Te Mamauri

Making Health Adaptation for the Future Resilient Islands
- Kiribati Outer Islands for Climate Health Action

Project Information

With support from the World Health Organization (WHO) and the Korea International Cooperation Agency (KOICA), the Kiribati Ministry of Health and Medical Services, in their efforts to enhance the health systems's resilience to the impacts of climate change, is implementing the project "Making Health Adaptation for the Future Resilient Islands - Kiribati Outer Islands for Climate Health Action: Te Mamauri". The four-year project is possible with the generous financial support from the Government of the Republic of Korea. The project aims to enable health facilities to continue serving patients in the face of a changing climate and to empower health workers and communities to address health risks related to climate change, in line with national priorities and the Sustainable Development Goals.

Project Period

2021 - 2025

Direct Beneficiaries in Kiribati

800 Health Workers

Indirect Beneficiaries in Kiribati

134K
The entire population of Kiribati (updated in 2023)

Goal and Outcomes



The ultimate goal of the project is to build a climate-resilient health system that protects and improves population health.

- Enhance health system's capacity to cope with climate change.
- Strengthen the ability to anticipate, prepare for, respond to, and recover from climate-related threats.
- Focus on primary healthcare on remote outer islands.
- Improve surveillance of climate-sensitive diseases and identify vulnerable communities.
- Build capacity of healthcare personnel.
- Develop and disseminate education and risk communication materials.



