Fiji

The World Bank's support to Fiji is focused on strengthening economic and climate resilience, building social protection and health systems, as well as improving infrastructure in the country.

Jobs & Social Protection

The World Bank has supported the Fiji government's COVID-19 relief measures, including cash assistance through the Fiji National Provident Fund and work to strengthen Fiji's social protection system. This support has also helped create opportunities through Jobs 4 Nature 2.0, a cash-for-work initiative driving environmental restoration, that has benefited close to 4,000 Fijians since it began.

Economic Resilience

The World Bank is supporting Fiji's efforts to recover from the economic impacts of COVID-19 and multiple tropical cyclones, and to strengthen Fiji's economic, social and climate resilience to future shocks.

Transport

World Bank support includes works to improve the resilience and safety of land and maritime transport infrastructure through repairing, rehabilitating, reconstructing, or upgrading selected roads, bridges, and rural jetties. It also prioritizes investments in transport infrastructure through the Fiji Tourism Development Program in Vanua Levu to attract more visitors and to drive community-based tourism and private sector development.

Health

In response to the global COVID-19 pandemic, the World Bank supported Fiji's efforts to improve access to primate health care and strengthen Fiji's health system to respond to public health emergencies. This includes improving connectivity for 35 health facilities across the country and supporting health infrastructure for the main hospital in Suva.







In addition to backing Fiji's expansion of its marine protected areas, the World Bank has supported Fiji to strengthen its disaster resilience and address climate change, including through the Fiji Carbon Fund Emissions Reduction Program, which contributes to Fiji's forestry sector, reducing carbon emissions and strengthen community resilience.









\$475m 7 Projects

Current Projects

| Project Name | Focus area | | Total commitment in US\$m (includes IBRD, IDA, Other and Co-Financing) |
|---|-----------------------------------|---|---|
| Fiji Transport Infrastructure Investment Project | Transport | • | 50 |
| Fiji Carbon Fund ER Program | Environment and Natural Resources | | 13 |
| Fiji Recovery and Resilience First Development Policy Operation with a Catastrophe-Deferred Drawdown Option | Economic Resilience | • | 145 |
| Fiji COVID-19 Emergency Response Project | Health | | 7 |
| Fiji Social Protection COVID-19 Response and System Development Project | Jobs & Social Protection | • | 99 |
| Fiji Recovery and Resilience Second Development Policy Operation | Economic Resilience | • | 100 |
| Fiji Tourism Development Program in Vanua Levu | Transport | • | 62 |
| TOTAL | | | 475 |