

Pacific Regional Influenza Pandemic Preparedness Project [PRIPPP]

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Inception of PRIPPP

Stakeholder consultation

Build on what is existing

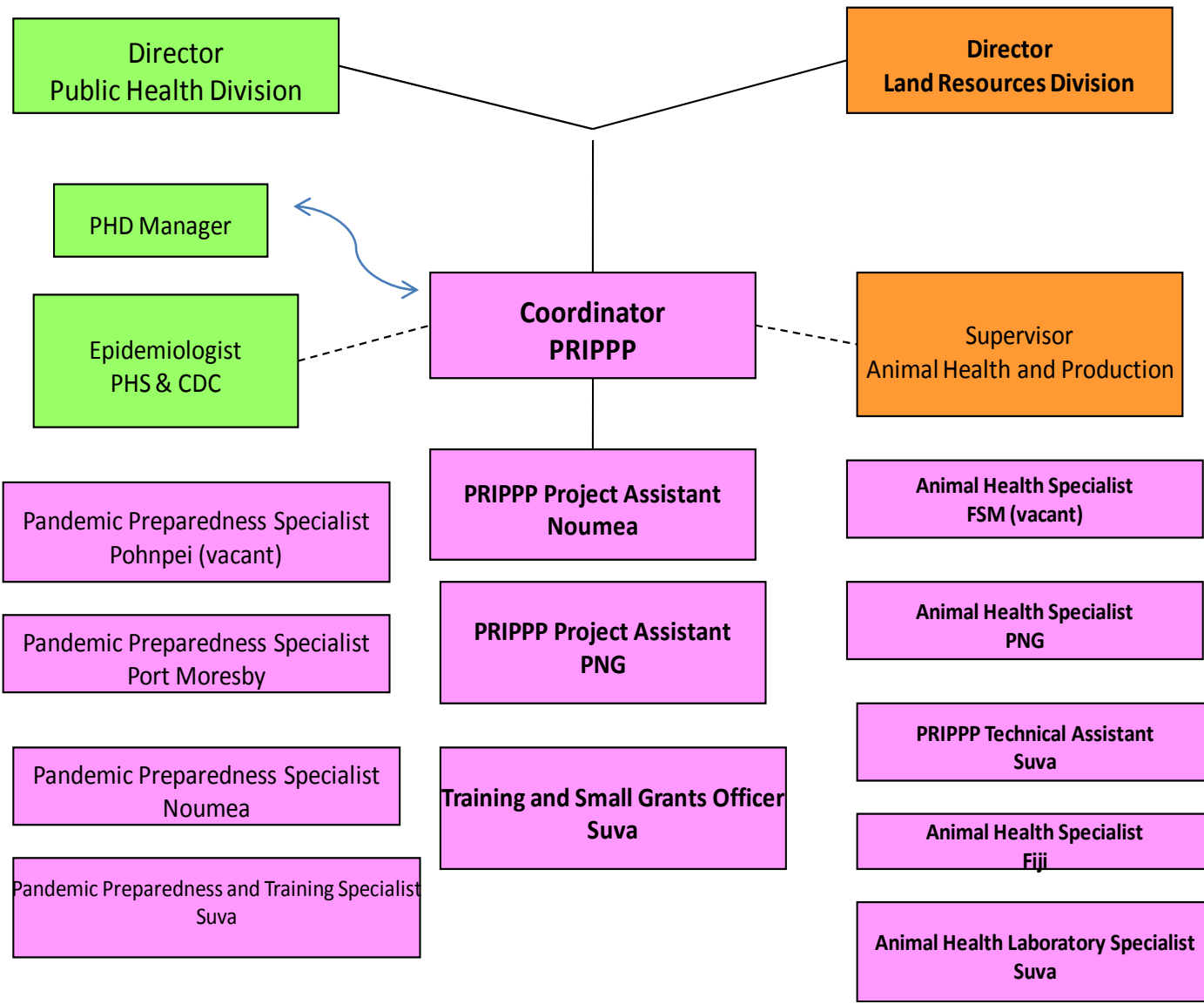
- Country achievements
- PPHSN, PHOVAPS, Pacific Plan
- IHR, APSED

Contribution to workforce development



PRIPPP in a nutshell:

- i. 4 year project June 2006 - July 2010
- ii. Specifically designed across Land Resource Division (AH in focus) and Social Resource Division (PHP)
 - i. Model for inter-sectoral collaboration
 - ii. Operational linkage to other PPHSN projects eg: CDC funded Lab based influenza sentinel surveillance Project



CDC lab-based influenza sentinel surveillance Project



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Goal:

PICTs able to effectively and efficiently respond to emerging diseases, in particular highly pathogenic avian influenza (HPAI) and pandemic influenza

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Objectives:

1. Immediate measures implemented to prevent, or respond to, a possible outbreak of HPAI and pandemic influenza
2. Sustainable capacities built to respond to emerging diseases, in line with international standards and regulations



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COMPONENT 1:

Preparedness & broader emergency plans

COMPONENT 2:

Surveillance & response by animal & public health systems

COMPONENT 3:

Regional co-ordination & project management

- NIPPS development & Cabinet/higher Govt. authority processing.
- Checklists development (later APSED)
- Plan testing exercises
- Revitalisation of emergency taskforces and functions since SARS.
- Strengthen/facilitate active collaboration between pandemic taskforces and national disaster management offices..

OTHER Areas:

- Small Grants Scheme (SGS)
- Infection control
- Procurement & Supplies
(PPE+hand sanitisers, Tamiflu)

Targetted trainings & setting up systems icontrol, field epidemiology/outbreak investigation and response/syndromic surveillance (+ WHO, NZMOH), DDM, Paravet, including: infection IATA, Laboratory (+CDC project),
 Risk communication and advocacy (+UNICEF) and others incl. GSS.

Short term: legal adviser and risk communication officers.

Regional/international meetings: eg: PAPITaF, PPHSN-CB, PPHSN-EpiNet & IHR meeting (+WHO, other working partners), PHOVAPS (+OIE/FAO).

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- **PPHSN/PPHSN-CB**

Pacific Public Health Surveillance Network

- **PHOVAPS**

Pacific Heads of Veterinary and Animal Production Services

- **PAPITaF**

Pacific Avian and Pandemic Influenza Taskforce

'Last lap' of PRIPPP

- Project ends but PPHSN continues with 'renewed/fresh' commitments from SPC (PHD-restructuring) to support (+WHO).
- Lessons learned, capacity built, and the networks and relationship created/strengthened kept & used.
- The sustainability of good emergency preparedness through collaboration and co-ordination both local and regional.
- Surveillance systems reviewed/developed/ as feasible as per countries..... to be continued!

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