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# Pacific Islands Health Research Symposium 2021 Extraordinaire

Virtual Conference

## Health Security in the Pacific: Lessons from the Pandemic Experience

Date: 21 – 23 April, 2021.

# INFORMATION PACKAGE

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### **Symposium Date**

Date: **21 - 23 April 2021**

### **Time**

Time: **10:00am – 5:00pm FJT**

### **Symposium Theme**

The symposium theme is **Health Security in the Pacific: Lessons from the Pandemic Experience**

### **Sub-Themes**

#### **1) Health System Challenges – Sharing Country Experiences**

- National/State/Regional Policy Challenges/Interventions
- Health Information Challenges/Interventions
- Health System Challenges/Interventions
- Others

#### **2) Non-Communicable Diseases**

- Food Security and Nutrition
- Physical Activity
- NCD Services
- Others

#### **3) Reproductive, Maternal, Newborn, Child and Adolescent Health (RMNCAH)**

- Gender-based Violence
- Sexual Reproductive Health
- Maternal and Child Health
- Others

#### **4) Patient Management Perspectives**

- Public Health Interventions
- Laboratory Diagnostic Innovations and Experiences
- Clinical Management Series
- Others

#### **5) Economic Implications**

- Health Economy Approaches
- Sustainable Economies in Pandemics
- Others



### Registration

Registration closes on **Friday 15 January 2021**. Should you wish to register, please refer to the following website link: <https://www.fnu.ac.fj/college-of-medicine/research-cmnhs/pihrs/pihrs-registration-2020/>

### Registration Categories

The Symposium Registration will have 1-day pass, 2-day pass or 3-day pass.

### Continuing Professional Development (CPD) Points

Continuing Professional Development Certificates is provided to all registered participants, at a rate of roughly two (2) CPD points per hour of presentations attended, equivalent to 10 CPD points for a whole day attendance. This equates to 30 CPD points for the full 3-day attendance.

### Abstract Submissions

Should you wish to submit an abstract please refer to the guidelines on the following website address: <https://www.fnu.ac.fj/college-of-medicine/research-cmnhs/pihrs/pihrs-abstract-submission-guidelines/> and submit by emailing your abstract to: [PIHRS@fnu.ac.fj](mailto:PIHRS@fnu.ac.fj) Call for abstract closes on **3rd January 2021**.

### SYMPOSIUM PROGRAM

The symposium program will include experts and representatives from academic and research institutions, technical agencies, national governments and Civil societies from Fiji, Guam, Samoa, Solomon Islands, Tonga, Vanuatu, Australia, Japan, Korea, New Zealand, the UK and USA including as keynote speakers, research presenters, and panel discussants. The symposium will host parallel sessions with a webinar series on interesting issues including Covid-19 and the Measles pandemic experiences from the Pacific region running for an hour from 12.00pm to 1.00pm on each of those days.

### Enquiries

For more information please contact the PIHRS Secretariat: -

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