MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO: 2015-10-20-026

TO: PMA Board of Governors, PMA Past Presidents and Past Governors, PMA Component Presidents of NCR, Central Luzon and Southern Tagalog and Presidents of Specialty Divisions, Specialty Societies and Affiliate Societies

SUBJECT: SINO ASIA PACIFIC MEDICAL FORUM

DATE: OCTOBER 20, 2015

On behalf of the PMA National Officers and Board of Governors, we are encouraging your participation to attend the SINO ASIA PACIFIC MEDICAL FORUM on November 23, 2015 to be held at the Peninsula Hotel, Makati City from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm. The said medical forum which adapts this year’s theme, “Harnessing Global Synergy in Addressing Modern Day Clinical Challenges” will be participated in by medical speakers from Australia, China, Germany, Japan, Kazakhstan, Georgia, Hong Kong, Netherlands, United States of America and of course, the Philippines.

Although there will be no seminar fee to be collected for this event, attendance to this medical forum earns the delegates forty (40) CME units. In this regard, kindly submit the names of your delegates at cme@philippinemedicalassociation.org. Attention: Ms. Tracy G. Salcedo on or before November 12, 2015. For your ready reference, we have attached the program and session topics.

Should you have any clarifications, please feel free to get in touch with Ms. Baby M. Piñol or Ms. Tracy G. Salcedo at telephone numbers 9297361, 9296951 or 9262447.

As in the past, we count for your support as we all work for One PMA. One Health. One Nation. Thank you.

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Secretary General

Noted By:

MARIA MINERVA P. CALIMAG, M.D.
President
SINO ASIA PACIFIC MEDICAL FORUM

Theme: "Harnessing Global Synergy in Addressing Modern Day Clinical Challenges"
November 23, 2015 at the Manila Peninsula Hotel from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm

PROGRAM OF ACTIVITIES

7:00 am Registration
8:00 am Opening Ceremonies: Parade of Colors
Welcome Remarks
Message

8:00 am - 8:30 am Lecture Series Session I:
"Clinical Challenges in the Management of Stable Coronary Artery Disease"
Dr. Rafael Castillo, PHILIPPINES

9:00 am - 9:30 am Lecture Series Session II:
"Pediatric Cardiovascular Surgery"
Dr. Shunji Sano, JAPAN

9:30 am - 10:00 am Lecture Series Session III:
"Recognition and Management of the Deteriorating Patient (Rapid Response System)"
Dr. Mary Pinder, AUSTRALIA

10:30 am - 11:00 am Lecture Series Session IV:
"Study of Cleft Lip and Palate in Children: Georgia Country Profile"
Dr. Zurab Vadachkoria, GEORGIA

11:00 am - 11:30 am Lecture Series Session V:
"Hepatobiliary Surgery (Organ Transplantation)"
Dr. Huang Jiefu, CHINA

11:30 am - 12:00 pm Lecture Series Session VI:
"Chronic Pain following Inguinal Hernia Repair"
Dr. Samuel Kwok, HONG KONG

1:30 pm - 2:00 pm Lecture Series Session VII:
"The Difference between Primary Health Care which is proposed by WHO and Health Promotion"
Dr. Shigeru Suganami, JAPAN

2:00 pm - 2:30 pm Lecture Series Session VIII:
"The Role of Disruptive Technologies in Health Care"
Dr. Minera Calimag, PHILIPPINES

2:30 pm - 3:00 pm Lecture Series Session IX:
"Human Genome"
Dr. Hans Lehrach, GERMANY

3:30 pm - 4:00 pm Lecture Series Session X:
"Learn from Nature, Learn from our Ancestors, from tradition to evidence-based Medicine"
Dr. Rob Verpoorte, NETHERLAND

4:00 pm - 4:30 pm Lecture Series Session XI:
"Changing Priorities of Disaster Response"
Dr. Susan Briggs, USA

4:30 pm - 5:00 pm Lecture Series Session XII:
"The Role of the Red Cross in DRRM"
Sen. Richard J. Gordon, PHILIPPINES

Attire: Business Attire
Overall Chairman: Dr. Manson Fok  Summit Chairman: Dr. Billy C. Chan  Summit Co-Chair: Dr. Evelyn T. Gusi