

Country Demographics ^{1,2,3,8}	
Total Population (2017) ¹	55,641
Urban population (% of total, 2016) ¹	87%
Health expenditure per capita (\$US, 2003) ⁸	\$500
Health expenditure, total (% of GDP, 2003) ⁸	NR
Total births (2011) ¹	1,287
Surviving infants (2011) ¹	1,278
Life expectancy at birth (years, 2018) ²	73.9 yrs
Number of districts (2012) ³	3 districts, 2 islands

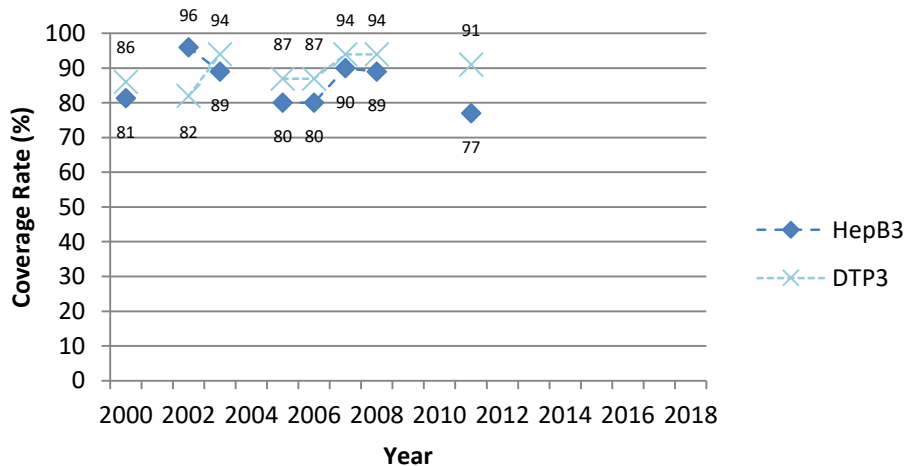
HBsAg Prevalence ⁶	
Pre-vaccine HBsAg+ (%)	7%

Liver Cancer as Cause of Cancer Death (in Men) ⁵	
Year: 2018	Ranking: NR

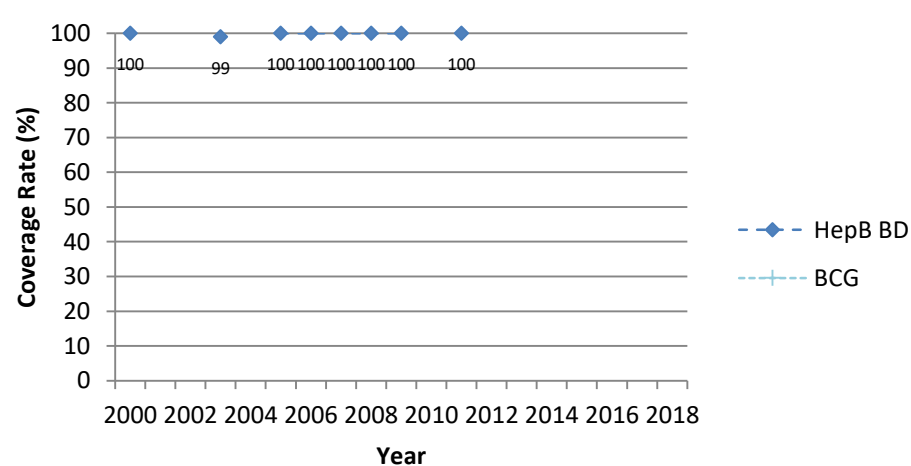
2018 Country Comparison in Western Pacific Region ⁴			
	American Samoa	Highest coverage in WPR	Lowest coverage in WPR
HepB3 ⁴	NR	100% (Brunei Darussalam, Cook Islands, Niue)	44% (Samoa)
HepB BD ⁴	NR	100% (Cook Islands, Nauru, Palau)	25% (Papua New Guinea)

Hepatitis B Immunization Coverage ^{4,7}																			
	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
HepB3 ⁷	81.3%	NR	96%	89%	NR	80%	80%	90%	89%	NR	NR	77%	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR ⁴
HepB BD ⁷	100%	NR	NR	99%	NR	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	NR	100%	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR ⁴
DTP3 ⁷	86%	NR	82%	94%	NR	87%	87%	94%	94%	NR	NR	91%	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR ⁴
BCG ⁷	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR ⁴

American Samoa: HepB3 vs. DTP3



American Samoa: HepB BD vs. BCG



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National Policies on Hepatitis B Screening for Pregnant Women	
Mandatory HepB screening in all pregnant women (Y/N)	
-If Y, mandatory reporting of HBs-Ag positive pregnant women to public health department (Y/N)	
HBIG administered with HepB BD to infants born to HBsAg positive women (Y/N)	
- If Y, is it free? (Y/N)	

National Policies on Hepatitis B Immunization ⁹	
Universal newborn HepB immunization (Y/N) ⁹	Y
- If Y, year introduced ⁹	1986
-HepB3 nationwide ⁹	1987
-Free for all newborns (Y/N)	
-If free, state year introduced:	
Catch-up immunization program for unvaccinated children (Y/N)	
- If Y, year introduced	
-Free for all unvaccinated children (Y/N)	
-If free, state year introduced:	
Immunization program for health care workers (Y/N)	
- If Y, year introduced	
-Free for all health care workers(Y/N)	
-If free, state year introduced:	
HepB newborn immunization included in multiyear plan for EPI (Y/N)	
HepB BD in schedule (Y/N) ⁹	Y
Systems to monitor HepB BD ⁹	Hospitals
Systems to deliver HepB BD ⁹	Hospitals
HepB vaccine funding other than country government (Y/N)	
-If Y, please specify funding source:	

National Policies on Chronic Hepatitis B Treatment	
Treatment for chronic HBV infection covered (Y/N)	
- If Y, year introduced	
-Interferon (Y/N)	
-Oral antiviral (Y/N)	

Certification Status ¹	
Year certification report received	
Year certification panel convened	Feb 2013
Year certification approved	Oct 2014
Approved with prevalence <1% or <2%?	<1% in children

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