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Chikungunya Virus

Applies to the Geographical Disease Risk Index (GDRI)

Please change the GDRI entries for the following areas:

1. Taiwan

Malaria	No
Trypanasoma Cruzi Risk	No
Sub Saharan Africa	No
West Nile Virus Risk	No
Chikungunya Virus Risk	No

2. American Samoa

Malaria	No
Trypanasoma Cruzi Risk	No
Sub Saharan Africa	No
West Nile Virus Risk	No
Chikungunya Virus Risk	Yes

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3. Samoa

Malaria	No
Trypanasoma Cruzi Risk	No
Sub Saharan Africa	No
West Nile Virus Risk	No
Chikungunya Virus Risk	Yes

4. Tokelau

Malaria	No
Trypanasoma Cruzi Risk	No
Sub Saharan Africa	No
West Nile Virus Risk	No
Chikungunya Virus Risk	Yes

5. French Polynesia

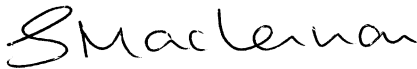
Malaria	No
Trypanasoma Cruzi Risk	No
Sub Saharan Africa	No
West Nile Virus Risk	No
Chikungunya Virus Risk	Yes

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6. Tonga

Malaria	No
Trypanasoma Cruzi Risk	No
Sub Saharan Africa	No
West Nile Virus Risk	No
Chikungunya Virus Risk	Yes

New Index Items: Tahiti, The Pacific Leeward Islands, The Pacific Windward Islands, The Society Islands, Ahē, Bora Bora, Hiva 'Oa, Huahine, Mai'ao, Maupiti, Meheti'a, Mo'orea, Nuku Hiva, Raiatea, Taha'a, Tetiaroa, Tupua'i, Tūpai, The Tuamotu Archipelago, The Gambier Islands, the Marquesas Islands The Austral Islands and The Bass Islands all need to be in the index.



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