

# COOK ISLANDS 23

Pasifika  
Medical  
Association  
Conference

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## TE 'ĀKIRĀTA 'ŌU - THE NEW DAWN

September 6th - 8th 2023 | Rarotonga, Cook Islands  
September 11th 2023 | Aitutaki, Cook Islands



The Pasifika Medical Association together with Te Marae Ora Cook Islands Ministry of Health are hosting the PMA Conference in the Cook Islands (Rarotonga, Aitutaki) from September 6-11, 2023.

### KEY THEMES:

**BEST PRACTICE:** Primary care and health system resilience

**BOLD INNOVATION:** Mental health access and integration

**BEING BRAVE:** Humanitarian assistance and responding to the climate crisis

**BRILLIANT:** Our future workforce

Visit [membership.pacifichealth.org.nz](https://membership.pacifichealth.org.nz) to submit an abstract.

## Conference Venue

Cook Islands National Auditorium, Rarotonga;  
Vaipae Hall in Aitutaki

## Accommodation (Rarotonga)

There are a range of resorts and accommodation providers who have options available to welcome and host PMA Conference delegates in Rarotonga. It is essential that you book at your earliest convenience, as September is a busy time of the year in the Cook Islands.

## Edgewater Resort and Spa

Having hosted PMA Conference delegates in the past, the Edgewater Resort and Spa is pleased to offer PMA Conference delegates special discounted rates.

Options include twin share poolside rooms through to beachside villas that can cater for up to six people.

For all bookings and enquiries please email: [stay@edgewater.co.ck](mailto:stay@edgewater.co.ck) and quote **PMA23** or for more information please visit their website: [www.edgewater.co.ck](https://www.edgewater.co.ck)

## Club Raro

Club Raro has a range of twin share room options available at special rates starting from \$195 per night for PMA Conference delegates.

For all bookings and enquiries, please contact Roma Robert via email at [holiday@clubraro.co.ck](mailto:holiday@clubraro.co.ck) and quote **PMA23**.

## Pacific Resort

Pacific Resort has an exclusive special for the delegates of the PMA Conference.

To access this special VIPACCESS offer you can book online [www.pacificresort.com](https://www.pacificresort.com), or directly via the Pacific Resort's reservations team ([reservations@pacificresort.com](mailto:reservations@pacificresort.com)) and enter or quote the promo code **VIPACCESS** to get the special offer applied to your booking.

Please mention you are part of the PMA Conference when booking online, so all bookings are tagged under the same 'group.'

Please note, this offer is not available if booked via any other channels such as travel agents or other online sites.

## Motu Villa

Motu Villas is delighted to offer a special rate for PMA Conference delegates.

Save 40 percent on your booking if you choose to stay at Motu Villas for five nights or more, starting at \$2500 to receive this exclusive rate.

Delegates are encouraged to book directly with Motu Villas.

For all enquiries or to book directly please email: [hello@motuvillas.com](mailto:hello@motuvillas.com) or for more information please visit [www.motuvillas.com](https://www.motuvillas.com)



## Flights & Accommodation (Aitutaki)

Air Rarotonga is offering a discounted rate of \$398 return per passenger ex Rarotonga. These flights can only be booked through our conference coordinator, Jaewynn McKay.

Please email Jaewynn – [jaewynn@wovenpacific.com](mailto:jaewynn@wovenpacific.com) or call her on +64274442840 or +68255486 to book your seat.

Accommodation on Aitutaki can be either self-booked or contact Jaewynn who will be assist with options and availability.

## Car Rentals

Island Car and Bike Hire is delighted to offer special rates for PMA Conference delegates in September.

Starting from \$55 per day for a small car to other options including vans and people movers, Island Car and Bike Hire has a vast range of vehicles to suit your needs.

If you would like to book a rental car, please email: [enquiries@islandcarhire.co.ck](mailto:enquiries@islandcarhire.co.ck) and quote ref# **PMAC23**.

For further information go to their website: [www.islandcarhire.co.ck](http://www.islandcarhire.co.ck)

Any concerns or questions please contact Jaewynn.

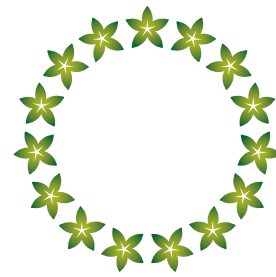
## Registrations

If you do not live in the Cook Islands, please visit [membership.pacifichealth.org.nz](http://membership.pacifichealth.org.nz) to register for the conference. The ticket prices are:

Full Conference – PMA Member – **\$600**  
Full Conference – Non-PMA Member – **\$750**  
Cocktail Event – **\$100**  
Conference Dinner – **\$100**  
Aitutaki Conference – (register online)  
If you are a Cook Islands resident, please [CLICK HERE](#) to register for the conference.

## Enquiries

For all other enquiries, please contact [info@pacifichealth.org.nz](mailto:info@pacifichealth.org.nz)



## Conference Programme

9am–4.30pm | Wednesday 6th September  
Conference opening at the National Auditorium

6.30pm | Wednesday 6th September  
Opening Cocktail at Tamarind House

9am | Thursday 7th September  
Day 2 of Conference at National Auditorium  
6pm | Thursday 7th September – Conference Dinner

8am | Friday 8th September  
Women's Breakfast at Ngatipa, Official Residence of the New Zealand High Commissioner to the Cook Islands

8am | Friday 8th September  
Men's Breakfast at Coastal Kitchen, Tupapa

9.30am | Friday 8th September  
Day 3 of Conference at National Auditorium. The conference is expected to conclude at 1pm.

Delegates travel to Aitutaki from the afternoon of Friday 8th September and over the weekend.

Saturday 9th September  
Day out on the Aitutaki Lagoon

Sunday 10th September  
Church Service on Aitutaki followed by site visit to Aitutaki Hospital

Monday 11th September  
Aitutaki Conference



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