



# PUBLIC NOTICE TO ALL PUBLIC

## NATIONAL REGISTRATION THE GOVERNMENT OF FIJI FREE MEDICINE PROGRAM

One of the FijiFirst Government's top priorities is to provide price controlled medicines free of charge to all Fijians who earn less than \$20,000 a year. Accordingly, the 2015 Budget announced by the Attorney General and Minister for Finance allocated \$8.0 million for the Free Medicine Program ('Initiative').

### **Who is eligible?**

Individuals who can benefit from this Initiative are individuals with an annual income of less than \$20,000.

Fijians who intend to be part of this Free Medicine Program are required to have a Tax Identification Number ('TIN') which will be the primary form of screening income eligibility.

### **Who does not have to register?**

Individuals who already have a TIN number, Social Welfare number or Health ID are not required to register as they would already be included in the program.

Current social welfare recipients of Poverty Benefit Scheme, Child Protection Allowance, Social Pension and Bus Fare subsidy do not need to obtain a TIN but can use their existing welfare ID Cards for this purpose.

### **How to register**

For this reason, Registration Forms will be available in the following areas during business hours:

## Ministry of Health & Medical Services Facilities:

1	CWM Hospital	16	Valelevu Health Center	33	Labasa Hospital
2	Suva Health Center	17	Makoi Health Center	34	Seaqaqa Health Center
3	St. Giles Hospital	18	Daibetes Hub Center - Central	35	Savusavu Hospital
4	Nausori Maternity Hospital	19	Western Health Services Office	36	Savusavu Health Center
5	Nausori Health Center	20	Sigatoka Hospital	37	Nabouwalu Hospital
6	Wainibokasi Sub-Divisional Hospital	21	Sigatoka Health Center	38	Nabouwalu Health Center
7	Wainibokasi Health Center	22	Nadi Hospital	39	Waiyevo Hospital
8	Korovou Hospital	23	Namaka Health Center	40	Waiyevo Health Center
9	Korovou Health Center	24	Nadi Health Center	41	Vunisea Hospital
10	Vunidawa Hospital	25	Lautoka Hospital	42	Vunisea Health Center
11	Vunidawa Health Center	26	Lautoka Health Center	43	Lomaloma Hospital
12	Lami Health Center	27	Tavua Hospital	44	Levuka Hospital
13	Samabula Health Center	28	Tavua Health Center	45	Rotuma Hospital
14	Nuffield Health Center	29	Rakiraki Hospital	46	Rotuma Health Center
15	Raiwaqa Health Center	30	Rakiraki Health Center	47	Lakeba Hospital
16	Valelevu Health Center	31	Northern Health Services Office	48	Lakeba Health Center
17	Makoi Health Center	32	Labasa Health Center		

## Ministry of Women, Children and Poverty Alleviation

1	Civic Towers - Ministry HQ Level 5 Suva	10	Magistrate Complex, Lautoka
2	Director Social Welfare and Suva Field Office Abacus Building 72 Suva St Suva	11	Koronubu House ,Ba
3	Valelevu Complex, Nasinu	12	Government Building, Tavua
4	Tailevu House, Nausori	13	Vaileka House, Rakiraki
5	Ro Matanitobua House, Navua	14	Namuka House, Labasa
6	Waimaro House, Korovou	15	Gulabdass Building, Savusavu
7	Vunidawa Office	16	District Office, Taveuni
8	Magistrate Complex, Sigatoka	17	Naulumatua Complex, Nabouwalu
9	Ratu Naulianano Building, Nadi		

## Government Service Centres

1	Government Service Center - Nausori
---	-------------------------------------

All eligible Fijians intending to register for this Initiative are to bring the following documentation to the areas mentioned above:

- Original or Certified Copy of Birth Certificate (Full Extract);
- Marriage Certificate if you are using or wish to use your married name;
- FNPF Member ID or any other form of valid photo identification such as the Electronic Voter Registration (EVR)card, Driving License or Passport.
- In the absence of a photo ID, eligible Fijians may submit a passport size photo certified by a Justice of Peace, Provincial Administrator, Commissioner for Oaths, Advisory/Provincial Councilors, Mata ni Tikina and Civil Servants above Principal level.

For further clarification please contact the Chief Pharmacist for the medicines supplies [avosanibola@govnet.gov.fj](mailto:avosanibola@govnet.gov.fj) and MHMS IT Office for registration activities [rajneshwar.prasad01@health.gov.fj](mailto:rajneshwar.prasad01@health.gov.fj)