

Program at a Glance

Pre-Conference, 8 August 2012, Wednesday					
8:00AM	Registration				
9:00AM	Regional Health Research Systems Simultaneous Sessions By Consortium Committee Research/ Research Management <i>Mindoro Function Room</i> Ethics <i>Mindanao Ballroom</i> Capacity Building <i>Romblon Function Room</i> Research Utilization <i>Leyte Function Room</i> Governance and Resource Mobilization <i>Samar Function Room</i>	2nd Student Research Competition <i>Visayas Ballroom</i>	Learning Series on Intellectual Property and Technology Commercialization <i>Panay Function Room</i>		
12:00NN	Lunch				
1:00PM	All Regional Health Research Consortia Assembly <i>Luzon Ballroom</i>	2nd Student Research Competition <i>Visayas Ballroom</i>	Learning Series on Intellectual Property and Technology Commercialization <i>Panay Function Room</i>	Writing for Scientific Journals, Part I <i>Leyte Function Room</i>	e-Health Philippines: Returning to its Original Mission, Community Building in a One-Stop Shop Portal <i>Negros Function Room</i>

Conference Proper, 9 August 2012, Thursday					
8:00AM	Registration				
8:30AM	Opening of Exhibits Lobby				
9:00AM	Opening Ceremonies <i>Luzon-Visayas Ballroom</i>				
10:00AM	Morning Break				
10:30AM	Plenary I Organizing for Health Research, Models for Health Research Communities <i>Luzon-Visayas Ballroom</i>				
12:00NN	Lunch <i>Luzon-Visayas Ballroom</i>				
	Launch of Secretary's Cup and Health Talk Health Systems Governance				
	Parallel Sessions				
1:00PM	Parallel Session 1.1 (Open) <i>Mindanao Ballroom</i> Regional Research Presentation Session (Mindanao, NCR)	Parallel Session 1.2 (Open) <i>Romblon and Mindoro Rooms</i> Regional Research Presentation Session (Luzon-Visayas)	Parallel Session 1.3 (By invitation) <i>Panay Function Room</i> Research Funding Agreements and Technology Transfer Act of 2009	Parallel Session 1.4 (By invitation) <i>Samar Function Room</i> Culture of Publishing: Institutional Journals and Accrediting Bodies	Parallel Session 1.5 (By invitation) <i>Leyte Function Room</i> Writing for Scientific Journals, Part II
6:00PM	Fellowship Dinner and Cultural Night <i>Luzon-Visayas Ballroom</i> The Bayanihan National Dance Company				
Conference Proper, 10 August 2012, Friday <i>Luzon-Visayas Ballrooms</i>					
8:00AM	Data Sharing for Health Research				
8:30AM	Plenary II Investing in Health Research: Public-Private Sector Partnership in Health Research				
10:00AM	Morning Break				
10:15 AM	Announcements A Functioning Human Protection System; Philippine Health Research Registry				
10:30AM	Awarding				
11:30AM	Synthesis of Conference and Next Steps				
11:50 AM	Invitation to PNHRs 2013				
11:55AM	Closing Ceremonies				

Challenges in Ethical Review

Mindanao Ballroom, 8 August 2012, Wednesday, 9:00AM-12:00Noon

Focal Persons: Ms. Ma. Jean B. Berroya, Ms. Anthea Maliz V. Cortes,
Mr. Nico Angelo Parungao (Documenter), DOST-PCHRD

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8:30	Message	Dr. LEONARDO DE CASTRO <i>Chair, Philippine Health Research Ethics Board</i>
8:40	National Developments in Ethics Review	Dr. CECILIA V. TOMAS <i>Member, Philippine Health Research Ethics Board</i>
9:00	Ethical Practices in Clinical Trials	Dr. FRANCISCO TRANQUILINO <i>Member, Pharmaceutical and Healthcare Association of the Philippines Ethics Committee</i>

9:20 BREAK

Challenges in Ethical Review

9:40	Mindanao	Dr. EVA SAN JUAN <i>Region 11</i>
10:00	Visayas	Dr. SOFIA CHUA <i>Region 6</i>
10:20	Luzon	Dr. ANGELICA D. FRANCISCO <i>Region 4A</i>
10:40	NCR	Dr. JACINTO BLAS MANTARING <i>University of the Philippines Manila National Institutes of Health</i>
11:00	Open Forum	
11:20	Synthesis	Dr. MARITA V.T. REYES <i>Co-Chair, Philippine Health Research Ethics Board</i>

Dr. ROSARIO ANGELES T. ALORA
*Member, Philippine Health Research Ethics Board
Moderator*

Capacity Building

Romblon Function Room, 8 August 2012, Wednesday, 9:00AM-12:00Noon

Focal Persons: Ms.Carina L. Rebulanan, Ms. Anicia P. Catameo,
Ms. Sheryl Joyce B.Grijaldo (Documenter), DOST-PCHRD

AM

8:30	Opening Remarks	Ms. CARINA L. REBULANAN Chief, Institution Development Division, PCHRD
8:45	Presentation on "Tool for Assessing Research Capacity: Researchers Research Institutions and Consortium"	Dr. FERNANDO S. SANCHEZ Executive Director Association of Philippine Medical Colleges Foundation, Inc.
9:30	Open Forum	
10:00	Workshop Discussion	
	Group A: Researchers	Dr. REMEDIOS T. HABACON Dean, College of Medicine FEU-NRMF and Chair, IDD-TAG (Facilitator)
	Group B: Research Institutions	Dr. VICENTE Y. BELIZARIO, JR. (Facilitator)
	Group C: Consortium	Dr. ALAN B. FERANIL Director, Office of Population Studies University of San Carlos (Facilitator)
11:00	Group Presentations and Open Forum on Proposed Resolutions	
11:45	Closing Remarks	Dr. JAIME C. MONTOYA Executive Director DOST-PCHRD

Dr. VICENTE Y. BELIZARIO, JR.
Executive Director, National Institutes of Health
University of the Philippines Manila
Moderator

Research Utilization

Leyte Function Room, 8 August 2012, Wednesday, 9:00AM-12:00Noon

Focal Persons: Ms. Ulyann L. Carticiano and Ms. Violeta G. Intia, Mr. Edmon B. Agron (Documenter), DOST-PCHRD

AM

9:00	Introduction	
9:10	Framework on Research Utilization	Dr. JOSE M. ACUIN <i>Chair</i> PNHRS Research Utilization Committee
9:20	Results of Focus Group Discussion, PNHRS 2011 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Research Utilization• Health Research and the Media	Ms. ULLYANN L. CARTICIANO <i>Senior Science Research Specialist</i> DOST-PCHRD
9:30	HERDIN Neon: The National Research Repository	Ms. MA. VIOLETA G. INTIA <i>Senior Science Research Specialist</i> DOST-PCHRD
9:40	Making the Consortium Website Active	Mr. RENANTE G. BAHALA <i>Science Research Specialist II</i> DOST-PCHRD
9:50	Proposed Terms of Reference of RU Study By Region	Ms. ULLYANN L. CARTICIANO <i>Senior Science Research Specialist</i> DOST-PCHRD
10:00	Focus Group Discussion Proper	
11:50	Synthesis	

Dr. JOSE M. ACUIN
Chair
PNHRS Research Utilization Committee
Moderator

Governance and Resource Mobilization

Samar Function Room, 8 August 2012, Wednesday, 9:00AM-12:00Noon

Focal Persons: Mr. Mark A. Tano, Ms. Joan A. Angostora, Ms. Pearl Kathleen C. Tumlos (Documenter), DOST-PCHRD

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9:00	Introduction	
9:10	Opening Remarks	Dr. JUAN MA. PABLO R. NAÑAGAS <i>Medical Director, Asian Eye Institute and Chair, PNHR Structure and Organization, Monitoring and Evaluation (SOME)</i>
9:15	Regional Health Research System Assessment in 2009 and Recommendations	Dr. NOEL R. JUBAN <i>Chair, Department of Clinical Epidemiology, UP Manila</i>
9:30	Focus Group Discussion Proper <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Consortium Self-Assessment• Enabling and Impeding Factors re Consortium Governance and Resource Mobilization• Organizational Improvements	Prof. NINA CASTILLO-CARANDANG <i>University of the Philippines Manila</i>
11:50	Synthesis	

Dr. JUAN MA. PABLO R. NAÑAGAS
Medical Director, Asian Eye Institute and Chair, PNHR Structure and Organization, Monitoring and Evaluation (SOME)

All Regional Health Research Consortia Assembly
Luzon Ballroom, 8 August 2012, Wednesday, 1:00-5:00PM

Facilitator: Prof. Nina Castillo Carandang, SOME
Focal Persons: Mr. Mark A. Tano, Ms. Joan A. Angostora, Ms. Pearl Kathleen C. Tumlos (Documenter), DOST-PCHRD

Report of the Committees

Research, Research Management
Ethics
Capacity Building
Research Utilization
Governance and Resource Mobilization

Reactors

Dr. JAIME C. MONTOYA
Executive Director
Philippine Council for Health Research and
Development
Department of Science and Technology

Dr. MADELEINE R. VALERA
Assistant Secretary
Department of Health

Mr. NAPOLEON B. IMPERIAL
Deputy Executive Director
Commission on Higher Education

Open Forum

Synthesis

Closing Remarks

Dr. VICENTE Y. BELIZARIO, JR.
*Vice Chancellor for Research
and Executive Director*
National Institutes of Health
University of the Philippines Manila

2nd Student Research Competition in Health Science and Technology

Visayas Ballroom, 8 August 2012, Wednesday, 9:00AM-5:00PM

Facilitator: Dr. Ma. Luisa D. Enriquez, De La Salle University

Focal Persons: Mr. Richmond Q. Acosta, Ms. Rachel D. Nadal, Ms. Melissa C. Bulao (Documenter), DOST-PCHRD

Opening Remarks

Dr. MA. LUISA D. ENRIQUEZ
De La Salle University

NCR

1. An Experimental Study on the Antimicrobial Activity of Different Concentrations of Betel (Piper Betel) Extract Against *Shigella dysenteriae*, *Salmonella typhi*, and *Escherichia coli* in vitro

Robert Jeric Ong; Jica Grace Pagdilao; Laura Angela Palisoc; Rey Anthony Palisoc; Art Roo Saberola; Yoopie Setiawan; Rey Christopher Torres; Stephanie Melinda Yonathan, Manila Central University – Filemon D. Tanchoco Medical Foundation, Department of Family and Community Medicine, College of Medicine

2. The Synthesis of CeO₂/TiO₂/PAA Nanoparticles for use with Ultrasound Irradiation in Colon, Breast, and Leukemia Cancer cells in Vitro

Parviz Gomari, BS Physics, De La Salle University, Taft, Manila

REGION 1

3. Knowledge and Adaptive Practices on Climate Change Among Elderly in the First District of Ilocos Sur

Mary Lou A. Giron; Jasmine D. Guzman; Shane V. Lagasca; Phylmarie P. Pajarillo
University of Northern Philippines, Vigan City

REGION 2

4. The Diuretic Effect of *Cymbopogon citratus* (Lemon grass) Decoction in the Urine Output and Sodium and Potassium Levels of the Blood of *Rattus norvegicus* (Sprague Dawley rats)

Bren Janiel B. Baybayan; Rae Laura B. de Leon; Kristine Carla B. Santos; Kristine Loise L. Simangan; Leslie Kyle T. Tuliao, College of Health and Allied Sciences, University of Saint Louis

REGION 3

5. Semi-Empirical Study on the Structural Stability of α - α , α - β , and β - β Furan Block-Pyrrole Copolymer Models

Jenika Lou D. Javier and Ana Paula Catacutan, Tarlac State University, Tarlac City

6. Free radical scavenging activity of ethanol, hexane, and ethyl-acetate extracts from the leaves of maguey (*Agave americana* linn.) using dpph assay

Katrina J. Adajar and Mharpee T. Gonzales, Tarlac State University, Tarlac City

REGION 5

7. Healing effect of *Artemisia vulgaris* leaf extract on experimental excised wound in Female ICR mice

Dr. Antonio G. Canaverall, Bicol University, Polangui Campus

REGION 7

8. Ampalaya (*Momordica charantia* (Descourt.) 10% Ethanol Seed Extract Exhibits Larvicidal Activity Against *Aedes aegypti* (L.) (Diptera: Culicidae) Using Sumilarv® as Control

Alcober E.J., Co ESF, Demeterio VA, Go JDT, Nepomuceno JKL, Ong FCG, Ong ANS, Quiapo GV, and Tan GIB
Cebu Institute of Medicine

REGION 8

9. Effect of taro (*Colocasia esculenta* (L) schott) on the growth of *Lactobacillus acidophilus* in acidophilus milk

REGION 9

10. Commercial hand sanitizers: alcohol content, antibacterial property and clinical efficacy

REGION 10

11. An experimental study on the efficacy of aquatic fern (*Salvinia molesta*) in the treatment of blackwater effluent from a constructed wetland, Cagayan de Oro City

Frances Dale G. Acenas, Lizeal T. Morales, Alessandra Kamille P. Mallari, Cris S. Dedumo, Nafie O. Macarimbang, Sheila Mae P. Trozo, Katherine Ruth S. Beltran, Nasser A. Jawadil, Ethel Yen C. Sison, Ryan Rey L. Zarate
Dr. Jose P. Rizal School of Medicine, Xavier University-Ateneo de Cagayan

REGION 11

12. Phytochemical and Antimicrobial Screenings of Five Medicinal Plants used as Folkloric Medicine by Mindanao an Lumads

Rogelio L. Rivera Jr., Irene – Vie G. Itable, Chrismy Shane M. Daquiado, Judee N. Nogodula
University of the Immaculate Conception

Closing Remarks

Learning Series on Intellectual Property and Technology Commercialization

Panay Function Room, 8 August 2012, Wednesday, 9:00AM-5:00PM

Facilitator: Atty. Ferdie Negre, Licensing Executives Society of the Philippines

Focal Persons: Ms. Roselle L. Martonito, Mr. Vincent H. Tumlos, Ms. Marizen C. Ramos (Documenter), DOST-PCHRD

AM

8:00	Registration	
8:30	Opening Remarks	
8:40	IP Basics	Atty. FERDINAND M. NEGRE Atty. OLIVER P. BACLAY, JR.
	Trademarks Patents and Copyrights	
10:00	Break	
10:20	Intellectual Property Rights Exercise	Atty. FERDINAND M. NEGRE Atty. OLIVER P. BACLAY, JR.
10:40	Open Forum	
11:10	Legal Framework for Technology Transfer and Licensing: Rights, Opportunities, and Privileges of Researchers	Atty. FERDINAND M. NEGRE
11:40	Open Forum	
12:00Noon	Lunch Break	
PM		
1:00	Introduction to Licensing	Atty. DIVINA GRACIA E. PEDRON
1:20	Key Components of Licensing Agreement	Atty. DIVINA GRACIA E. PEDRON
	Technical Component Financial Component	
2:00	Open Forum	
2:20	Licensing Exercise	Atty. DIVINA GRACIA E. PEDRON Atty. FERDINAND M. NEGRE Atty. OLIVER P. BACLAY, JR.
3:00	Preparing an Institutional Policy	Atty. OLIVER P. BACLAY, JR.
3:40	Open forum	
4:00	Closing Remarks	

Writing for Scientific Journals, Part I

Leyte Function Room, 8 August 2012, Wednesday, 1:00-4:30PM

Facilitator: Dr. Jose Florencio Lapeña, Philippine Association of Medical Journal Editors (PAMJE)

Focal Persons : Ms. Meychelle S. Angoy, Ms. Ana Ciaren P. Hipolito,
Ms. Paula Jane B. America (Documenter), DOST-PCHRD

PM

1:00	Overview of PAMJE and the Research Writing Clinic	Professor JOSE FLORENCIO F. LAPEÑA, JR. University of the Philippines Manila College of Medicine <i>President, Philippine Association of Medical Journal Editors (PAMJE)</i> <i>Editor, Philippine Journal of Otolaryngology Head and Neck Surgery</i>
1:15	Subgroup Workshops Introduction Materials & Methods Results & Discussion	Participants and Facilitators
2:30	WORKING COFFEE/TEA BREAK	
2:45	Subgroup Workshops Title and Title Page Abstract and Keywords Acknowledgements Conflict of Interest and Disclosures	Participants and Facilitators
4:00	OPEN FORUM and Synthesis	Professor WILFRED CG PEH <i>Senior Consultant and Head</i> Department of Diagnostic Radiology Khoo Teck Puat Hospital, Singapore <i>Clinical Professor, National University of Singapore</i> <i>President, Singapore Association of Medical Journal Editors (SAMJE)</i> <i>Immediate Past Editor & Advisor, Singapore Medical Journal</i>

e-Health Philippines: Returning to its Original Mission, Community Building in a One-Stop-Shop Portal

Negros Function Room, 8 August 2012, Wednesday, 1:00-4:30PM

Facilitator: Dr. Dennis Batangan, Ateneo De Manila University

Focal Persons: Mr. Vincent H. Tumlos, Mr. Jayson O. Itulid, Mr. Christian Anthony Vios
Mr. Rogelio V. Guaring II (Documenter), DOST-PCHRD

CONFERENCE PROPER
Day 2, Thursday, 9 August 2012, 8:30AM – 1:00PM, Luzon-Visayas Ballrooms

AM		
8:30	Opening of Exhibits: Poster Exhibits (Student, Professional), Consortia Exhibits, Best Mentors Exhibit Focal Person: Ms. Magda P. Manaig, DOST-PCHRD	
9:00	Opening Ceremonies Focal Persons: Ms. Ulyann L. Carticiano, Sabrina Arra P. Elechosa, DOST-PCHRD Dr. Ernesto Balolong, Ms. Victorina J. Miranda, UP Manila	
	Doxology	University of Sto. Tomas
	Philippine National Anthem	University of Sto. Tomas
	Opening Remarks	Dr. JAIME C. MONTOYA Executive Director, PCHRD
	Messages	Secretary MARIO G. MONTEJO Department of Science and Technology Secretary ENRIQUE T. ONA Department of Health Dr. PATRICIA B. LICUANAN <i>Chair, Commission on Higher Education</i> Dr. MANUEL B. AGULTO <i>Chancellor, UP Manila</i>
	Keynote	Dr. CAREL IJSSELMUIDEN <i>Executive Director</i> The Council on Health Research for Development (COHRED) Group Geneva, Switzerland
10:00	B R E A K	
10:30	Plenary I Organizing for Health Research, Models for Health Research Communities	
	Paper Network Organizations: Implementing and Funding A Shared Vision	Dr. PATRICIA DIMANLIG-MANUEL <i>President, Agiliti Solutions</i>
	Discussants	Dr. PATRICIA L. LONTOC <i>Professor, Asian Institute of Management</i> Dr. ALICE G. FERRER <i>Executive Director, Western Visayas Health Research and Development Consortium</i> Dr. MA. LOURDES K. OTAYZA <i>Chair, Regional 1 Health Research and Development Consortium</i>
	Open Forum	

12:00Noon

Lunch

Facilitators: Dr. Cecilia S. Acuin and Dr. Bryan Lim, UP Manila

**Launch of Secretary's Cup and Health
Talk Series**

Health Systems Governance

Dr. ALBERTO G. ROMUALDEZ
President, Culion Foundation, Inc.

Dr. CHARLES Y. YU
*Vice Chancellor for La Sallian Mission
De La Salle Health Sciences Institute
Emcee/Moderator*

PM

1:00

Parallel Sessions

6:00

Fellowship Dinner and Cultural Night
Luzon-Visayas Ballroom

Parallel Session 1.1
Regional Research Presentation Session (Professional Category)
Mindanao/NCR Cluster
Mindanao Ballroom, 9 August 2012, Thursday, 1:00-5:00PM

Focal Persons: Ms. Anicia P. Catameo, Ms. Veronica G. De Leon, Ms. Sheryl Joyce B. Grijaldo, DOST-PCHRD

PM

- 1:00 Registration
- 1:20 Opening/Introduction of Speakers
- FORUM PROPER**
- 1:30 **Pediatrician's Perspectives on Discharge Against Medical Advice (DAMA) Among Pediatric Patients: A Qualitative Study**
Zamboanga City Medical Center
- 1:40 **Molecular Characterization of the *Serrawettin swrW* Gene in Local Strains of the Broad Host-Range Pathogen *Serratia marcescens***
MSU-Iligan Institute of Technology
- 1:50 **Of Mice and Men: Roots and Risk of Atherosclerosis and Implications for Prevention of Coronary Heart Disease**
Mt. View College
- 2:00 **Anti-Glycation Effects of *Asparagus officinalis* as an Adjunct Treatment in Metformin-Treated Individuals with Non-Insulin Dependent Diabetes Mellitus**
Davao Medical School Foundation, Inc.
- 2:10 **Cases of Puerperal Infection vis-à-vis Delivery Practices Among Tausug Women**
Sulu State College
- 2:20 **The -2978C/G Single Nucleotide Polymorphisms of ADAM33 Gene in a Selected Filipino Asthmatic Population**
University of Santo Tomas
- 2:30 **Immunomodulatory and Chemopreventive Properties of Sulphated Polysaccharides from *Sargassum siliquosum* J.G. Agardh**
University of Santo Tomas
- 2:40 **Open Forum**
- 3:40 Giving of Certificates
- 4:00 Closing

Dr. JOSEFINO ALVERO
Vice President
Wexham Medical Resources Inc.
Emcee/Moderator

Parallel Session 1.2
Regional Research Presentation Session (Professional Category)
Luzon/Visayas Cluster

Romblon and Mindoro Rooms, 9 August 2012, Thursday, 1:00-5:00PM

Focal Persons: Ms. Carina L Rebulanan, Ms. Wilma I Santos, Mr. Kevin E Espiritu (Documenter), DOST-PCHRD

PM

- 1:00 Registration
1:20 Opening/Introduction of Speakers

FORUM PROPER

- 1:30 **Kangaroo Mother Care: A Randomized Controlled Trial On Its Effects on Growth and Neonatal Stability For Low Birth Weight Infants \leq 2000 grams In a Tertiary Government Hospital**
Mariano Marcos Memorial Hospital and Medical Center
- 1:45 **Chemical and Anti-tubercular Screening on the Leaves of *Jatropha multifida* Linn**
Tarlac State University
- 2:00 **Development and Validation of the Specific Allergen Immunotherapy Questionnaire (SITQ) as an Instrument to Measure Severity of Symptoms, Medication Use and Quality of Life Among Filipino Patients 12 years old and above, Receiving Specific Allergen Immunotherapy (SIT)**
De La Salle Health Sciences Institute
- 2:15 **Larvicidal Activity of Bark Aqueous Extract of Manunggal (*TINOSPORA CRISPA*) on *Aedes Aegypti***
West Visayas State University
- 2:30 **The Cloning and Expression of Dengue Virus Envelope Protein Domain III in *E. coli***
UP Manila-School of Health Sciences, Palo, Leyte
- 2:45 **Effect of Mosquito Ovicidal/Larvicidal (O/L) Trap System in Reducing Dengue Incidence in Tacloban City**
DOH-CHD 8
- 3:00 **Open Forum**
- 4:00 Giving of Certificates/Closing

Dr. CARMEN TOLABING
Associate Professor
Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics
UP College of Public Health
Emcee/Moderator

Parallel Session 1.3
Session on Research Funding Agreements and Technology Transfer Act of 2009
Panay Function Room, 9 August 2012, Thursday, 1:00-5:00PM

Focal Persons : Dr. Albert P Aquino, DOST-PCAARRD ; Ms. Roselle L Martonito, Ms. Marizen C Ramos, DOST-PCHRD

PM

12:30-1:00	Registration	
1:00- 1:20	Rationale of the Formulation of the DOST IP Policy	Engr. MARIA LOURDES P. ORIJOLA <i>Assistant Secretary and Chair, TWG on DOST IP Policy Formulation</i>
1:20-1:30	Mechanics of the Consultation	Dr. ALBERT P. AQUINO <i>Director, Socio-economics Research Division, PCAARD and Member, DOST IP Policy TWG</i>
1:30-2:00	Presentation of the Enabling Mechanisms	Mr. BERNIE S. JUSTIMBASTE <i>Director, DOST-PES and Chair, Sub-Committee on DOST as Enabler</i>
2:00-2:30	Presentation of the Technology Transfer Protocol	Dr. NUNA E. ALMANZOR <i>Director, ITDI and Chair, Sub-Committee on DOST as Research and Development Institution</i>
2:30- 3:00	Presentation of the Research Funding Agreement	Engr. RAUL C. SABULARSE <i>Deputy Executive Director, PCIEERD and Vice-Chair, Sub-Committee on DOST as Government Funding Institution</i>
3:00-4:30	Open Forum	
4:30-5:00	Next Steps	ASec. MARIA LOURDES P. ORIJOLA <i>Assistant Secretary and Chair, TWG on DOST IP Policy Formulation</i>

Dr. ALBERT P. AQUINO
Director, Socio-economics Research Division, DOST-PCAARD
Moderator

Parallel Session 1.4
Culture of Publishing: Institutional Journals and Accrediting Bodies
Samar Function Room, 9 August 2012, Thursday, 1:00 – 5:00PM

Focal Persons: Dr. W Malitao, CHED; Ms. Violeta G Intia, Ms. Mylene B. Marco, Ms. Arianne A Zamora, DOST-PCHRD

PM

1:30	Opening Remarks	Dr. CATHERINE Q. CASTAÑEDA <i>Director IV, Commission on Higher Education</i>
1:35	Journals Indexed in National Health Research Database (HERDIN)	Ms. MARIA VIOLETA G. INTIA <i>HERDIN Coordinator, DOST-PCHRD</i>
1:45	Development of Academic Journals in Institutions of Higher Learning in the Philippines: The CHED Policy	Dr. ANGEL C. ALACALA <i>Chairman, CHED Journal Accrediting Service</i>
2:00	PANEL DISCUSSION Panelists:	<p>Dr. ALBERTO B. ROXAS <i>President, Association of Philippine Medical Colleges Foundation, Inc.</i></p> <p>Dr. JOSE MA C. AVILA <i>Editor-in-Chief, Acta Medica Philippina</i></p> <p>Mr. ADLAI C. CASTIGADOR <i>Executive Director, Philippine Association of Colleges and Universities Commission on Accreditation</i></p> <p>Dr. SERAFINA L. NGOHAYON <i>President, Accrediting Agency of Chartered Colleges and Universities in the Philippines</i></p>
3:00	OPEN FORUM	

Dr. RAYMOND L. ROSALES
 Editorial Board, Philippine Journal of Neurology
 Philippine Neurological Society
Moderator

Parallel Session 1.5
Writing for Scientific Journals, Part II
Leyte Function Room, 9 August 2012, Thursday, 1:00-5:00PM

Facilitator: Dr. Jose Florencio Lapeña, Philippine Association of Medical Journal Editors (PAMJE)
Focal Persons : Ms. Meychelle S. Angoy, Ms. Ana Ciaren P. Hipolito,
Ms. Paula Jane B. America (Documenter), DOST-PCHRD

PM		
1:30	Parallel Plenary Presentations & Critiques	Participants and Facilitators
2:45	WORKING COFFEE / TEA BREAK	
3:00	Parallel Plenary Presentations & Critiques	Participants and Facilitators
4:15	Synthesis	Professor WILFRED CG PEH
4:30	Closing Remarks	Professor JOSE FLORENCIO F. LAPEÑA, JR.

Day 3, Friday, 10 August 2012
Luzon-Visayas Ballrooms

Focal Persons: Ms. Ulyann L. Carticiano, Mark A. Tano, Ana Ciaren P. Hipolito, DOST-PCHRD

AM 8:00	Data Sharing for Health Research	Dr. MANJU RANI <i>Senior Technical Officer (Health Research Policy), Western Pacific Regional Office</i> World Health Organization
8:30	Plenary II Investing in Health Research: Public-Private Sector Partnership in Health Research	
	Moderator: Dr. RAMON P. PATERNO <i>Professor, University of the Philippines Manila</i>	
	Papers	
	Leveraging Government Resources for Health Research	ASec. LUZ M. CANTOR <i>Asst. Secretary for Operations</i> Department of Budget and Management
	Legislation in Aid of Securing Sustainable Funding for Health Research	Senator EDGARDO J. ANGARA Philippine Senate
	Discussants	Dr. TEODORO J. HERBOSA <i>Undersecretary, Department of Health</i>
		Dr. FRANCIS Z. GOMEZ <i>CEO and President</i> New Marketlink Pharmaceutical Corporation
		Dr. CAREL IJSSELMUIDEN <i>Executive Director</i> The COHRED Group – Geneva
	Open Forum	
10:00	Break	
10:15	Announcements	
	A Functioning Human Protection System, Continuing Philippine Initiatives	Dr. SUZETTE H. LAZO <i>Former FDA Director</i>
	Philippine Health Research Registry	

**Poster Exhibit Contest
(Professional Category)**

REGION 1

Anti-inflammatory, Analgesic and Antipyretic Properties of *Swietenia mahogany* leaves extract

Jimmy Guisdan Catanes, R.Ph.

Virgen Milagrosa University Foundation

REGION 2

Magic soy: Soybean Custard as a Remedy for High Cholesterol Levels

Therese Katrina M. Hamlig

University of Saint Louis Tuguegarao

Comparative Analysis of the Determinants of Schistosomiasis

Dr. Julius Capili

DOH 2

Cagayan State University

REGION 3

Implementation Of Health Care Waste Segregation Among Government Hospitals In Zambales

Mabel Rialubin Eballo, RN., RM., MAN, Domingo C. Edano, Ed. D.

Ramon Magsaysay Technological University (RMTU)

REGION 4A

Antibacterial and Antifungal Properties of Ent-kaurenoic Acid from *Smallanthus sonchifolius*

Eleanor P. Padla1, Ludivina T. Solis, Chien-Chang Shen and Consolacion Y. Ragasa

De La Salle Health Sciences Institute, National Research Institute of Chinese Medicine, De La Salle University Manila

REGION 4B

The Efficacy of *Ixora coccinea* Stem and Leaves as Anti-Inflammatory Agent in the Healing of Open Wound

Anafarina J. Lanot, RN, Alice Joy M. Aquino RN, Marvin P. Plata, RN, RM

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REGION 5

Care Of The Elderly In Balongay Community: An Assessment On Holistic Approach Towards Healthy Aging

Maria Ana Chan and Elma Peralta

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REGION 6

LEAD IN INFUSIONS OF HERBAL TEA PRODUCED IN THE PHILIPPINES

Ma.Victoria C. Villareal, MD and Ma.Pilar Charmaine S. Malata, MS, MPH

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REGION 7

Time Dependent Wound Healing Activity of Soy Sauce vs. Nitrofurazone Ointment on Full Thickness Wounds of Health Albino Mice: An Upgrade Study to the Periwinkle RCT

Dr. Henry David Dimaano

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REGION 8

Effects of Different Types of Milk Fat Globule Membrane Materials on the Physical and Rheological Characteristics of Set Yoghurts

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REGION 11

Inhibition of Angiotensin I-Converting Enzyme (ACE) by Indigenous Fermented Foods

Dulce M. Flores, Kristine Mae Y. Abao, Mitchell Rey M. Toleco

University of the Philippines Mindanao, University of the Philippines Diliman

Microbiological Quality of Selected Street Foods from Restricted Areas of Davao City, Philippines

Anthony C. Sales, Dietmar Speckmaier, Jane Roldan, Ann Yngete

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REGION 12

Parents' Childrearing Practices: Their Relation To Child's Academic Performance

Jose C. Dagoc Jr., RN, MAN

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ARMM

Individual ethnobotanical knowledge on medicinal plants: a case study of the Meranaos in Barangay Ambari, Pagayawan, Lanao del Sur

Carmelita Garcia Hansel and Norjanah Mambering

Mindanao State University, Marawi

CARAGA

Schistosomiasis and Soil-transmitted Helminth Infections in the Lake Mainit Area: An Opportunity for an Integrated Helminth Control Program

Dr. Cesar C. Cassion

Department of Health – Center for Health Development - Caraga

NCR

Fungal Endophytes from Philippine Mangroves: The Search for Promising, Biologically Active Secondary Metabolites

Llewelyn S. Moron, Anthony T. Buaya and Thomas Edison E. dela Cruz

University of Santo Tomas

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ORAL PRESENTATION

NCR

1. **An Experimental Study on the Antimicrobial Activity of Different Concentrations of Betel (*Piper Betel*) Extract Against *Shigella dysenteriae*, *Salmonella typhi*, and *Escherichia coli* in vitro**

Robert Jeric Ong; Jica Grace Pagdilao; Laura Angela Palisoc; Rey Anthony Palisoc; Art Roo Saberola; Yoopie Sefiawan; Rey Christopher Torres; Stephanie Melinda Yonathan
Manila Central University – Filemon D. Tanchoco Medical Foundation
Department of Family and Community Medicine, College of Medicine

2. **The Synthesis of CeO₂/TiO₂/PAA Nanoparticles for use with Ultrasound Irradiation in Colon, Breast, and Leukemia Cancer cells in Vitro**

Parviz Gomari
BS Physics
De La Salle University, Taft, Manila

REGION 1

3. **Knowledge and Adaptive Practices on Climate Change Among Elderly in the First District of Ilocos Sur**

Mary Lou A. Giron; Jasmine D. Guzman; Shane V. Lagasca; Phylmarie P. Pajarillo
University of Northern Philippines, Vigan City

REGION 2

4. **The Diuretic Effect of *Cymbopogon citratus* (Lemon grass) Decoction in the Urine Output and Sodium and Potassium Levels of the Blood of *Rattus norvegicus* (Sprague Dawley rats)**

Bren Janiel B. Baybayan; Rae Laura B. de Leon; Kristine Carla B. Santos; Kristine Loise L. Simangan; Leslie Kyle T. Tuliao
College of Health and Allied Sciences, University of Saint Louis

REGION 3

5. **Semi-Empirical Study on the Structural Stability of α - α , α - β , and β - β Furan Block-Pyrrole Copolymer Models**

Jenika Lou D. Javier and Ana Paula Catacutan
Tarlac State University, Tarlac City

6. **Free radical scavenging activity of ethanol, hexane, and ethyl-acetate extracts from the leaves of maguey (*Agave americana* linn.) using dpph assay**

Katrina J. Adajar and Mharpee T. Gonzales
Tarlac State University, Tarlac City

REGION 5

7. **Healing effect of *Artemisia vulgaris* leaf extract on experimental excised wound in Female ICR mice**

Dr. Antonio G. Canaverl
Bicol University, Polangui Campus

REGION 7

8. **Ampalaya (*Momordica charantia* (Descourt.) 10% Ethanol Seed Extract Exhibits Larvicidal Activity Against *Aedes aegypti* (L.) (Diptera: Culicidae) Using Sumilarv® as Control**

Alcober EJJ, Co ESF, Demeterio VA, Go JDT, Nepomuceno JKL, Ong FCG, Ong ANS, Quiapo GV, and Tan GIB
Cebu Institute of Medicine

REGION 8

9. **Effect of taro (*Colocasia esculenta* (L) Schott) on the growth of *Lactobacillus acidophilus* in acidophilus milk**

REGION 9

10. **Commercial hand sanitizers: alcohol content, antibacterial property and clinical efficacy**

REGION 10

11. **An experimental study on the efficacy of aquatic fern (*Salvinia molesta*) in the treatment of blackwater effluent from a constructed wetland, Cagayan de Oro City**

Frances Dale G. Acenas, Liezel T. Morales, Alessandra Kamille P. Mallari, Cris S. Dedumo, Nafie O. Macarimbang, Sheila Mae P. Trozo, Katherine Ruth S. Beltran, Nasser A. Jawadil, Ethel Yen C. Sison, Ryan Rey L. Zarate

Dr. Jose P. Rizal School of Medicine, Xavier University-Ateneo de Cagayan

REGION 11

12. **Phytochemical and Antimicrobial Screenings of Five Medicinal Plants used as Folkloric Medicine by Mindanaoan Lumads**

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POSTER**

NCR

1. **Antimicrobial Activity Evaluation of the Fruiting Bodies of Selected Edible Mushrooms in the Philippines**

Campos, Princess Erika A.; Coronado, Irrah R.; Estor, Renz R.; Gascon, Rizza Mae O.; Velasco, Gillian O.
Adamson University

2. **Quantifying Exercise Intensity of Nintendo® WiiTM Sports: Boxing and Tennis in Healthy Sedentary Individuals aged 18 – 25**

Peralta, Michael Jorge N.; Sanders, Emily M.; Almonte, Glynis Grace S.; Cordovez, Dennis C.; Ismael, Kimberly K.; Laxamana, Francis Exequiel M.; Macasaet, Diana D.; Rocha, Dana Angel G.; and Zuniga, Patrick Jhon M.
University of Santo Tomas – College of Rehabilitation Sciences

REGION 1

3. **Acute Respiratory Infection Management Among Barangay Health Workers in Pangasinan**

Gabat, Miriam Lee S., Ocon, Ruvie Ann C., Alfonso, Jenica Mae B., Cagunot, Joanna Corriene A., Castro, Alberta Alrienne M., Decano, Cindy P., Lasquife, Jennifer D., Rosario, Fedelyn P., Sayson, Suzanne R., Yadao, Jay Mark B. Jimmy G. Catanes, RPh, MPH, MDM-PM
Virgen Milagrosa University Foundation College of Nursing

4. **In-Vitro Dissolution Profile Comparisons of Selected Multisource Amlodipine Besylate**

Briones, Sherri May A., Embisan, Heidi F. Fortif, Luisa L., Patayan, Magilyn M. Raguindin, Rachele Joy R., Tamayo, Vanessa
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5. **Water quality of barangay quintong San Carlos City, Pangasinan**

Joella M. Estrada; Mark Zeus G. Abalos; Hans Christian B. Beltran; Sarah Marie A. Calpatura ; Lea Beth A. De Mayo; Sahara Joy DC. Gundayao; Ronald M. Mates; Richel D. Primero; Shenee U. Santillan; Joynah Zyrach H. Valdez
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REGION 2

6. **Rotational shiftwork: its effect to student nurses' health and attitude towards work**

Jerilyn J. Andres; Dianne B. Aglado; Regelyn M. Busto; April Alyson C. Garduque; Fritzel Cates C. Gaston; Leonides Ramonette C. Israel; Ma. Rosario A. Rivera; Ma. Jerica Niña L. Sera; Kendy A. Sibal
College of Health and Allied Sciences, University of Saint Louis, Tuguegarao City

7. **Clinical performance and patient satisfaction on the care rendered by nursing students**

Charmagne Faye Migue; Chressie Anne Ortiz; Dazel Villanueva; Janine Cassandra Romero; Joanna Carla Mei Pasiola; Nikki Joy Dela Cruz; Rowena Lonogan; Ruby Joyce Martinez
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REGION 3

8. **A Determination of the Presence of Heavy Metals in Selected Herbal Plants Procured in Quiapo, Manila vis-a-vis their Toxic Effects To Cells Using Brine Shrimp Bio-Assay**

Alfred G. Jones III, Rey Kevin Q. Garcia, MD1-A3
Angeles University Foundation, Department of Biochemistry, Mac Arthur Hi-way, Angeles City

9. **A Cross-sectional Study on the Association of the Socio-demographic status and Lifestyle Practices with the Level of Cognitive Functioning Among the Senior Citizens of Angeles City, Philippines**

Paul Emmanuel L. Yambao and the Members of Physiology Groups 3, Class of 2014

Angeles University Foundation, Mc Arthur Hi-way, Angeles City

10. **Bioassay-guided fractionation and identification of terpenoid compounds from sesbania glandiflora as hypoglycemic agent**

John Micah Gabriel

Nueva Ecija University of Science and Technology, General Tinio Street, Cabantuan City

REGION 4

11. **Acceptability of herbal medicine by residents of barangay San Agustin, Trece Martires City, Cavite**

Elnard J. Advincula, Maria Grace P. Ismael, Jonton Chard I. Lubigan, Kenneth Allen S. Marges

College of Medical Radiation Technology, De La Salle Health Sciences Institute

12. **Knowledge on breast cancer, attitude on and practice of breast self-examination among women residents of Binakayan, Kawit, Cavite**

Ashley Jayne C. Cajigas, Allen June R. Panganiban, Jude Matthew U. Penado, Therese P. Silva

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REGION 5

13. **Teratogenicity of cassava root extract using duck embryo assay**

Francis Ian B. Roces

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REGION 7

14. **Bacteriologic Quality of Drinking Water Dispensed From Water Vending Machines Within a Five Hundred-Meter Radius from the Cebu Velez General Hospital (CVGH): "A Clear and Present Danger"**

Blanco LN, Kong OR, Melicor A, Montecillo NJ, Palma HR, Paradiang MT, Rada OA, Remedio RA, and Tubungbanua T

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REGION 8

15. **Brassica rapa var. chinensis (Petsay) Has a Diuretic Activity in Albino Mice**

Aicy L. Depositario, Jeff Adrian L. Vitor, Hazel S. Paquera, Juliet Crissel D. Salayo, Jennifer M. Puno and Antonio E. Lim

Pharmacy Department and Medical Laboratory Science Department, St. Scholastica's College, Tacloban

16. **Production and flavor enhancement of poi**

Aldrin Abiera Aldamia

17. **Perceptions of hepatitis b virus infected students of naval state university on the disease: basis for an intervention scheme Naval, Biliran**

Arrogante, Joselito, Cabingas, Mary Jane, Dacdac, Daryll, Nedruda, Jessa Anne

Naval State University, Naval, Biliran, Philippines

REGION 9

18. **Health promotion practices in motels, lodging houses, pension houses and inns in Zamboanga City**

Faizar Kulan

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REGION 10

19. **Detection of potential pneumonia-causing bacteria found in nebulizers in two hospitals in Iligan City: some implications on infection control**

Blaisel Mae Q. Baguio, Aimee Grace C. Gemelo, Ezzel Marco P. Vega, Gloria Sheila E. Coyoca, RN, MAN, Faith B. Amorado, Bernie A. Casera, RN, MAN, Vincent G. Tabil, RN, MAN

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REGION 11

20. **The Water Formulation of *Cucumis sativus* (Cucumber) Peel Extract as an Antihyperglycemic Agent**

Baay, Venus H., Uy, Oliver James Y., Caniban, Jallie T., Macapendeg, Sittie Amirah A., Rimpos, Love Lyn C., Inutan, Michelle D., Prof. Fatima May R. Tesoro

MS Pharm, San Pedro College

21. **Optimization of Pectin Extraction from the Peels of *Citrus microcarpa* (Kalamansi) and Proximate Analysis of the Residue for Selected Parameters**

Michael A. Casas

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Panay Room, 9 August 2012, 11:00AM-1:00PM

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- Health Technology Development
- Health Financing
- Health Service Delivery
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Regional Health Research System

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