

# Call for Writers

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The International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies is seeking expressions of interests by appropriately skilled writers for the World Disasters Report (2008), which will focus on HIV. Writers will be commissioned on a chapter-by-chapter basis and the starting dates will be staggered. The time frame is mid-July 2007 onwards to end of January 2008.



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## **Would you be interested? Are you available?**

Send your CV and some recent writing samples by **31 July 2007** to:  
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**Expressions of interest by people living with HIV  
and women are particularly encouraged.**

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