter a date. |
| Total MCA amount: | Click here to enter text. |
| Accelerated Funding amount requested (up to 20% of MCA): | Click here to enter amount. |
| Agency fees (amount): | Click here to enter amount. |
| Agency fees as % of total Accelerated Funding requested: | Click here to enter amount. |
| Accelerated Funding application date: | Click here to enter a date. |
| Estimated Accelerated Funding program start date: | Click here to enter a date. |
| Estimated Accelerated Funding program closing date (must be last day of the month, e.g. June **30**, 2019): | 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. |

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| **Grant modality** - (please enter ‘**X**’) |  | Sector Pooled |
|  | Project Pooled/ Co-financed |
|  | Project/ Stand-alone |

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| **Note to the user**  **Verifying eligibility:**   Prior to an Accelerated Funding application, the Local Education Group in consultation with the Education Cluster should verify with the Secretariat whether the country is eligible for accelerated support. As part of this, the Secretariat will engage with the LEG and Education Cluster through the Coordinating Agency to agree on a timeline for the preparation and submission of the application.  **Accelerated Funding Guidelines:**   Applicants should read the GPE [Guidelines for Accelerated Support in Emergency and Early Recovery Situations](https://www.globalpartnership.org/content/guidelines-accelerated-support-emergency-and-early-recovery-situations),[[2]](#footnote-2) which explain the application development process, including timeline, necessary steps and intermediary submissions for the quality assurance process of the application. In case additional information is needed, the applicant can contact the Country Lead at the Secretariat. |

1. TEP/ESP is not a requirement of Accelerated Funding. [↑](#footnote-ref-1)
2. Available on GPE website: <https://www.globalpartnership.org/content/guidelines-accelerated-support-emergency-and-early-recovery-situations>. [↑](#footnote-ref-2)