FY2024 WPDN Work Plan and Budget University of Guam

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Work plan

Data reporting

UOG will upload diagnostic data to the NPDN National Repository as required for all labs participating in the NPDN.

Participation

UOG will continue to participate in conference calls. UOG will participate in the national NPDN meeting scheduled to be held August, 2023, in Denver, Co.

Quality Diagnosis

WPDN funding will be used to continue provision of plant pest diagnostics as a free service for various clientele on Guam and on other American-affiliated islands within Micronesia. Island groups include the Republic of the Marshall Islands, the Federated States of Micronesia, the Republic of Palau, and the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands.

Accreditation

The UOG lab is not currently accredited.

Other Contributions to NPDN

UOG will continue to document first island records for introduced and invasive species detected within Micronesia.

Budget and Narrative

Item	Allocation	Description/Narrative
Salaries & Benefits	\$6,000	Partial salary for plant pest diagnostics technician
Supplies & Materials	\$1,500	Laboratory supplies
Travel & Training	\$6,000	Travel and lodging for 2 participants at the annual national meeting.
Equipment	\$0	
Other	\$0	
Indirect Costs	\$1,500	An indirect cost recovery rate of 10% is allowable.
Total	\$15,000	