

CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

IBL ON THE MOVE 2026 – SPECIAL DISABILITY EDITION



EMPOWERING ORGANISATIONS TO PROMOTE THE
WELLBEING AND INCLUSION OF PEOPLE LIVING
WITH DISABILITIES

FONDATION
Joseph Lagesse

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We invite **non-profit organisations** to submit project proposals for the next edition of **IBL On The Move**, scheduled for mid-April 2026. Proposals must be submitted to the **IBL On The Move 2026 Committee** by **4:00 PM on Sunday, 7 December 2025**.

The primary objective of **IBL On The Move 2026** is to support a non-profit organisation by raising awareness of its social cause and providing financial assistance. The cluster descriptions below serve as guidance, **but applicants are encouraged to propose innovative initiatives**. The selected project must address at **least one (1)** of the following clusters:

Cluster 1: Education and Training for Youth Living with Disabilities

- **Improving Access to Education:** Provide tools, equipment, and resources to empower vulnerable youth with disabilities and improve their access to vocational training that enhances employment opportunities and social inclusion.

Cluster 2: Economic Empowerment and Independent Living

- **Employment and Entrepreneurship:** Initiatives that create or expand equal opportunities for persons with disabilities through skills training, employability readiness training, entrepreneurship coaching.
- **Social Enterprises and Innovation:** Improve a social enterprise adapted to people living with disabilities, enhancing their skills and economic independence while supporting the financial sustainability of the NGO.

Cluster 3: Parenting Support for Children with Disabilities

- **Parenting for Children with Disabilities:** Provide parents with practical tools and strategies to support the optimal development of a child born with a disability.
 - Foster harmonious family relationships through guidance and support for parents and siblings.
 - Equip families with capacities to raise their child while addressing social stigma and actively participating in his/her social inclusion.
- **Economic Empowerment:** Promote the economic empowerment of families with a child living with a disability, with a special focus on vulnerable women. Support home-based initiatives that enable women to contribute to their family's financial autonomy while ensuring quality care and future prospects for the child.

Submission Guidelines

- **Eligibility:** Each non-profit organisation may submit only **one (1)** project proposal.
- **Budget:** Proposals must include an estimated budget of **Rs 1,000,000**.
- **Format:** Submissions must be in PDF format.
- **Deadline:** Proposals must be submitted by 4:00 PM on Sunday, 7 December 2025 to the Fondation Joseph Lagesse office or via our form.

Proposal Requirements

Each submission must include:

1. Organisation Overview

- Background of the organisation, contact details, and contact person for this application.
- Organisational chart of the management.
- Composition of the current Board/Managing Committee, including full names (as per National Identity Card) and contact details.

2. Project Presentation

- Background and needs assessment.
- Aims and objectives.
- Target population and/or area.
- Outputs and expected outcomes.
- Planned activities and Gantt chart.
- Detailed budget.

3. Organisational Credentials

- Proof of operation for at least three (3) years,
- Relevant activity reports.
- Demonstrated experience in managing a budget of Rs 1,000,000 over a one-year period, supported by the last two audited accounts and testimonials.

4. Implementation Timeline

- The proposed project must be implemented within 12 to 15 months from the date the funding agreement is signed.

5. Compliance

- Proposals submitted after the deadline will not be considered.
- Incomplete applications will not be considered.
- Proposals that do not cover at least one (1) of the above-mentioned clusters will not be considered.

Selection Process

- Proposals will be reviewed, and shortlisted organisations will be **contacted on 9 December 2025**.
- Shortlisted organisations will be required to **present their proposal in person**, supported by a **PowerPoint presentation or video clip**, on **12 January 2026 (time and venue to be confirmed) in the morning**.
- The **IBL On The Move Committee** will evaluate submissions based on **good governance practices, ethical standards, and grassroots experience of the applicant**.

Note:

- Organisations that **benefited** from previous editions of IBL On The Move are **not eligible**.
- The IBL On The Move Committee will monitor the implementation of the project as per the terms and conditions communicated to the awardee.

We look forward to receiving **innovative and impactful proposals** that align with the values of **IBL On The Move**, to co-create **positive impact in Mauritian society**.

IBL On The Move Committee 2026