

Information on National CHM

Fiji

National CHM	
Web address (URL)	
Title	
Brief description	
Responsible organization	
Webmaster name	
Webmaster email	
Content management system (CMS)	
Database system	
Search engine	
Available human resources for maintenance and development	
Other comments	

Other national websites on biodiversity		
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Major national organizations involved in biodiversity		
Acronym	Full name	Role
	NatureFiji-MareqetiViti	
	IUCN	
	WCS	
	WWF	

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	Birdlife International	
	National Trust of Fiji	
	Department of Forestry	
	Department of Fisheries	
	GIZ	
	SPC	
	SPREP	
	FAO	
	UNDP	
	USP	
	Strategic Planning Office	
	Rivers Fiji	

Comments on national situation
<p>Two attempts have been made towards the set up of the Department of Environment website or CHM.</p> <p>Main issues encountered included:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the absence of dedicated administrator and expert, • no budgetary provision for external hosting, • absence of IMS within the department and divisional offices, • lack of management support; • Least priority to DOE; • Insufficient guidance on CHM establishment by CBD Secretariat .

Strategic Vision
<p><u>National</u></p> <p>An informed, enabled and resilient nation that passionately values Fiji's biodiversity towards economic, political and social security and progress.</p> <p><u>Divisional</u></p> <p>Streamlining and understanding biodiversity to promote sectoral and community engagement and informed decision making process for sustainable livelihood and economic prosperity.</p>

Roadmap				
Priority	Objective	Activity	Responsible	Requirements
	Effective collation of information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Undertake an inventory of all data users and providers Regulate reporting and sharing of information under EMAAct 		
	Proper maintenance of Fiji's CHM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Undertake a review of past and proposed tools for CHM Identification of an appropriate tool at national and divisional levels, Identification of enabling environment (SOPs) and resources (personnel and funds) 		
	Strengthen capacity for CHM at divisional and national level	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Establish an IMS within the Department (MACBIO, GEF PAS 4) Establish Divisional CHM tool In-house Training and awareness Establish CHM divisional WG or committee Promotion of CHM to partners (users and provides) 		
	Promote other means of CHM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Promote Fiji's biodiversity through Television, Social media, Radio, Newspapers, Formal and informal Education programs, and Printed resources Revise the 2010 IYOB Biodiversity Communication Strategy 		
	To better understand the current status of biodiversity at provincial/community level	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Conduct 1 day awareness of NBSAP and related policies Awareness on the CHM through social media 		
	To facilitate resource management mapping and planning at divisional level	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Conduct a consultative resource mapping exercise at community level (depending on resources) Make available maps of biodiversity hotspots, project sites, 		
	To facilitate discussions at community level on policy implications to biodiversity			

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	To assist in monitoring donor-funded projects			
	To enable public access to and better understanding of Fiji's biodiversity			
	To enable implementation of the NBSAP			
	To facilitate development of project proposal with the concurrence of the Fijian Government			
	To enable streamlining of biodiversity reporting from partners, existing WGs and Committees.			
	To facilitate reporting to national, regional and international obligations			
	Inventory of biodiversity researches			

Notes:

- Priority: 1=urgent, 2=high, 3=medium, 4=low; 5=very low
- Objective: challenge, issue, problem to resolve
- Responsible: organization or person in charge
- Requirements: Code + text
 - OK: Can be done with existing resources
 - DR: Decision required
 - CR: Collaboration required
 - ARR: Additional resources required (support, cooperation)

Comments on roadmap
The CHM roadmap needs to be factored or relate to the NBSAP and its communication strategy.

Cooperation opportunities / Type of support needed

Thank you!