

# Get the Commonwealth Safe Online

the UK's Commonwealth online safety awareness campaign 2018-2022

At CHOGM 2018, Government leaders signed The Commonwealth Cyber Declaration. Through its Commonwealth Cyber Capacity building projects, the UK has supported the Declaration, by investing £15 million to make the internet safer across the Commonwealth and help maintain a cyberspace that is free, open, peaceful and secure.

As part of this initiative, Get Safe Online has provided free, easily accessible online safety awareness campaigns for individuals and businesses in the Caribbean, Pacific and Rwanda with:



**22 individual Get Safe Online websites**, eight also translated into the indigenous language



**Development of strategic partnerships** with in-country government bodies and relevant associations

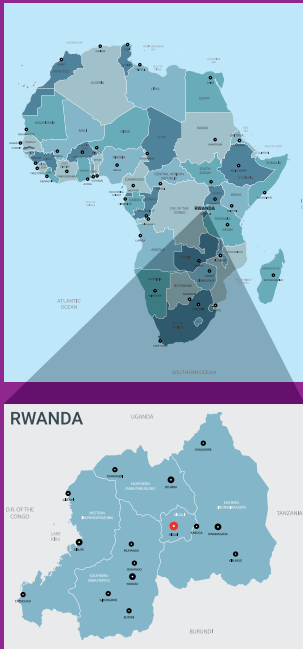
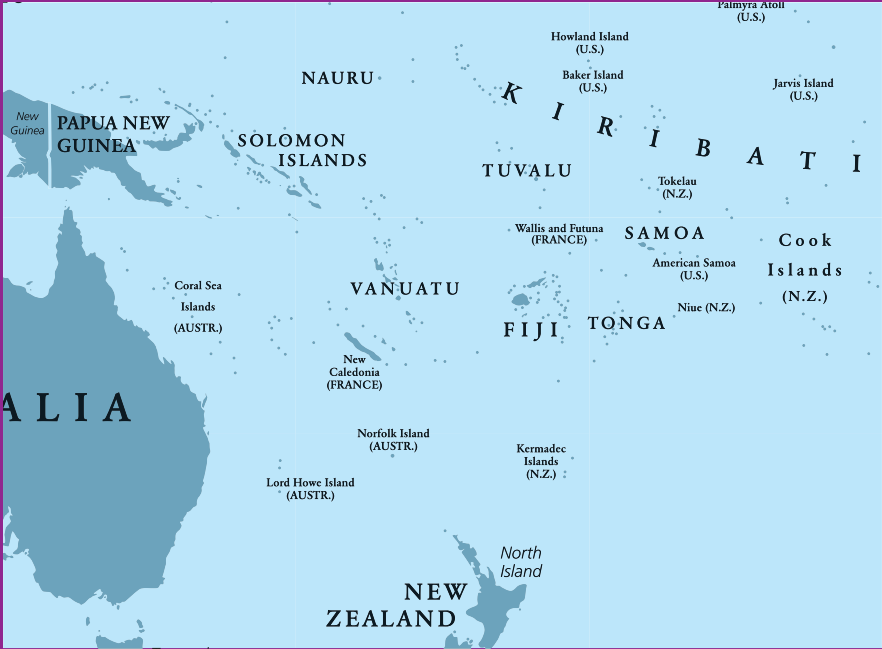


**Local, engaging PR campaigns** – from social media to TV and radio to billboards



Implementation and operation of a **Get Safe Online Ambassador Scheme** to empower individuals to help spread online safety messages in their own countries

## 22 Commonwealth countries including:



Antigua & Barbuda, Barbados, Bahamas, Belize, Dominica, Fiji, Grenada, Guyana, Jamaica, Kiribati, Nauru, Papua New Guinea, Rwanda, Samoa, Solomon Islands, St Kitts & Nevis, St Lucia, St Vincent and the Grenadines, Tonga, Trinidad & Tobago, Tuvalu and Vanuatu

Over **60 million** individuals reached

Over **1.9 million** hits on the Get Safe Online Commonwealth websites

More than **3,000** social media posts

**234** Get Safe Online Ambassadors

Over **50** partnerships



*Improvement in users' digital hygiene habits:*

An average improvement of **33%** in digital hygiene habits

*Managing online risks:*

**89%** of people who had visited a Get Safe Online website reported they were more able to manage online risks.

Thanks to this investment from the UK's Foreign, Commonwealth & Development Office, individuals and small businesses in 22 countries across the Commonwealth have become safer online.



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