



Low Resource Countries

Special Interest Group



The Low Resource Countries (LRC) Special Interest Group (SIG) partners with health care workers, government and non-government organisations in neighbouring South Pacific countries, to develop self-sustaining communities with the skills to provide neonatal care for small and sick newborns. On a global level we hold a commitment to maternal and newborn health aligning our strategies with Every Newborn Action Plan, Sustainable Development Goals, Global Strategy for Women's and the Children's and Adolescent's Health and Global Financing Facility.

Supporting improved outcomes for neonates born in low resource settings through health worker education and training

Mother and newborn shared with permission on Kangaroo Care Day 2025 (Solomon Islands)



Our aims

- ✓ Empower neonatal health workers in low-resource settings through education and training to provide high-quality, family-centred care.
- ✓ Provide neonatal-specific education and training to improve outcomes for small and sick newborns in low-resource settings.
- ✓ Use low-dose, high-frequency training to improve clinical skill retention and performance.
- ✓ Engage in sustainable capacity-building and collaboration with partners to drive local capacity building.

How to be involved?

- ✓ **In-country:** join one of our in-country education and training trips.
- ✓ **Tele-education:** present to colleagues across the South Pacific via one of the joint ACNN/Taking Paediatrics Abroad monthly education sessions.
- ✓ **Fundraising & Donations:** undertake a fundraising activity. Ask a friend to consider 'purchasing a gift' or donate. 100% of donations benefit the local teams.

Join us

Membership is open to current ACNN financial members who are interested in supporting LRC education.



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