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MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO: 2023-08-15-012

TO : ALL PRESIDENTS OF COMPONENT SOCIETIES, SPECIALTY DIVISIONS, SUBSPECIALTY, AND AFFILIATE SOCIETIES

SUBJECT : 66TH NATIONAL MEDICINE WEEK CELEBRATION

DATE : AUGUST 15, 2023

Dear Doctors,

Warmest greetings!

We are pleased to announce the Calendar of Activities for the 66th National Medicine Week Celebration 2023, which will be held from September 24-30, 2023 with the theme: “**Pilipinong Mamamayan Ating Alagaan**”.

PRE-MEDICINE WEEK CELEBRATION

❖ **13 September 2023- Wednesday**

**PMA/PCS-MMC/QCMS
17th Operation Bukol**

Venue: PMA Auditorium
Time: 8:00 AM to 3:00 PM

❖ **23 September 2023**

**27th Bulilit and Teen Health Workers Foundation
Celebration**

Venue: Virtual (Zoom)
Time: 2:00PM

MEDICINE WEEK PROGRAM

❖ **24 September 2023- Sunday**

Wreath Laying Ceremonies:

Venue: Rizal Monument, Luneta, Manila
Time: 6:00 AM – Assembly Time
6:30 AM – Walkthrough
7:00 AM – Start of March
8:30 AM- End of Activity

In-Charge: Pasay-Parañaque Medical Society
Attire: Filipiniana/ Barong Tagalog

Eucharistic Celebration:

Venue: Diamond Hotel, Roxas Boulevard, Manila
Time: 9:00 AM
In-Charge: Quezon City Medical Society

Opening Ceremonies:

Venue: Diamond Hotel, Roxas Boulevard, Manila
Time: 10:00 AM
In-Charge: Quezon City Medical Society

Daily Free Clinics and Layfora, Monday-Friday

❖ **25 September 2023- Monday**

Theme: **Non-communicable Diseases, Environment and Healthy Lifestyle (Kapaligiran at Uri ng Pamumuhay Pwedeng Magdulot ng Sakit na hindi nakakahawa)**

Venue: PMA Auditorium
Time: 8:00 AM to 12:00 NN
Host Society: Caloocan Medical Society
Laguna Medical Society
Pasig City Medical Society
Mandaluyong Medical Society
Philippine Academy of Family Physicians
Philippine College of Physicians
Philippine College of Chest Physicians
Philippine Heart Association
Philippine Occupational Medicine
Philippine Society of Insurance Medicine
Philippine College of Hospital Administrators
Philippine College of Addiction Medicine
Activity: Tree planting in your own localities/component societies

❖ **26 September 2023- Tuesday**

Theme: **Children's Health (Mga Kabataan Pag-Asa ng Bayan)**

Venue: PMA Auditorium
Time: 8:00 AM to 12:00 NN
Host Society: San Juan Medical Society
Quezon City Medical Society

Lipa City Medical Society
Cavite Medical Society
Philippine Pediatric Society
Philippine Ambulatory Pediatric Association
Pediatric Infectious Disease Society of the Philippines
Philippine Society of Otolaryngology, Head and Neck Surgery
Philippine Pediatric Dental Society
Philippine Academy of Pediatric Pulmonologists
Philippine Society of Adolescent Medical Specialist
Philippine Society of Newborn Medicine

20th Singing Physician Contest:

Theme: "You Can Duo-It"
(Duet – both males, both females or male and female)
Venue: PMA Auditorium and Virtual Entries
Time: 6:00 pm
In-Charge: Pasay-Parañaque Medical Society

Deadline for submission of entries: On or before September 1, 2023 at 5:00PM

**Mechanics are attached in this Memorandum

❖ **27 September 2023- Wednesday**

Theme: Women's and Maternal Health
Venue: PMA Auditorium
Time: 8:00 AM to 12:00 NN
Host Society: Marikina Valley Medical Society
Manila Medical Society
Taytay-Angono-Cainta Medical Society
Eastern Rizal Medical Society
Antipolo City Medical Society
Philippine Obstetrical and Gynecological Society
Philippine Society of Ultrasound in Obstetrics and Gynecology
Philippine Society of Anesthesiologists

❖ **28 September 2023- Thursday**

Theme: Mental Health and Dermatology
Venue: PMA Auditorium
Time: 8:00 AM to 12:00 NN
Host Society: Valenzuela City Medical Society

Malabon-Navotas Medical Society
Rizal-Parañaque Medical Society
Philippine Psychiatric Association
Philippine Dermatological Society
Philippine Academy of Cutaneous Surgery
Philippine Academy of Dermatologic Surgery
Foundation Inc.
Philippine Association of Primary Skin Health Physicians
Philippine Academy of Physicians in School Health Inc.

❖ **29 September 2023- Friday**

Theme: Senior Citizens Health
“Anim-Na-Po (60) Na Tayo. Ano ang ating kailangang malaman at gawin?”

Venue: PMA Auditorium

Time: 8:00 AM to 12:00 NN

Host Society: Makati Medical Society
Taguig City Medical Society
Batangas Medical society
Philippine College of Geriatric Medicine
Philippine Collage of Geriatrics and Gerontology
Philippine Society of Hospice and Palliative Medicine
Philippine Academy of Ophthalmology
Philippine College of Surgeons
Philippine Urological Association
Philippine Society of Climacteric Medicine
Osteoporosis Society of the Philippine
Philippine Rheumatology Association
Philippine Orthopaedic Association Inc.
Philippine Academy of Rehabilitation Medicine

Senior Physician’s Night:
(c/o Component Societies in their own localities)
(can be held in another day)

❖ **30 September 2023- Saturday**

Theme: Wellness and Fitness Day
“Galaw-Galaw PMA”

Activities: Zumba

Venue: PMA grounds

Time: 7:00 AM

Attendees: All interested Members and Non-Members from the different Component Societies, Specialty Societies and Affiliate Societies.

Sponsor: Pocari Sweat

Host Society: Pasay-Parañaque Medical Society
Las Piñas Medical Society
Muntinlupa City Medical Society
Philippine Society of Medical Oncology
Pain Society in the Philippines
Philippine Society of Oncologists

Closing Ceremonies:

Venue: PMA Auditorium

Time: 5:30 PM- Multisectoral Invocation and Early Dinner
6:00 PM- Program Proper
8:30 PM- Fellowship Night

Host Society: Marikina Valley Medical Society

All Component Societies, Specialty Societies and Affiliate Societies are advised to observe and participate in the different activities in their regions and localities during this week-long Medicine Week.

Thank you very much!

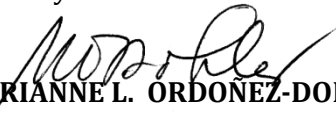
Yours truly,



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