

# Visit the Beautiful Islands of YAP



**EXPERIENCE ONE OF THE MOST TRADITIONAL ISLANDS OF THE  
PACIFIC WHILE MAKING A DIFFERENCE.**

## OVERVIEW:

### NEED:

Family Medicine, General Practitioner, and Pediatric Physicians

### WHERE:

Waab Community Health Centers, Micronesia

### WHEN:

As soon as you can get here!

### WHAT:

Provide needed assistance in caring for the Yap community through direct consultation, training and updating protocols.

### COMPENSATION:

Dependent upon the position applied for.

### CONTACT:

Dennis D. Agapito, MD at [dagapito@fsmhealth.fm](mailto:dagapito@fsmhealth.fm) ASAP to find out more!

The Yap State Hospital and Waab Community Health Center (WCHC) is looking for skilled physicians to help improve its services. Currently, there are no internists or pediatricians on the island of Yap, and the current physician staff is nearing retirement. In order to help address this deficit, the hospital chief of staff and WCHC director have asked for assistance in recruiting and expanding clinical services with some areas of specialty focus.

Opportunities to make a difference in the health and well-being of remote island peoples abound in the islands of Yap State, FSM. Yap has a growing healthcare and public health system with a particular need for physicians trained in the chronic disease care model as well as disease surveillance and programmatic support. In addition to positions in primary care, there is a specific need for Psychiatry as well as other specialty care on a short-term or rotating basis.

Yap is well known for its excellent diving with manta rays and sharks. In addition, it is considered one of the most traditional areas of the Pacific with quiet villages filled with local activities such as dancing, canoe building, sailing, and weaving.

For inquiries, please contact the WCHC Medical Director, Dr. Dennis Agapito ([dagapito@fsmhealth.fm](mailto:dagapito@fsmhealth.fm)).

