



The Australian Sports Partnership Program

Supporting you to deliver the Australian Sports Partnerships Program in Vanuatu

Partnering with World Vision Vanuatu

World Vision Vanuatu works closely and respectfully with local communities to help them achieve lasting improvements in gender and family relationships; water, sanitation and hygiene; and livelihoods.

We work alongside the Vanuatu government and with local non-governmental organisations, businesses, church groups and other civil society organisations.

Partnering with us will help you meet the grant requirements of the Australian Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade's (DFAT) Australian Sports Partnership Program (ASPP) – formerly known as the Pacific Sports Partnerships program (PSP).

Our expertise in the following areas will help you successfully integrate development into your sports activities, ultimately helping to achieve development goals for Pacific communities.



Contributing to the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals:



How we can help

Sport for development

The ASPP uses sport as a vehicle for achieving meaningful, sustainable development in target communities. It requires partner sporting federations to propose sport for development activities.

World Vision Vanuatu specialises in community-based development. We offer to work hand in hand with your organisation to design activities that achieve the results GHD seeks as the ASPP's managing contractor.

While sporting federations will implement these activities, we can provide design input and training on community outreach techniques for trainers and coaches. We can also help local federations train staff and coaches to effectively deliver sport for development programs.



Monitoring and evaluation

As an international non-governmental organisation with almost 70 years of experience, now operating in nearly 100 countries, World Vision has strong expertise in monitoring and evaluation. We systematically review programs, evaluate effectiveness and conduct research – often collaborating with academic and inter-agency partners. World Vision Vanuatu is entirely grants-funded. This means our staff are highly competent in designing

winning proposals with logical frameworks, as well as developing and carrying out monitoring and evaluation plans to meet donor requirements. On behalf of our partners, we can develop monitoring tools and conduct the regular data collection and report writing GHD requires. This allows your organisation to focus budgets and efforts on outreach activities.



Programming for healthy relationships

Your organisation can also leverage our expertise in healthy relationships programming. Our programs help to reduce discrimination and harassment – factors which contribute to a distinct drop in female participation in sport at the onset of puberty.

Vanuatu has one of the world's highest rates of sexual and gender-based violence. Targeting young people aged 12 - 25, our Vanuatu RISPEK program focuses on consent and respectful intimate-partner relationships.

One of the ways the program equips youth to build healthy relationships is through workshops in sports clubs, schools and churches. These cover cyber safety and online relationships; characteristics of a healthy relationship; warning signs and understanding violence in a relationship; consent and the Vanuatu law; and understanding body development.

Over 270 youth in Port Vila and Santo have gone through the curriculum. Through events and social media, the campaign has reached more than 3,920 people across the country. The curriculum can be tailored to various ages and audiences, depending on the needs of each sporting federation. In our current PSP-funded project with Tennis Australia and Tennis Vanuatu, we have reached over 150 children and youth with healthy-relationship messaging.

Programming for girls in sports

We will share our expertise in gender to help your organisation meet the goals of the ASPP.

Our menstrual hygiene management programming promotes girls' full participation in all aspects of life, including sport.

In Vanuatu, cultural taboos as well as limited product availability, education and access to finances prevent young women from getting suitable sanitary products. This is a major barrier for female athletes and girls who play sport, stopping them from reaching their potential. Many drop out once their period starts or experience a decline in their training and performance.

An example of our work in this area is a pilot project we are running with Vanuatu Association of Sports and National Olympic Committee (VASANOC) through funding from Olympic Solidarity.

Combining menstrual health education and product provision, the project tests the viability of innovative and culturally appropriate menstrual health products including period-proof underwear. Eighty-five Ni-Vanuatu female athletes aged 14 - 35 are taking part, representing multiple national sporting federations.





Partner with us today

We will support you to deliver the ASPP in Vanuatu, helping to promote healthy lifestyles, improve wellbeing and foster an inclusive society. We are effective partners and have worked successfully with a range of sports organisations on the ASPP and other programs. Please get in touch to find out more about how we can support your organisation.



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