

## Medical Assistance in French Polynesia

***For a medical emergency in French Polynesia, dial 15, or call SOS Medecins at 40-42-34-56 for emergency medical assistance.***

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There are good healthcare services available on the bigger islands, with the best-equipped one being the Centre Hospitalier de Polynésie Française. There is one recompression chamber in Tahiti, at the Centre Hospitalier de Polynésie Française. Pharmacies or clinics for basic medical care are available on most islands, but for anything more serious, a patient will need to be evacuated to one of the main islands or to a regional center.

### **Papeete, Tahiti**

Centre Hospitalier de Polynésie Française (Formerly the Centre Hospitalier du Taaone)

Avenue général de Gaulle

Pirae, Papeete

Tel. 40.48.62.62

Website: [www.chpf.pf](http://www.chpf.pf)

### **Greater Tahiti**

Centre Hospitalier Territorial

Avenue Georges Clemenceau

Mamao, Tahiti 98713

Tel. 40.46.62.62

### Clinique Cardella

11 rue Anne Marie Javouhey

Papeete, Tahiti 98712

Tel. 40.46.04.00

After hours emergencies: 40.46.04.25

Website: [www.cardella.pf](http://www.cardella.pf)

### Clinique Paofai

Boulevard Pomare

Papeete, Tahiti 98713

Tel. 40.46.18.18

## **Raiatea**

### Hôpital d'Uturoa/Hôpital des Îles Sous le Vent

B.P. 40, Uturoa

Raiatea 98735

Tel. 600 800

## **Pharmacie de Garde (24 hour Pharmacy)**

The schedule for pharmacists and physicians who are available Saturday and Sunday in French Polynesia can be found at:

**Physicians:** <http://www.ordre-medecins-polynesie.com/accueil/index.php/soins/soins-permanence>

**Pharmacists:** <http://www.ordre-pharmaciens-polynesie.com/index.php/pharmacies-de-garde>

*Please note that this schedule changes weekly.*

### **If you are in search of a physician, you can consult this database:**

<https://www.mondocteur.fr/> This provides a list of doctors available across French Polynesia. You can make an appointment online, search by specialty, and by city.

## **Substance Abuse**

### Centre de Consultations Spécialisées en Alcoologie et Toxicomanie (CCSAT)

(Center for Specialised Consultations in Alcoholism and Drug Abuse)

avenue des Poilus Tahitiens

Papeete

Tel. 40.46.00.67

Hours: 7:30am - 3:30pm Monday - Thursday; 7:30am - 2:30pm Friday

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Personnel Available: Two doctors, three clinical psychologists, and two nurses  
Additional Services: Gambling and cyber addiction counseling

Alcoholics Anonymous

Tel. 40 43 21 63 (Call for available meeting times)

Narcotics Anonymous

Meeting every Sunday from 6pm to 7pm at Saint Thérèse Church in the Taunoa quartier.

For teenagers and young adults: Tel. 40.50.91.88