



2016 calls for proposals

Lessons learned

**Consumers, Health, Agriculture
and Food Executive Agency**

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Evaluation outcome - statistics

Status of proposal	Multi call	Simple call	Multi call	Simple call
successful	6	60	22%	30%
reserve list	1	19	4%	10%
rejected due to unavailability of budget	0	26	0%	13%
below quality threshold	16	52	59%	26%
ineligible	4	42	15%	21%
TOTAL	27	199	100%	100%

Evaluation outcome – statistics award criteria

Award criterion	N° of proposals below threshold
Contribution to policy objectives	14
Technical quality	46
Management quality	33
Cost-effectiveness	50

Main reasons for rejection

- Proposing organisation is not eligible
- Proposing organisation is not representative of the product/sector promoted
- Products/schemes promoted are not eligible
- Programme proposal is out of scope of the call and/or topic
- Programme is not of significant scale

Quality of proposals - weak points

- Programme objectives are not well defined
- Activities and deliverables are not well defined
- Union message is lacking
- Organisation and risk management are not described
- Evaluation methodology is absent
- Poor cost effectiveness

Guidance available to applicants in the context of 2017 calls

- Guide for applicants (detailed award criteria!)
- New website: FAQ, eligibility checker, ...
- Info days in Brussels and in Member States
- Webinars
- Chafea helpdesk



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Thank you very much for your attention!