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I would like to apply for a Fellowship to attend the *“Data Use and Management: Using Evidence to Improve Programs Training Course”*,

Midlands Province

15-19 October, 2012

Application Deadline- 6 October, 2012

Purpose of the Training Course

The primary aim of the training course is to offer a hands-on training for Health Information Officers and/or Data Managers in the health and social sectors to build their skills in data management and use in an operational research context, with the goal of using data as evidence from which to improve programming. The fundamental aim of this training course is to build capacity for quality operational research in Zimbabwe and Southern Africa.

The specific objectives of the course were as follows:

- Develop increased understanding of the value and uses of data and operational research.
- Improve ability to synthesize existing information and develop targeted study questions.
- Build data analysis and management skills to enhance the use of data in an everyday setting towards program improvement

NB: Please note that the Fellowship is Province Specific

1. PERSONAL DETAILS

Title	Prof./Dr./Mrs./Ms./Miss/Mr. (Please circle/cross the appropriate)
Surname	
First Names	
Highest Qualification	
Other Qualifications	
Profession	
Name of Your Organisation	
Current Position in your organization	
Name of your supervisor & Contact details (cell & email)	
Institution/Organisation & Address	
Department	
Mailing Address	
Phone	
Fax	
Cell phone	
E-mail	
Accommodation required	1. Yes (justify) 2. No

2. MOTIVATION (Maximum- one and half pages; 1.5 spacing, Times new roman, Font 12)

Give a concise account using the following guidelines and numbering. Unnumbered application on this section will not be considered

- A. Detailed account of your current and direct responsibilities with program data**
- B. Why UNICEF/CCORE should consider your application for the fellowship ahead of others.**
- C. State practical examples of how you plan to make use of the skills gained in improving on or enhancing current programming decisions in your organization (CCORE will follow up on participants post training to assess this aspect)**
- D. How do you think this course will impact on the right holders (program target population) of your program**
- E. Clearly state if your organization is aware of your application and or their level of support towards your intention to participate in this course**

3 OTHER TRAINING COURSE REQUIREMENTS: (Please circle/cross the appropriate)

Do you have a Lap top?	YES	NO
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4. COURSE SECRETARIAT CONTACT DETAILS:

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