

NOAA Coral Reef Conservation Program

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CRCP Competition: State and Territorial Government Cooperative Agreements							
NA21NOS4820016*	USVI Coral Reef Management Initiative	USVI DPNR, Division of Coastal Zone Management	Territorial Government	Atlantic/Caribbean	U.S. Virgin Islands	\$438,576	\$265,826
NA21NOS4820014*	Puerto Rico Coral Reef Conservation 2019-2020	Puerto Rico Department of Natural and Environmental Resources	Commonwealth Government	Atlantic/Caribbean	Puerto Rico	\$499,945	\$212,488
NA21NOS4820020*	Florida's FY21-22 Coral Reef Conservation Cooperative Agreement	Florida Department of Environmental Protection	State Government	Atlantic/Caribbean	Florida	\$743,958	\$743,958
NA21NOS4820017*^	Hawaii FY21-22 Coral Reef Management Cooperative Agreement	Hawaii DLNR, Division of Aquatic Resources	State Government	Pacific	Hawaii	\$770,818	\$770,818
NA21NOS4820015*	CNMI's FY21-22 CRCP State and Territory Coral Reef Conservation Cooperative Agreement	CNMI Division of Coastal Resources Management	Commonwealth Government	Pacific	CNMI	\$652,529	\$15,715
NA21NOS4820018*	Guam FY 2021-2022 State and Territory Coral Reef Conservation Cooperative Agreement	Guam Bureau of Statistics and Plans, Coastal Management Program	Territorial Government	Pacific	Guam	\$499,779	\$46,162
NA21NOS4820019*	AS FY21-22 CRCP State and Territory Coral Reef Conservation Cooperative Agreement	American Samoa Department of Marine and Wildlife Resources	Territorial Government	Pacific	American Samoa	\$591,594	\$20,641
*At the recipient's request, \$35,000 of the listed funds (\$45,000 for Florida) were transferred to a third party to support the All Islands Committee Secretariat, Coral Reef Management Fellowship Program, and other specific tasks for the recipient's direct benefit. ^Includes \$20,000 non-CRCP funds.							
CRCP Competition: Fishery Management Council Cooperative Agreements							
NA20NMF4410263	FY20-21 Mapping and characterizing essential fish habitat in unknown mesophotic reef zones between 50 and 120 m in the U.S. Caribbean	Caribbean Fishery Management Council	Fishery Management Council	Atlantic/Caribbean	Puerto Rico, USVI	\$444,773	\$0
NA20NMF4410261	A proposal addressing changes in coral reef habitats and potential management implications to ensure the sustainability of coral reefs and associated fisheries habitats in the Gulf of Mexico.	Gulf of Mexico Fishery Management Council	Fishery Management Council	Atlantic/Caribbean	Florida, Gulf of Mexico	\$150,420	\$0
NA20NMF4410260*	South Atlantic Fishery Management Council Coral Reef Conservation Proposal Narrative FY 2020 - FY 2021	South Atlantic Fishery Management Council	Fishery Management Council	Atlantic/Caribbean	Florida	\$357,668	\$0
NA20NMF4410262	Western Pacific Coral Reef Ecosystem Fishery Resource Assessment and Management, FY 20-21	Western Pacific Regional Fishery Management Council	Fishery Management Council	Pacific	American Samoa, CNMI, Guam, Hawaii	\$296,092	\$0
*At the recipient's request, \$232,668 of the listed funds were transferred internally for mapping, diving, and data processing to be conducted by NOAA Principal Investigators for the recipient's direct benefit.							
CRCP Competition: International Grants and Cooperative Agreements							
NA20NOS4820045	Strengthening Adaptive Management for Priority Caribbean Coral Reef Marine Protected Areas	Gulf and Caribbean Fisheries Institute	Nonprofit/ NGO	Caribbean - International	Bahamas, Belize, BVI, Grenada, Honduras, Mexico, Netherlands Caribbean, St. Lucia, St. Vincent & Grenadines, Turks & Caicos	\$286,865	\$290,290
NA20NOS4820047	Expanding Locally Managed Marine Area Networks for Coral Reef Conservation in Indonesia	Conservation International	Nonprofit/ NGO	Coral Triangle	Indonesia	\$150,490	\$163,146
NA20NOS4820048	Strengthening management capacity within Bay Islands and coastal Honduras Marine Protected Areas in order to secure the long-term health of coral reefs	The Coral Reef Alliance (CORAL)	Nonprofit/ NGO	Caribbean - International	Honduras	\$78,612	\$78,612
NA20NOS4820041	Moving Towards Resilience-based Marine Resource Management in Malaysia	Reef Check Malaysia	Nonprofit/ NGO	Coral Triangle	Malaysia	\$56,175	\$56,175
NA20NOS4820040	Advancing conservation and management of critical habitats, fisheries resources and life history function in Western Province, Solomon Islands, using an ecosystem approach to fisheries management	Wildlife Conservation Society	Nonprofit/ NGO	South Pacific	Solomon Islands	\$73,285	\$73,285
NA20NOS4820046	MPAConnect Small Grants Program for Management Capacity Building in the Caribbean	Micronesia Conservation Trust	Nonprofit/ NGO	Micronesia	Marshall Islands, Palau, Federated States of Micronesia	\$300,000	\$300,000
CRCP Competition: Non-Governmental Organization (NGO) Partnership Cooperative Agreements							
NA20NOS4820134	Strengthening Coral Reef Management and Conservation in the Atlantic/Caribbean	The Nature Conservancy	Nonprofit/ NGO	Domestic	American Samoa, CNMI, Florida, Guam, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, USVI	\$750,000	\$662,910
NA20NOS4820136	Rapid response to address the expansion of stony coral tissue loss disease (SCTLD) in Puerto Rico	Sociedad Ambiente Marino	Nonprofit/ NGO	Atlantic/Caribbean	Puerto Rico	\$93,290	\$118,550
NA20NOS4820132	A Cooperative Agreement for Developing Sustainable Funding Strategies to Protect Coral Reefs in Hawaii	Conservation International Foundation	Nonprofit/ NGO	Pacific	Hawaii	\$103,350	\$88,909

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CRCP Competition: Ruth Gates Coral Restoration Innovation Grants							
NA20NMF4820290	Enhancing Resilience in Existing Restoration Efforts Using Selectively Bred Corals	University of Hawaii	Institution of Higher Education	Pacific	Hawaii	\$196,120	\$156,649
NA20NMF4820288	Sowing the seeds of success: testing novel approaches to improve the efficiency of coral reef restoration using sexually propagated corals	Johnston Applied Marine Sciences	Small Business	Pacific	CNMI	\$169,082	\$206,684
NA20NMF4820289	Genetic Rescue of threatened elkhorn corals (<i>Acropora palmata</i>) in SE Florida from adjacent NW Bahamian populations	University of Miami	Institution of Higher Education	Atlantic/Caribbean	Florida	\$85,123	\$0
NA20NMF4820320	Search for Genetic Regulators of Coral Resilience to Thermal Stress	Pennsylvania State University	Institution of Higher Education	Atlantic/Caribbean	USVI, Florida	\$169,884	\$0
NA21NMF4820302	Novel devices for the outplanting of sexual and asexual coral propagules	SCORE	Nonprofit/ NGO	Atlantic/Caribbean	Florida	\$57,950	\$57,984
NA21NMF4820301	Stress Hardening Interventions for Improved Coral Restoration: Benefits, Costs, and Biomarkers	The Florida International University	Institution of Higher Education	Atlantic/Caribbean	Florida	\$250,000	\$190,999
NA21NMF4820300	Towards the development of novel genomic techniques for identifying thermally tolerant <i>Acropora palmata</i>	University of Southern California	Institution of Higher Education	Atlantic/Caribbean	Florida	\$225,673	\$225,848
CRCP Competition: Public-Private Partnership							
NA18NOS4820181	National Fish and Wildlife Foundation-Coral Reef Conservation Fund Competitive Grants [Click here to see 2021 selections]	National Fish and Wildlife Foundation, Competitive Programs	Institutional Partner/ Nonprofit	Domestic	American Samoa, CNMI, Florida, Guam, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, USVI	\$551,212	\$551,212
NA18NOS4820181	National Fish and Wildlife Foundation-Coral Emergency Response Fund	National Fish and Wildlife Foundation, Competitive Programs	Institutional Partner/ Nonprofit	Domestic	American Samoa, CNMI, Florida, Guam, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, USVI	\$250,000	\$0
Other Awards: Community-Based Restoration Program Cooperative Agreements							
NA19NMF4630259	Implementing the Florida Keys Coral Disease Response and Restoration Initiative	Mote Marine Laboratory, Inc.	Nonprofit/ NGO	Atlantic/Caribbean	Florida	\$500,000	\$0
NA19NMF4630260	Large-scale Restoration of ESA Threatened Coral Species in the Florida Keys National Marine Sanctuary, Focusing on Five Reefs to be Restored to Criteria Outlined in the <i>Acropora</i> Recovery Plan	Coral Restoration Foundation, Inc.	Nonprofit/ NGO	Atlantic/Caribbean	Florida	\$525,000	\$490,770
NA20NMF4630304	Jump-starting Mission: Iconic Reefs - sexually propagated <i>Acropora</i> corals and <i>Diadema</i> urchins for priority reefs in the Florida Keys	The Florida Aquarium, Inc.	Nonprofit/ NGO	Atlantic/Caribbean	Florida	\$289,903	\$153,628
Other Awards: Funding to Cooperative Institutes to Support Coral Conservation and Science							
NA20OAR4320472*	Technical capacity support to conduct disease, restoration, climate change and land-based sources of pollution projects.	Cooperative Institute for Marine and Atmospheric Studies (CIMAS) - University of Miami	Cooperative Institute - Institution of Higher Education	Atlantic/Caribbean	Florida, Puerto Rico, USVI, Gulf of Mexico	\$2,305,747	\$0
NA20OAR4320472*	Coral Reef Management Fellowship Program (NOAA Contribution)	Cooperative Institute for Marine and Atmospheric Studies (CIMAS) - University of Miami	Cooperative Institute - Institution of Higher Education	Domestic	American Samoa, CNMI, Florida, Guam, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, USVI	\$569,550	\$0
NA21NMF4320043	Technical capacity support to conduct fisheries, restoration, climate change and land-based sources of pollution projects.	Cooperative Institute for Marine and Atmospheric Research (CIMAR) - University of Hawaii	Cooperative Institute - Institution of Higher Education	Pacific	American Samoa, CNMI, Guam, Hawaii,	\$1,982,171	\$0
NA19NES4320002	Coral Reef Watch and Coral Reef Information System (CoRIS) Support	Cooperative Institute for Satellite Earth System Studies (CISESS) - University of Maryland, College Park	Cooperative Institute - Institution of Higher Education	Domestic, International	Domestic, International	\$1,721,476	\$0
NA21NOS4780131	Bathymetric Lidar Waveform Analysis and Algorithm Development for Characterizing Coral Reef Morphologies	Cooperative Institute for Marine Resources Studies (CIMRS) - Oregon State University	Cooperative Institute - Institution of Higher Education	Pacific	CNMI	\$76,375	\$0
<i>*Includes both FY 2020 and FY 2021 allocations (FY 2020 could not be obligated by the end of the fiscal year deadline and was delayed into early FY 2021)</i>							
Other Awards: Funding to Other Organizations to Support Coral Conservation and Science							

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NA19NMF4630281	Coral Reef Restoration Planning and Implementation in the Pacific	The Nature Conservancy	Nonprofit/ NGO	Pacific	American Samoa, CNMI, Guam, Hawaii,	\$665,000	\$0
NA21NOS4820196*	Broadening MPAConnect Engagement with Priority Marine Protected Areas in the Caribbean Region	Gulf and Caribbean Fisheries Institute	Nonprofit/ NGO	Caribbean - International	Wider International Caribbean	\$689,482	\$0
NA20NMF4630328	Mission: Iconic Reefs - Coral Restoration Implementation and Capacity, Herbivore Restoration	National Marine Sanctuary Foundation	Nonprofit/ NGO	Atlantic/ Caribbean	Florida	\$1,635,097	\$0
NA20OAR4170488	Regional Coral Disease Response Coordinator	University of Florida	Institution of Higher Education	Domestic	American Samoa, CNMI, Florida, Guam, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, USVI, Gulf of Mexico	\$202,000	\$0
NA21OAR4170064	2021 Knauss Fellowship	NC State University	Institution of Higher Education	Domestic	American Samoa, CNMI, Florida, Guam, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, USVI	\$59,000	\$0
NA20NMF4720145	Demographic Monitoring and Population Enhancement of Acropora Palmata Along the Florida Reef Tract	Fish & Wildlife Conservation Commission, Florida	State Government	Atlantic/ Caribbean	Florida	\$40,643	\$0
NA21NMF4630484	Support of the Coral Restoration Consortium	Coral Restoration Foundation	Nonprofit/ NGO	Domestic, International	Domestic, International	\$57,000	\$0
NA19NOS4290190A	Mission: Iconic Reefs - Restoration Prep, Maintenance, and Monitoring	National Marine Sanctuary Foundation	Nonprofit/ NGO	Atlantic/ Caribbean	Florida	\$46,889	\$0
NA20NMF4520213	Hawaii Life History Research	Hawaii Department of Land and Natural Resources	State Government	Pacific	Hawaii	\$40,000	\$0

*Includes \$634,482 from U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) for an Interagency Agreement with NOAA.

CRCP Competitions Awards	\$9,293,263	\$5,296,861
Community-Based Restoration Awards	\$1,314,903	\$644,398
Cooperative Institute Awards	\$6,655,319	\$0
Other CRCP Awards	\$3,435,111	\$0
TOTAL FY2021 CRCP FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE	\$20,698,596	\$5,941,259

SUMMARY: BY THE NUMBERS

RECIPIENT TYPE	TOTAL AWARDS	TOTAL FEDERAL FUNDING
Nonprofits	19	\$7,159,600
State and Territorial Governments	9	\$4,277,842
Institutions of Higher Education	7	\$1,187,800
Fishery Management Councils	4	\$1,248,953
Cooperative Institutes	4	\$6,655,319
Small Business	1	\$169,082
TOTAL	44	\$20,698,596

CRCP COMPETITIONS Geographic Split

