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***UN Special Rapporteur on the Elimination of Discrimination Against Persons***

***Affected by Leprosy and their Family Members, Alice Cruz***

**Questionnaire for the thematic report**

**to the Human Rights Council (47th session, June 2021)**

* Consultations with persons affected by leprosy, their family members and their organizations are strongly encouraged.
* Responses should be precise and be between 500-1500 words. Supporting documents can be attached.
* Please submit the completed questionnaire electronically to srleprosy@ohchr.org **no later than 31 December 2020**, using the email title: “Submissions to the Questionnaire”.

1. Please provide information on your activities regarding the promotion of decent work for persons affected by leprosy and their family members, which can include advocacy for guaranteeing job opportunities, career counselling opportunities, professional education, entrepreneurship opportunities, vocational and professional rehabilitation programmes and/or any other strategies that you have developed and put in place with that end in view. Kindly provide information in the format that is more suitable to you.

2. Please provide information about your activities to respond to the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic and humanitarian crisis on persons affected by leprosy and their family members. If possible, please also indicate the current needs of persons affected by leprosy and their family members in the region and country where you act regarding sustenance of livelihoods, food security and access to healthcare. Kindly provide information in the format that is more suitable to you.

* *Please provide your name, affiliation and contact information, including email address:*
* *Do you give consent to make your response public through the OHCHR webpages or the Special Rapporteur’s report to the Human Rights Council?*

Yes ( ) / No ( )