Coral Health and Disease in the Pacific: Vision for Action

AGENDA

Monday June 19, 2006
Sheraton Moana Surfrider
Ballroom I

8:00  Call Meeting to Order - Opening Ceremony & OLI
      Athline Clark

8:15  Welcome Address
      Athline Clark
      Gary Ostrander

8:40  Overview of Pacific Issues: Biological & Social Perspectives
      Mike Gawel

9:00  Introduction to the CDHC and progress on the National Plan
      Cheryl Woodley

9:15  Definition of Coral Disease and Its Various Presentations
      Esti Winter

9:45  Lessons learned in the Caribbean (Historical perspective)
      Andy Bruckner

10:00 BREAK

10:20 Global perspective of Incidence & Prevalence of Coral Disease
      Andy Bruckner

10:45 World Bank Project: Coral Disease Working Group
      Bette Willis

11:00 Current knowledge of diseases in Hawaii & Northwest Hawaiian Islands
      Greta Aeby

11:20 Current knowledge of diseases in US Territories/Freely Assoc States
      Thierry Work

11:40 Current knowledge of diseases in Western Pacific
      Bette Willis

12 NOON LUNCH – Parlor Room

1:15  Basic Concepts in Diseases of Wildlife: The Diagnostic Method
      Gary Wobeser
1:45  Emerging Disease – How do we identify it?  
Stephanie Venn-Watson

2:15  Leveraging Post Genomic Tools and Systems Biology to Accelerate the Understanding of Coral Disease and Effectively Monitor Tropical Reef Ecosystems  
Eric Mathur

2:45  Disease Outbreak Investigation: The Process - What elements are critical?  
Dave Jessup

3:15  BREAK

3:45  Evolutionary Ecology, and Disease Emergence: The Big Picture  
Bruce Wilcox

4:15  Scientists, the Public and the Politicians: How do we connect for reef’s sake?  
Jeffery Allen

4:45  Technologies for Disease Monitoring and Assessment  
Melissa Bos

5:15  Adjourn for the day

6:00-8:00  Reception – Waikiki Aquarium  
*Many thanks to the Alliance for Coastal Technologies and Kahaled bin Sultan-Living Oceans Foundation for hosting this event*

**Tuesday, June 20, 2006**

8:00-12:30  Breakout Groups I-IV

- Group I – Coral Cellular Physiology & Pathology  
  *Ship’s Tavern*

- Group II – Coral Toxicology & Ecological Epidemiology  
  *Ship’s Tavern – Captain’s Quarters*

- Group III – Pathology of Infectious Disease  
  *Board Room*

- Group IV - Preventing and Responding to Coral Disease in the Pacific Region: Management Perspectives  
  *Admirals Room*

12:30-1:30  LUNCH – Ballroom I

2:00-5:00  Resume Breakout Group Deliberations

5:30  Adjourn for the Day

6:30  Reception – Terrace Moana Surfrider
Wednesday, June 21, 2006

8:00   General Session – Ballroom I
       Group I and II Preliminary Report & Discussion

10:00  Break

10:20  General Session – Ballroom I
       Group III and IV Preliminary Report & Discussion

11:30  Open Discussion on Needs for Technological Advances
       Melissa Bos

12:00 – 1:00  Lunch – Parlor Room

1:30 – 5:00  Finalize Breakout Group Reports

Dinner on Your Own

Thursday, June 22, 2006

8:00  General Session – Parlor Room
       Final Presentations of Breakout Groups

12 NOON  Workshop Adjourned