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| Title Of Research | Project Antibacterial Activity of Fijian Plants Against Diabetic Infections. Fact or Fiction | Prevalence of Risk Factors for Non-Communicable Diseases Among Staff and Students in University of Fiji: results from a STEPS survey. |
| Project Goals | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Identify target extracts to test b. Establishment of a 'high-throughput screening' laboratory conditions | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) To assess the prevalence of NCDs in UniFiji staff and students. b) To identify risks factors and assess the types and complications of NCDs. c) To evaluate the effectiveness of NCD awareness and prevention |
| Completion Statue | Finished | On-going experiment and collection of data. (Survey, physical exam measurements and biochemical measurements) Expect to finish by last week of June 2016 |