



FIJI COLLEGE OF GENERAL PRACTITIONERS

Name of Member Organisation	The Fiji College of General Practitioners
Year of establishment	1993
Number of physician members	192 as at May 2019, physician members are including Associate Members, Full Members, Fellow Members, etc
Total annual budget (US dollars)	Not Available
Name of any other primary care organisations and relationship to your organisation	We collaborate with both Government and Non-government organizations in the education for both medical and healthcare professionals as well as that for the general public locally and within Pacific.
Population of your country	Fiji has an estimated population of almost 918,757 https://www.google.com/search
No of total physicians	600
Percentage of General Practitioners among total physicians	30%
Do patients have to see a general practitioner to seek healthcare?	Not necessarily. There are many options for getting access to healthcare locally in Fiji, both in the public sector and in the private sector.

What is government/Ministry of Health's support for your organisation?	Collaboration in Continuing Medical Education and Continuing Professional Development, and public education activities. Awareness programs for general public
What are the compelling/demanding healthcare needs/issues in your country?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increased demand for health services • Health workforce shortages • Government funding challenges
Initiative/activities your organisation is currently working on.	Actively provides recognised postgraduate professional academic programmes in General practice through structured online courses, and with regular clinical training workshops and mentoring sessions by well-qualified mentors for members who has just joined in the college
Achievement/successes your organisation has made since the last Council meeting.	Signing MOU with RACGP. FCGP members can now be the members of RACGP
Difficulties/problems your	Financial constraints, due to lack of government support,



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organisaton is facing.	Anomalies in current medical practitioners act and regulations.
Any other matters	No
Permission to publish on web?	Yes
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