

PASS FIJI

Population based Age-stratified assessment of SARS-COV2 Seropositivity in Fiji :2022-2024

About PASS Fiji

PASS Fiji is an approved research study by the Fiji National University(FNU) to find out how many people in Fiji have been exposed to SARS-COV2 the virus that cause COVID-19 and how many people now have immunity to the virus.



What happens if you decide to take part



We will ask you questions about your state of health, your vaccinations and about the things that affect your risk of getting COVID-19 and other infections.



We will collect a small sample of blood from your arm. Your blood sample will be tested for antibodies to the COVID-19 virus.

Your Rights



You have the right to ask questions and to decide whether or not to take part. You have the right to change your mind at any time. You can decide what we do with your blood sample.

What are antibodies



Antibodies are proteins our bodies make to fight off infections. Our bodies make antibodies after we have been infected with a virus. We will test your blood to see whether you have antibodies for the COVID-19 virus and how strongly your antibodies combat the virus.

What are the risks



PASS Fiji staff have been trained to manage risks and events that may happen to you such as having pain in your arm or fainting after blood collection. Trained medical staff will be present to collect blood and to manage any events that may occur.