

Baptist Union PNG Health Services

Promote Healthy Communities through Effective Community Engagement....(VHV Program)

In 2024, through CPP Supported Health Programs, we have revived the Village Health Volunteer(VHV) programs in Baiyer,Western Highlands mainly to provide assistance to the Health Workers in rural facilities to increase supervised deliveries in health facility, promote safe motherhood practices, nutrition and participate in other related health promotion activities in the Community.

We will continue to strengthen and Support existing VHV establishments in Kompiam and revive VHV Programs in Telefomin,Tekin and Yapsie.

In rural facilities, the VHVs are the vital link between the community and the health facility. Our focus is to train our VHVs to be able to identify high risk mothers, bring mothers to the waiting house, care for them until delivery, post natal care until stable before going back to their village.

We also work with our VHVs to disseminate health information to the community.

VHV PROGRAMS





Pic: 3 Village Health Volunteers assisting CHWs during MCH Clinic Outreach doing Mid Arm Circumference measurement to detect malnutrition in children .

Their role was to provide appropriate education on Family planning, breast feeding, nutrition and other safe motherhood practices and health promotion

Health Care Manual Project(HCM3)

With the help of CPP Partner Health Services and Provincial Health Authorities,BUPNG disseminated Health Care Manual Volum3 (HCM3) to all Provinces even to Hela and Enga despite ongoing tribal conflicts.

BUPNG will perform evaluations in 2025 to collect feedback from health care workers in selected provinces.



*Health Care Manual V.3 distributed to Hela PHA by BUPNG
Health Service Manager*

Community Health Worker Training Schools

Under Baptist Union PNG, we have two training Schools which are Tinsley CHW Training School and Telefomin CHW Training School.

Rural Hospitals

- Baptist Union PNG has three established District Hospitals in the Rural Areas; Tinsley District Hospital in Baiyer(WHP),Kompiam District Hospital in Kompiam(Enga) and Telefomin District Hospital in Telefomin(West Sepik).