



# 10th BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES FAIR 2019



## Health and Education — *Opportunities in the Pacific*

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# Overview



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# Regional Strategy



- Pacific Approach covers 11 smallest DMCs
  - Creating value through education and health investments
- CPS Fiji, PNG and Timor-Leste
- Health – eHMIS, infrastructure, vaccine delivery
  - PNG, Samoa, Solomon Islands, Tonga, Tuvalu, Vanuatu
- Education – quality primary, secondary TVET, tertiary
  - Marshall Islands, Micronesia, PNG, Timor-Leste, Solomon Islands, Vanuatu, Regional



# Lending Pipeline, 2019–2021

## Health



Project Name	Country	Value (\$m)	Modality	Approval Date	Duration
Health Sector Development	PNG	\$100	PBL	July 2019	–2019
Health Sector Development	PNG	\$38	Project	May 2019	–2025
Health Sector	SOL	\$10	Project	2021	TBC

*Note: Projects are indicative and timelines subject to change*



# Nonlending Pipeline, 2019–2021 Health



Project Name	Country	Value	Modality	Approval Date	Duration
Preparing Health Project	SOL	\$500k	TRTA	July 2019	2 years
Preparing Health project	VAN	\$500k	TRTA	2020	2 years

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# Lending Pipeline, 2019–2021

## Education



Project Name	Country	Value (\$m)	Modality	Approval Date	Duration
TVET for Employment	PNG	\$50	Project	2021	TBC
Education & Skills Development	TIM	\$18	Project	2021	TBC
Education Sector Strengthening	VAN	\$8	Project	2021	TBC
Education Sector Strengthening	SOL	\$10	Project	2021	TBC

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# Nonlending Pipeline, 2019–2021 Education



Project Name	Country	Value	Modality	Approval Date	Duration
TVET for Employment in PNG	PNG	\$800k	TRTA	Sep 2019	1 year
Policy & Planning for Public Investment	TIM	\$400k	TRTA	Sep 2019	2 years
Education Sector Strengthening	SOL	\$500k	TRTA	2020	TBC
Education Sector Strengthening	VAN	\$500k	TRTA	2020	TBC

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# Key Opportunities: Health



## Loan 3736 and Grants 0623/0624/0625/0626-REG: Systems Strengthening for Effective Coverage of New Vaccines in the Pacific

Package Description	Value	Proc. Method	Date to Advertise	Comments
Regional project management firm	\$5.5 million	QCBS – FTP	Feb 2019	Extended closing to April 3

## Loans 3664/3665/3666-PNG: Health Services Sector Development Program

Package Description	Value	Proc. Method	Date to Advertise	Comments
Health center 1	\$4.7 million	NCB	Jun 2019	Divided into three phases
Health center 2	\$4.7 million	NCB	Sep 2019	Divided into three phases





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## Loans 3664/3665/3666-PNG: Health Services Sector Development Program

Package Description	Value	Proc. Method	Date to Advertise	Comments
ICT equipment for digital health	\$2.7 million	ICB	Jun 2019	Combined with eNHIS firm below
<b>Firms:</b> (i) Supply chain (ii) eNHIS (iii) M&E	\$2.1 million \$2.2 million \$1.2 million	QCBS (FTP)	Mar 2019 Jun 2019 May 2019	Work closely with project management team



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## Loans 3664/3665/3666-PNG: Health Services Sector Development Program

Package Description	Value	Proc. Method	Date to Advertise	Comments
<b>Individual consultants:</b> (i) Supply chain specialist (ii) PFM specialist (iii) Health information specialist (iv) Environment specialist (v) Health economist (vi) Private partner engagement (vii) Human resource expert	\$0.3–1.0 million	ICS	Mar–Dec 2019	Work closely within the project management team



# Key Opportunities: Education



- Promoting regional approaches and ICT to improve education

Project	Package Description	Value	Proc. Method	Date to Advertise	Comments
TA 9645-REG: Strengthening Education in the Pacific Region	ODFL software curation for regional repository	TBD	ICB/NCB	Aug 2019	E-learning to promote quality and access



# Issues for Consideration



- Bringing Pacific/Small Island Experience
- Understanding MDB processes
- Differentiated Approach for SIDS
- Listening to governments – making projects workable



# Thank you!

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