

Merri Health

Aileu friendship donation 2018/19

Friends of Aileu Report
April 2020

Water supply rehabilitation project, Suku Liurai, Aileu

Constructing main storage tank (27 m³) adjacent to Dom Baumeta Central school



Water supply rehabilitation project, Suku Liurai, Aileu

CERES Global group meeting Chefe Suco & community members
In-stream diversion tank (6 m³), water piped 2km to storage tank)



Water supply rehabilitation project, Suku Liurai, Aileu

Dom Baumeta school: water piped 60m to local tank, 560 students plus staff
SOLS campus: water piped 60m to local tank, 76 students plus staff

Residents of nearby hamlets also benefited and will contribute \$0.25 /month to volunteer management group to maintain the system



Water supply rehabilitation project, Suku Liurai, Aileu

Connecting water to 144 households (874 persons)
in the hamlets of Banderahun and Coulaundun (including social housing)
with 880m of pipe and 12 tap stands



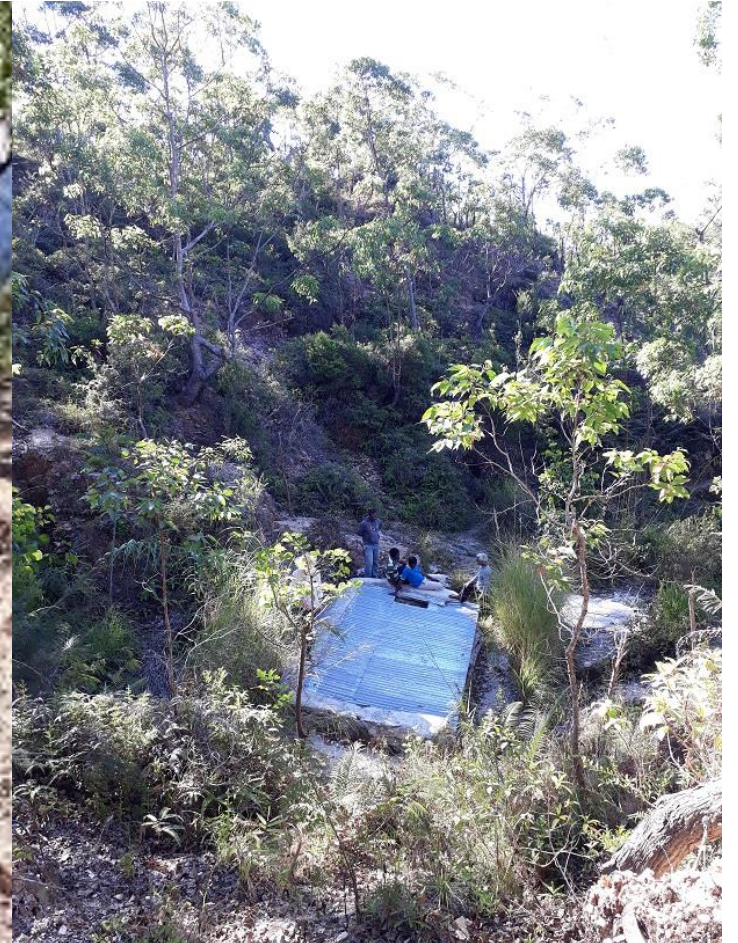
Reforestation project, Mt Tatabau, Manu Casa, Lequidoe, Aileu

Developing a plant nursery at Manu Casa Resource and Training Centre



Reforestation project, Mt Tatabau, Manu Casa Lequidoe, Aileu

Infill fruit planting, Remnant vegetation and terraces for planting, Protection of springs



Reforestation project, Mt Tatabau, Manu Casa Lequidoe, Aileu

Reducing erosion, improving water security and providing forest-based income
for 2,400+ people in 400+ households
in villages of Manucasa, Namoleso (Aitoin hamlet) and Fahisoi



Kadalak Dame community garden project, Aileu

CERES Global group working with Aileu Catequists



Kadalak Dame community garden project, Aileu

Peaceful area for relaxation & meditation

Areas for demonstration & experimental agriculture techniques

Towards self-sufficiency, tending to run-down coffee plantings



Uma Ita Nian Clinic community-based rehabilitation program

Safer fuel-efficient stoves project

Manufacture of 230 the stoves



Uma Ita Nian Clinic community-based rehabilitation program

Safer fuel-efficient stoves project

Distributing 30 stoves to CBR client households
(with a further 60 stoves distributed to other families at \$5 promotion price
and balance of 140 stoves for sale through disability workshop)



Uma Ita Nian Clinic community-based rehabilitation program

Safer fuel-efficient stoves project

Users say stoves are safe, easy to use and save on fuel



Providing equipment (defibrillators) and Training at Aileu Hospital

Training by Dr Gustodio Alves (assisted by Domingos Sarmento),
equipment sourced by Cherylynn McGurgan



PERMATIL water conservation camp Cotolau, Laulara, 20-22 March 2020



COVID-19 equipment and supplies for Sub-district Health Posts and Aileu Municipal Health Service quarantine facility



Likely Projects for 2020

Continued support for:

- Manu Casa reforestation and Kadalak Dame garden projects
- Uma Ita Nian Clinic community-based rehabilitation program
- Assessment, training and equipment for Aileu Municipal Health Service

Potential new projects:

- PERMATIL water conservation outreach program
- Organic farming and market cooperative
- Youth-led village agriculture improvement projects
- Food preservation project
- HIAM Health, training and support for midwives working in Aileu