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MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 2018-07-14

то	:	All PMA Board of Governors, Presidents of Component Societies, Specialty Divisions, Specialty and Affiliate Societies
SUBJECT	:	61 st PMA National Medicine Week Celebration
DATE	:	August 7, 2018

Warmest Greeting!

We are pleased to announce the Calendar of Activities for the 2018 Medicine Week Celebration which will be from September 23-29, 2018. The 115TH PMA Foundation Day which will be on September 15, 2018 will precede the series of events of the Medicine Week.

Theme: "Pilipinong Manggagamot: Makatao, Mapagkakatiwalaan, Mapaglingkod sa Sambayanan"

Pre-Medicine Week Celebration

September 16, 2018 : (Sunday)

018 : 8TH Dr. Fe Del Mundo Annual Bulilit and Teen Health Workers Congress THEME: "Sakit ay Agapan, Bakuna ang Panlaban" Venue: San Fernando Elementary School San Fernando, Pampanga

Pampanga Medical Society – Society In-Charge Community Pediatrics Society of the Philippines

September 23, 2018 (Sunday)

7:00 am

Wreath Laying Ceremonies

Venue: Rizal Monument, Luneta Park, Manila Pasay-Paranaque Medical Society – Society in-charge

(Simultaneously at the Shrine of Dr. Jose P. Rizal all over the country)

8:00 am Motorcade (semi-convoy)

ROUTE: LUNETA PARK to hotel (venue to be announced)

8:00 a.m. (after wreath laying)

9:00 am Thanksgiving Mass (Venue to be announced)

10:00 am Opening Ceremonies (Simultaneous nationwide)

(The ringing of the bell to signify the start of Medicine Week shall be done simultaneously) Please sound your bells at a similar time to make it a simultaneous activity.

Keynote Speaker: Dr. Roy B. Ferrer - Philhealth President Venue: to be announced Quezon City Medical Society – Society In-Charge Component Society In-Charge: Quezon City Medical Society

September 24-28, 2018 Daily Free Clinic and Lay Fora Medical & Surgical Missions Nationwide

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These activities can be done duplicate in the different cities, Municipalities component societies with allied & partner organization.

September 24, 2018	Earth Day, Environment / PMA Advocacies
(Monday)	"Pangangalaga sa Kalikasan"

- RECYCLING DRIVE
- ECO BRICKS
- TREE PLANTING FRUIT-BEARING: MANGO, COCONUT
- ADOPT A FOREST WITH HARIBON FOUNDATION
- VEGETABLE GARDEN
- DISASTER PREPAREDNESS
- CLEAN UP DRIVE
 OTHER ENVIRONMENTAL PROJECTS
- COMPONENT SOCIETY: LAGUNA MEDICAL SOCIETY
 CALOOCAN CITY MEDICAL SOCIETY
 MANDALUYONG MEDICAL SOCIETY

"SKIN FAIR: MALINIS NA KAPALIGIRAN PARA SA MALINIS NA KUTIS"

- TIME: 8:00 AM 12:00 PM
- SPECIALTY / AFFILIATE SOCIETY:
 - 1. PHILIPPINE DERMATOLOGICAL SOCIETY
 - 2. PHILIPPINE ACADEMY OF CUTANEOUS SURGERY
 - 3. PHILIPPINE ASSOCIATION OF PRIMARY SKIN HEALTH PHYSICIANS

"SINGING PHYSICIANS CONTEST ELIMINATION ROUND"

- TIME: 2:00 PM 5:00 PM
- Venue: PMA Boardroom
- PASAY PARAÑAQUE MEDICAL SOCIETY

September 25, 2018 (Tuesday)

FAMILY DAY

"Pangangalaga sa Pamilya"

- TIME: 8:00 AM 12:00 PM
 - **PARENTING & FAMILY HEALTH SEMINARS**
 - **MEDICAL & SURGICAL MISSIONS**
 - COMPONENT SOCIETY: CAVITE MEDICAL SOCIETY QUEZON CITY MEDICAL SOCIETY
 - SPECIALTY / AFFILIATE SOCIETY:
 - 1. PHILIPPINE ACADEMY OF FAMILY PHYSICIANS
 - PHILIPPINE COLLEGE OF SURGEONS 2.
 - 3. PHILIPPINE SOCIETY OF INSURANCE MEDICINE

15th Singing Physicians Contest

Theme: Any Music That Speaks About Family.

Society in-charge: Pasay-Paranaque Medical Society

Finals

6:00 pm / PMA Auditorium

PRIZES:

1 st PRIZE	Php 15,000 plus Trophy
2 nd PRIZE	10,000 plus Trophy
3 rd PRIZE	5,000 plus Trophy

September 26, 2018 (Wednesday)

Mother and Child Advocacy Day

"Pangangalaga sa Kababaihan at Kabataan"

- TIME: 8:00 AM 12:00 PM . Free Clinic: WOMENS HEALTH
- MEDICAL MISSION, FREE PAPS SMEAR, BREAST EXAMINATION
- **MOTHER & CHILD ADVOCACY**
- **BREASTFEEDING CONGRESS**
- COMPONENT SOCIETY: MARIKINA VALLEY MEDICAL SOCIETY

MANILA MEDICAL SOCIETY TAYTAY-ANGONO-CAINTA MEDICAL SOCIETY SAN JUAN MEDICAL SOCIETY EASTERN RIZAL MEDICAL SOCIETY

- SPECIALTY / AFFILIATE SOCIETY:
 - PHILIPPINE OBSTETRICS & GYNECOLOGICAL SOCIETY 1.
 - 2. PHILIPPINE PEDIATRIC SOCIETY
 - PHILIPPINE SOCIETY OF NEWBORN MEDICINE 3.

September 27, 2018

(Thursday)

.8 Senior Day

"Pangangalaga sa mga Magulang"

- TIME: 8:00 AM 12:00 PM
 - SENIORS HEALTH CONGRESS
- MEDICAL MISSION
- CATARACT SCREENING
- BONE DENSITY SCREENING
 - COMPONENT SOCIETY: LAS PIÑAS MEDICAL SOCIETY MALABON NAVOTAS MEDICAL SOCIETY VALENZUELA MEDICAL SOCIETY
- SPECIALTY / AFFILIATE SOCIETY:
 - 1. PHILIPPINE COLLEGE OF GERIATRIC MEDICINE
 - 2. PHILIPPINE ORTHOPAEDIC ASSOCIATION
 - 3. PHILIPPINE ACADEMY OF OPHTHALMOLOGY
 - 4. PAIN SOCIETY OF THE PHILIPPINES

Senior Physician's Night/ MENTORS NIGHT

c/o Component Societies in their own localities Tribute to senior members

September 28, 2018 (Friday)

Cardio-Metabolic Day / Mental & Physical Health & Wellness "Pangangalaga sa Sariling Kalusugan at sa May Kapansanan"

- TIME: 8:00 AM 12:00 PM
- OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH / WELLNESS & FITNESS / CARDIO-METABOLIC HEALTH
- "MANAGEMENT TOWARDS POSITIVE CHANGE"
- SPEAKER: MR. JOJO & MRS. RHODORA FRESNEDI
- COMPONENT SOCIETY: MAKATI MEDICAL SOCIETY
 TAGUIG MEDICAL SOCIETY
 MUNTINLUPA MEDICAL SOCIETY
- SPECIALTY / AFFILIATE SOCIETY:
 - 1. PHILIPPINE COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS
 - 2. PHILIPPINE HEART ASSOCIATION
 - 3. PHILIPPINE COLLEGE OF OCCUPATIONAL MEDICINE
 - 4. PHILIPPINE ACADEMY OF REHABILITATION MEDICINE
 - 5. PHILIPPINE PSYCHIATRIC ASSOCIATION
 - 6. PHILIPPINE COLLEGE OF HOSPITAL ADMINISTRATORS

September 29, 2018 PMA FUN RUN / "FUNNY RUN" / FUN RUN FOR A CAUSE (Saturday)

"HEROES OF HEALTH"

- TIME: 5:00 AM 8:00 AM
- VENUE: VETERANS MEMORIAL MEDICAL
 CENTER COMPOUND
- FIT FIL NATIONAL WEIGHT LOSS CHALLENGE
- COACH JIM & TONI SARET
- QUEZON CITY MEDICAL SOCIETY

CLOSING CEREMONIES & FELLOWSHIP

Time: 6:00 PM

Marikina Valley Medical Society – Society In-charge Guest Speaker: Dr. Jose P. Rizal Awardee (Community Leadership) Venue: PMA Auditorium

Special Numbers: LAGUNA MEDICAL SOCIETY - DANCE PRESENTATION MARIKINA VALLEY MEDICAL SOCIETY WINNERS SINGING PHYSICIANS CONTEST

Closing Ceremonies (per component society)

Post-Medicine Week Celebration Proposed for a Fund Raising Concert (Subject for approval) Post-Medicine Week activity "DOCTORS IN CONCERT" DINNER FOR A CAUSE - FUNDRAISING FOR MEMBER SERVICES & COMPONENT SOCIETIES CALAMITY FUND DATE: OCT. 6, 2018 SATURDAY, 6PM VENUE: AFP THEATER COMPONENT SOCIETY IN CHARGE

Please be guided accordingly.

Very truly yours,

BENJAMIN M. ALABAN, MD PMA Secretary-General

Noted by:

JOSE P. SANTIAGO JR., MD PMA President