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| <b>Name</b>                          | Piloting Climate Change Adaptation to Protect Human Health (PCCAPHH)  |
| Capability Area: Impacts/Adaptations | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Understanding Climate Impacts and Informing Adaptation</li> <li>- Climate Adaptation</li> <li>- Training and Capacity Building, Education, Outreach</li> <li>- Policies and Legislation</li> <li>- Assessment and Evaluation</li> </ul>  |
| Sectors                              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Public Health and Safety</li> <li>- Community Planning and Development</li> </ul>  |
| Status                               | - Ongoing   |
| Focus Area                           | - Coastal Inundation/Sea Level Rise, Extreme Weather, and Community Resilience  |
| Regions                              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- South Pacific</li> <li>- Fiji</li> </ul>   |
| Description                          | The Piloting Climate Change Adaptation to Protect Human Health project is underway in Fiji (one of seven countries participating in this global pilot project). This project has been designed to increase the Ministry of Health's capacity to monitor, assess and respond to hydro-meteorological disasters and climate sensitive diseases and thus reduce health risks associated with climate change and variability. In order to be able to achieve this goal, several specific needs have been identified: mainstreaming and planning; evaluation; assessments; and response. |
| Objectives/Outcomes                  | 1) An early warning system providing reliable information on likely incidence of climate sensitive health risks. 2) Capacity of health sector institutions to respond to climate sensitive health risks based on early warning systems improved. 3) Disease prevention measures piloted in areas of heightened health risk due to climate change.   |
| Lead Agencies                        | WHO/Division of Pacific Technical Support/South Pacific Office  |
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| Partnering Agencies                  | GEF/Special Climate Change Fund   |
| Required Resources                   | 550,000 USD   |
| Projected Timelines                  | 2010-2014   |
| Url                                  | <a href="http://www.who.int/globalchange/projects/adaptation/en/index4.html">http://www.who.int/globalchange/projects/adaptation/en/index4.html</a>   |

