

Information on National CHM

Federated States of Micronesia

National CHM		
Web address (URL)		
Title		
Brief description		
Responsible organization	FSM Department of Resources & Development	
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	
FSMRD	Department of Resources & Development	National Focal Point	
COMFSM	College of Micronesia-FSM	Partner	
KRMA	Kosrae Resource Management Authority	State Focal Point	







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PDLNR	Pohnpei Department of Land and Natural Resources	State Focal Point	
CEPA	Chuuk Environmental Protection Agency	State Focal Point	
YDRD	Yap Department of Resources and Development	State Focal Point	

Comments on national situation

- The FSM is a five government entity (1 federal government, 4 State governments), where biodiversity jurisdiction falls under the State governments.
- The Department of Resources and Development (R&D) facilitates CBD obligations at the country level as the focal point. Through the National Implementation Support Partnership (NISP) agreement amongst the states and stakeholders.
- The FSM NBSAP is a collection of four NBSAPs from the states that culminate into the National NBSAP.
- CHM is not effectively executed and lacking content from the multiple stakeholders.

Strategic Vision

 Create a national CHM and maintain on going content flow. Through the activities of updating the NISP and NBSAP, empower the focal points at the National and State levels with the usage and dissemination of information through the CHM.

Roadmap				
Priority	Objective	Activity	Responsible	Requirements
1	Adopt a CHM Platform	Adopt a platform for the CHM to which information can be disseminated for the country.	National focal point	DR, CR
2	Person responsible for CHM content	Identifying a manager of CHM, responsible for overseeing that information is being contributed, being inputted correlate, and determining the relevance of information. Maintaining the CHM website.	National focal point	DR

Roadmap				
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3	Training partners/stakeholders	Make partners/stakeholders aware of their part in the CHM and training them in the method(s) of acquiring, formatting, and submitting information.	National focal point, State focal points, partners	CR

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 requiredCR: Collaboration required

o ARR: Additional resources required (support, cooperation)

Comments on roadmap

The National Focal point through the National Implementation Support Partnership (NISP) agreement needs to officially adopt and agree to a platform to stage the national CHM on. In addition it needs to identify one key person to maintain the CHM on a continuous basis. The Bioland Tool serves as a great example of a platform the National focal point could adopt.

Cooperation opportunities / Type of support needed

- Dialogue and contribution from the stakeholder level for information is needed to maintain the CHM.
- Continuous training and development of CHM tools and offerings (i.e. Bioland Tool) is needed to keep the information relevant and modern.

Thank you!