

SMALL ISLAND DEVELOPING STATES (SIDS) NATIONAL FOCAL POINT (NFP)



Types of actions - needed to translate political commitments at the global level into action on the ground

What do you see?

The beautiful blue ocean surrounding the remote island

An airstrip in bad condition

Green trees

Coconut trees

Some building structures

White beaches

Flat landscape

Can you see?

Climate change: Sea level rise issue

Connectivity: Internet access

Energy: power/electricity sources

Education System: Elementary & Secondary School

Health Care System: Dispensary

This remote island have all of the above but our government can not stop the sea level rise. The seawall can not stop the sea going on land.

FSM Statistics have records of everything except the climate change sea level. But there a efforts put into climate change in FSM.

How can the UN System entities better support national and regional implementing partners

UN System has mandate that is set to guide the work. English language that

Examples of partnerships that have been successful in providing coordinated and coherent support to SIDS

Regional Development Partners: SPC, PIF, SPREP, etc.

The UN Development partners- ESCAP, UNDP, UNFPA, UNICEF, FAO, UNESCO, IMF, etc

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HOW CAN SUCH INSTITUTIONAL PARTNERSHIPS BE STRENGTHENED AND/OR REPLICATED

Moving forward with the Reform of UN Development System in the North Pacific

United Nation Multi-Country Office

What steps can be taken to strengthen coordination of actions within the three SIDS regions as well as inter-regionally to advance the limitation of the SAMOA Pathway and SDGs over the next five-years

Communication

Collaboration

Coordination

Capacity Building: South & South program

