



## 2017 Results Summary for American Samoa

This report provides an overview of the results achieved in American Samoa in 2017 through SPC scientific and technical assistance. It includes results specific to American Samoa and multi-country results, where initiatives involve American Samoa and other Pacific Island Countries and Territories (PICTs). Results are reported against SPC's nine development objectives as outlined in the *Pacific Community Strategic Plan 2016-2020*.

This report should be read together with the 2017 Regional Results Summary.

<b>10 results</b> in <b>American Samoa</b>	<b>5</b> country-specific <b>5</b> multi-country results
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**0 INSTANCES OF SUSTAINED IMPACT**

Evidence of the difference SPC has made towards achieving PICTs' development objectives



**1 CHANGE IN PRACTICE**

Evidence of the effects of the application of acquired knowledge, skills, capacities, and changed attitudes on PICTs' individual or institutional performance



**0 CHANGE IN ATTITUDE**

Evidence of effectiveness of SPC's outputs and actions in changing PICTs' beliefs, opinions, motivations, intentions



**3 CHANGES IN KNOWLEDGE**

Evidence of effectiveness of SPC's outputs and actions in increasing PICTs' knowledge, skills, capacities, awareness

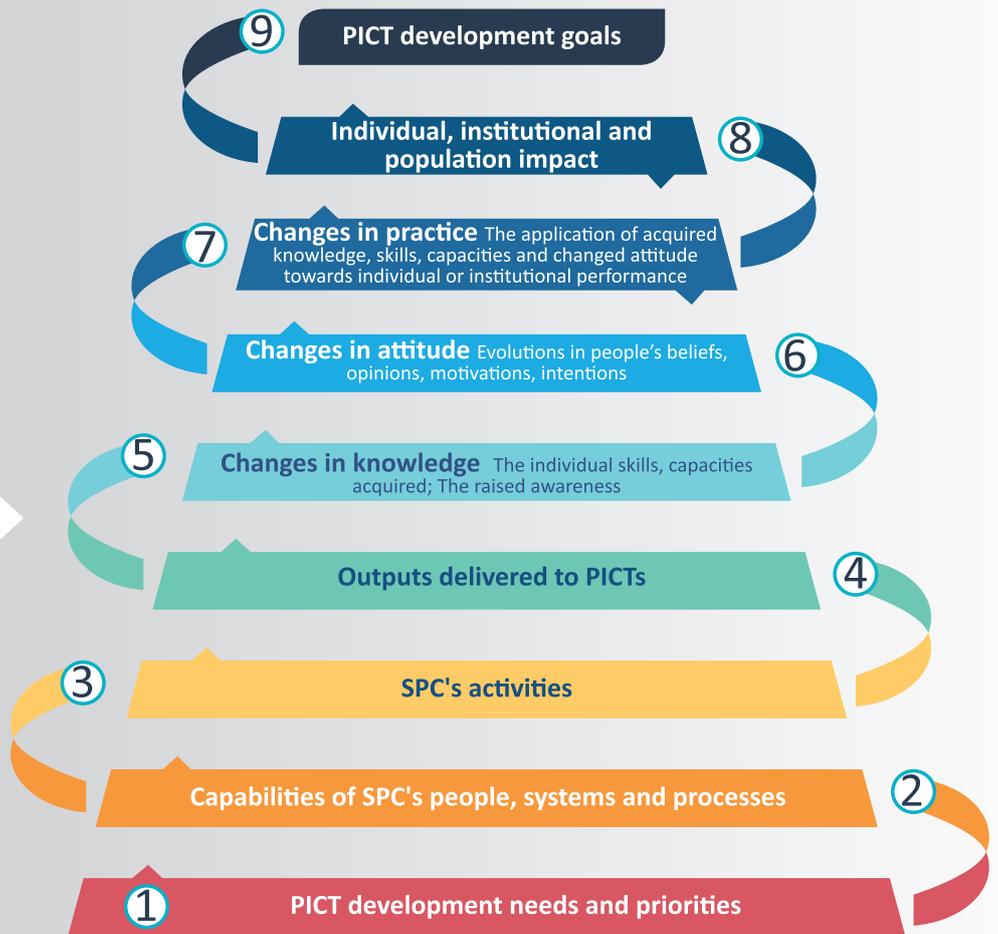


**6 OUTPUTS**

Evidence of relevance of SPC scientific and technical assistance provided to PICTs

**Pacific Community Results Hierarchy**

Results are described as dynamic change processes in PICTS along a non-linear hierarchy. The hierarchy shows how SPC responds to PICT development needs and priorities with appropriate capabilities to deliver outputs to PICTs (i.e. goods and services) to achieve changes in knowledge, attitude and practice, and where sustained over time, impact at the individual, institutional and population level. Ultimately the change pathway contribute to the three development goals of the Pacific Community Strategic Plan 2016-2020.



**Sustainable Development Goals**

The report also shows specific areas of synergy between the 17 Sustainable Development Goals and SPC's nine development objectives.



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Result description	Result level	Result type	PICTS
 <p><b>Strengthen sustainable management of natural resources (fisheries, forestry, land use, agriculture, minerals, water)</b></p>			
<b>Fisheries</b>			
Information on seasonality and value of target tuna and important bycatch species in the longline fishery within PICT EEZs provided to 7 PICTs	OUTPUT	Knowledge building, e.g. assessment and analysis	American Samoa, Kiribati, Nauru, Niue, Samoa, Tokelau, Tuvalu
 <p><b>Strengthen access to and use of development statistics in policy development and monitoring progress</b></p>			
Statistical Business Register set-up through South-South exchange with Fiji	CHANGE IN PRACTICE	Improved statistical systems, processes, products	American Samoa
Capacity developed in setting- up and running a Statistical Business Register through in-country technical assistance	CHANGE IN KNOWLEDGE	Increased capacity	American Samoa
Review and draft recommendations for implementation of CPI	OUTPUT	Systems building, e.g. legislation, index, table, plan, plugin	American Samoa
Standard industrial classification compiled	OUTPUT	Systems building, e.g. legislation, index, table, plan, plugin	American Samoa
Review of national CRVS policy documents with CRVS committee, and development of CRVS performance monitoring framework (the CRVS regional action framework)	OUTPUT	Systems building, e.g. legislation, index, table, plan, plugin	American Samoa
Training for selected PICTs on the development of national CRVS plans. All countries developed a draft CRVS plan	CHANGE IN KNOWLEDGE	Increased knowledge	American Samoa, Cook Islands, Nauru, Niue, Tokelau, Tuvalu

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 <p><b>Improve multi-sectoral responses to non communicable diseases and food security</b></p>			
<p>The results of a survey of Pacific diabetes associations provided guidance for decision-making processes and monitored the progress made by associations in 11 PICTs</p>	<p>CHANGE IN KNOWLEDGE</p> 	<p>Increased knowledge</p>	<p>American Samoa, Federated States of Micronesia, Fiji, French Polynesia, Guam, Marshall Islands, Papua New Guinea, Solomon Islands, Tonga, Vanuatu</p>
<p>Survey on the status of diabetes' associations undertaken in 13 PICTs</p>	<p>OUTPUT</p> 	<p>Knowledge building, e.g. survey, strategy</p>	<p>American Samoa, Cook Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Fiji, French Polynesia, Guam, Marshall Islands, Nauru, Papua New Guinea, Samoa, Solomon Islands, Tonga, Vanuatu</p>
 <p><b>Strengthen regional public health surveillance and response</b></p>			
<p>55 health staff participated in outbreak simulation exercises</p>	<p>OUTPUT</p> 	<p>Capacity development, including training and mentoring</p>	<p>American Samoa, Cook Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Fiji, French Polynesia, Guam, Kiribati, Marshall Islands, Niue, Northern Mariana Islands, Samoa, Solomon Islands, Tokelau, Tonga, Tuvalu, Vanuatu</p>

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