

Projects and ActivitiesThu Apr 18 20:04:18 HST 2024

Name	Samoa-Australia Partnership for Development: Climate Change
Capability Area: Impacts/Adapt ations	 - Understanding Climate Impacts and Informing Adaptation - Climate Adaptation - Policies and Legislation
Sectors	 - Public Health and Safety - Fresh Water Resources - Agriculture and Fisheries - Recreation and Tourism
Status	- Ongoing
Focus Area	 Fresh Water Resources and Drought Coastal Inundation/Sea Level Rise, Extreme Weather, and Community Resilience Marine and Terrestrial Ecosystems
Regions	- South Pacific - Samoa
Description	Australia is supporting the Government of Samoa to implement activities under Samoa's NAPA, primarily in the water, forest and tourism sectors. This includes a national tourism adaptation strategy setting out adaptation standards for tourism services (e.g., to manage surface floods in the capital Apia) and a national strategy for forest fire prevention.
Lead Agencies	Government of Samoa
Partnering Agencies	The information for this activity was provided by the Adaptation Partnership from their Pacific chapter review of planned and existing adaptation activities. These reviews provide an inventory of regional and country-level adaptation activities and a summary of key adaptation priorities, based on documents like the UN Framework Convention on Climate Change's National Adaptation Programs of Action and National Communications. They also identify gaps and opportunities for scaling up and enhancing collaboration. For more information see: http://www.adaptationpartnership.org/images/stories/documents/asia - pacific regional and country profiles.pdf
Required Resources	AusAID, Budget: US\$4 million
Projected Timelines	2009-2013