PACIFIC OPERATIONS
JANUARY 2021

2
Countries served
(Solomon Islands and Vanuatu)

49 m³
Total cargo received for storage

79 m³
Air cargo facilitated

1
Cargo flight

18
Organisations supported

Background
The COVID-19 pandemic has led to significant movement restrictions and numerous international flight disruptions. Consequently, humanitarian organisations responding to the pandemic and other emergencies face multiple operational challenges, including difficulties in deploying expertise and moving urgently required medical goods and personal protective equipment. The Pacific Logistics Cluster is supporting the regional and country health response led by WHO and Health Ministries.

Situational Highlights
COVID-19 vaccinations have begun in American Samoa, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, French Polynesia, Guam, New Caledonia, Palau and the Republic of the Marshall Islands.

Access to commercial passenger and cargo flights continue to be at reduced levels due to border closure regulations, put in place in response to continuing trends in COVID-19 cases.

Difficulties in facilitating crew change continue to be among the most pressing issues facing the global shipping industry.

The Pacific Logistics Cluster (PLC) continues to monitor the situation to provide advice and timely information to its partners regarding travel and cargo options and facilitate in filling the gaps in commercial services.

The PLC facilitated a cargo flight to the Solomon Islands and Vanuatu transporting 11,646 medical tonnes of medical and other COVID-19 supplies.

AIR CARGO FACILITATED

Organisation type

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ORGANISATIONS SUPPORTED

ADVENTIST DEVELOPMENT AND RELIEF AGENCY, CARE, INTERNATIONAL FEDERATION OF RED CROSS AND RED CRESCENT SOCIETIES, INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION FOR MIGRATION, OXFAM, PACIFIC BUSINESS RESILIENCE NETWORK, PACIFIC COMMUNITY, PACIFIC DISABILITY FORUM, PACIFIC ISLANDS FORUM, SAVE THE CHILDREN, UNITED NATIONS CONFERENCE ON TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT, UNITED NATIONS DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME, UNITED NATIONS POPULATION FUND, UNITED NATIONS CHILDREN’S FUND, UNITED NATIONS OFFICE FOR PROJECT SERVICES, WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION, WORLD FOOD PROGRAMME AND WORLD VISION

AVIATION UPDATES SHARED 5
SHIPPING UPDATES SHARED 1
MEETINGS HELD 1
ORGANISATIONS ATTENDED 6

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