



## UNFPA Media Awards 2007-2008

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The United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA) Bangladesh is pleased to announce its 2007-2008 Media Awards for excellence in population reporting in Bangladesh. The objective of the awards is to stimulate the media professionals to increasingly project population issues and concerns through various media in the country. The awards are expected to encourage media professional both within print and electronic Media at all levels to acquire a more in-depth knowledge on population issues and to stimulate high standards of journalism.

The awards are designed to encourage greater media coverage on Reproductive Health, Population and Development issues highlighting Safe Motherhood, Family Planning, Adolescent Sexual & Reproductive Health and Rights, Gender Equity and Equality, Population and Environment, HIV/AIDS, Violence Against Women, Dowry & Early marriage.

Investigative/Interpretive/success stories/reports published on the above issues, in national and regional dailies (Bengali/English) from **17 July 2007 to 30 August 2008** will be eligible for entry. TV and Radio programmes addressing the above issues and televised/broadcasted from **17 July 2007 to 30 August 2008** will also be eligible for competition.

### **Conditions for Entry:**

1. Entries must be from working Journalists from News Agencies/News papers and Electronic media agencies (TV/Radio).
2. **Eligible works must have been published/disseminated between 17 July 2007 and 30 August 2008.**
3. More than one entry will be entertained from one individual.
4. Categories: Entries will be classified in five categories:
  - (I) English: Dailies published from Dhaka
  - (II) Bengali: Dailies published from Dhaka



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- (III) Electronic Media - (TV): Daily or weekly programmes through Television
- (IV) Electronic Media - (Radio): Daily or weekly programmes through Radio

### **How to Submit:**

Entries must be submitted to UNFPA Representative with a forwarding letter from the appropriate authority along with two photographs. No entry fee required.

### **What to Win:**

There will be three prizes for category I & II and two prizes for category III & IV and two special prizes for category V.

- (a) **1st Prize - Tk. 50,000/=** (Taka Fifty thousand only)
- (b) **2nd Prize - Tk. 40,000/=** (Taka Forty thousand only)
- (c) **3rd Prize - Tk. 30,000/=** (Taka Thirty thousand only)

**Deadline** for entry is **15 September 2008**. A panel of judges comprising distinguished personalities will judge the entries. Decisions of the panel will be treated as final.



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**(For Sylhet and Cox's Bazar)**

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This year UNFPA also announces Media Award 2008 particularly for print media in Sylhet and Cox's Bazar districts in order to encourage media personnel for increased reporting in the field of population and other related issues. It is an attempt to promote high standards of journalism on population issues in Sylhet and Cox's Bazar districts.

The awards are designed to encourage greater media coverage on Reproductive Health, Population and Development issues shedding new light on Safe Motherhood, Family Planning, Adolescent Sexual & Reproductive Health and Rights, Gender Equity and Equality, Population and Environment, HIV/AIDS, Violence Against Women, Dowry & Early marriage in Sylhet and Cox's Bazar districts.

Investigative/Interpretive/success stories/reports published on the above issues, in local dailies (Bengali/English) from **17 July 2007** to **30 August 2008** will be eligible for entry.

**Conditions for Entry:**

1. Entries must be from working Journalists from News Agencies/News papers
2. Eligible works must have been published between **17 July 2007** and **30 August 2008**.
3. More than one entry will be entertained from one individual.
  - (V) Categories: Daily, Weekly, Fort-nightly & Monthly print media (English and Bangla) from Sylhet and Cox's Bazar districts.



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**How to Submit:**

Entries (the original publication) must be submitted to **UNFPA Representative, 15<sup>th</sup> floor, IDB Bhaban, E/8-A Begum Rokeya Sharani, Sher-e-Banglanagar, Dhaka – 1207** with a forwarding letter from the appropriate authority along with two photographs. No entry fee required.

**What to Win:**

- a) **1st Prize - Tk. 30,000/=** (Taka Thirty thousand only)
- b) **2nd Prize - Tk. 20,000/=** (Taka Twenty thousand only)
- c) **3rd Prize - Tk. 10,000/=** (Taka Ten thousand only)

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