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Significant Undertakings of Field Health Services

“PasaDOH ba ang DATA natin”? Part IV

March 11-13, 2014

Provincial Health Office, Ilagan City—Focusing mainly on Maternal, Newborn, Child Health and Nutrition (MNCHN) and Family Planning Programs of the Department of Health, the four(4) PHO Technical teams in partnership with USAID-LuzonHealth continue to implement the simultaneous conduct of Data Quality Check (DQC), a three-day workshop which aims to generate valid and sound data to determine public health priorities.

Now on its 4th week of execution, this endeavor covered four municipalities namely, Sta. Maria, Tumauni, Roxas and San Manuel where Rural Health Unit personnel keenly participated. Using different forms such as Target Client List, Summary Table, Monthly Consolidation Tables and Monthly Form; all of which make up the Field Health Service Information System (FHSIS), were accurately reviewed by the four teams.

With the advent of this initiative, it is expected to contribute towards the attainment of Millennium Development Goal 5 on Improvement of Maternal Health to be achieved by 2015. It is strongly endorsed that standards of Data Quality Check be institutionalized in every RHU.



Ms. Bagaoisan and Ms. Pardo, both from PHO join the RHU staff of San Manuel as they review the forms.

Sta. Maria



Ms. delos Santos and Ms. Rabina from PHO guide the health workers of RHU-Sta. Maria as they appraise their Target Client Lists.



PHO staff gather together to tackle some issues regarding the recording and reporting system



PHO Staff together with LuzonHealth and NDPs of Aurora assist the midwives during the Data Quality Check

“Ideal Feeding Practices for Infants”

March 10-14, 2014

Provincial Capitol Food Court Training Hall, Ilagan City –Under the mandates of Universal Health Care for all Filipinos by the DOH, National Nutrition Council Region 2, in close partnership with the Provincial Government through the PHO paved the way for another batch of training intended for frontline health workers - barangay health workers, barangay nutrition scholars and parent leaders from three municipalities- Alicia, Sto.Tomas and Cabatuan.

Entitled, ***“Promote Good Nutrition and Infant and Young Child Feeding Training ”***, this training aims to capacitate the participants with necessary knowledge, proper counseling skills and behaviors on appropriate feeding methods on infants from birth until the first two years of life. The 5-day workshop involves interactive strategies eliciting considerable amount of involvement from the participants such as role-plays, fun games and actual demonstration on food preparation suitable for specific age groups.

To have an atmosphere of the fun and excitement from the 80 participants, glance at this exciting photos!



Sto.Tomas Group



Cabatuan Group



Alicia Group



Participants during the discussion on the importance of breastfeeding



Participants are divided into 6 Groups: Working in groups makes teaching more interactive. participatory.



The participants organize their expectations and ideas for posting on the board.



Pledge of commitment on the promotion of vegetable consumption among infants and children in the community.



Ms. Henedina S. Cabrera from PHO lectures on the Vegetable Syllabus.



Ms. Nario , one of the trainors from PHO conveys sessions 2 and 3 on IYCF module while the participants attentively listen.



Ms. Edna Beltran and Zel, facilitators of Sto. Tomas participate in the role plays.



Dr. Marichu Manlongat delivers the lecture on “Overview on Mother to Child Transmission (MTCT) of HIV and Infant Feeding”



Ms. Mitzi Caramat lectures on “Listening and Learning Skills and Building Confidence and Giving Support Skills”.



Participatory activity on Pabasasa Nutrition- Market Game and Nutri Puzzle

“Acts of Charity for Isabeleños”

March 14,2014

Provincial Health Office, Ilagan City, Isabela- The Office of the Vice-President(OVP), Hon. Jejomar Binay spearheaded a **Medical-Dental Mission** where teams of competent doctors, nurses, midwives and volunteer individuals rendered unselfishly health services for indigent families in our beloved province.

This noble undertaking was embraced by the Provincial Government wherein through the Provincial Health Office, its health workers pooled their efforts together to help the team in handling patients with varied medical needs. It was held simultaneously in five specific municipalities - Gamu, Luna, Naguilian, Benito Soliven and Reina Mercedes. Aside from medical and dental consultations, financial assistance for chemotherapy and dialysis was also received by indigent patients.

It was a day made in heaven since all patients were showered with blessings in the form of medicines, gentle support and expert health services from the combined enthusiasm of the great directors-Hon. Jejomar C. Binay, Hon. Bojie G.Dy,III and Hon. Tonypet T. Albano!

Reina Mercedes:741 patients attended



The Medical/Dental Mission of Office of the Vice-President Jejomar Binay with the volunteer doctors, nurses, midwives and barangay health workers at Reina Mercedes. Isabela



Medical (403 patients) and Dental Extractions (112 patients) with the Volunteer Doctors - Dr. Joven Javier from the Office of the Vice President and Dr. Arsen Benozza from PHO



Mr. Jake Baccay of IPHO with the RHU Staff assist in the giving of free Medicines and Eye Glasses to the indigents of Reina Mercedes during the OVP Medical/ Dental Mission



Drs. Rita Mariano and Arlene Lazaro of the Provincial health office during the OVP Medical/Dental Mission

Gamu, Isabela



Dr. Marichu Manlongat of IPHO attends to medical patients.



Dr. Myrna Loy Corcoro of Mabini, Gamu examines a patient



Medical and Dental Mission sponsored by the office of the Vice President Jejomar C. Binay in cooperation of LGU Gamu, IPHO, Alpha Phi Omega and 1BAP Party List.



At the registration area with the staff of RHU Gamu. A total of 602 patients were given free Health Services: Medical-345, Dental-151, Ophtha-106.



Hon. Nestor Uy, Mayor of Gamu discusses the details of the activities with Dr. Michael Alan Hernandez, coordinator of the VP Binay team.



Dentists from the VP Binay team as they conduct the dental services.



At the waiting area where clients patiently line-up to wait for their turns.



Ms. Arlene Martinez of IPHO takes vital signs of patient.



Dr. Michael Alan Hernandez assists an elderly client in eye screening where free reading glasses are provided.

Benito Soliven



Dr. Guillermo, Chief of Hospital of San Mariano Community Hospital interviews a patient while other dentists from the VP Binay Team perform dental care.

Naguilian, Isabela



Dr. Arlene Lazaro, PHO I and Engr. Noriega both from PHO, together with VP Binay Health Team serve the medical needs of Isabeleños.

“Shy Away from Teenage Crisis, Lead the Way for Teenage Campaign” continues
March 14 & 18,2014

Tumauini National High School
March 14, 2014

Tumauini,Isabela - With the theme ***“True Love Waits.....Ang Pag-aaral ay para sa Hinaharap, Huwag Ipagpalit sa Sandaling Sarap. TOGA MUNA BAGO TRAHE DE BODA”***, the IPHO-FHS team headed by Dr. Janet Mamaradlo had their advocacy on Teenage Pregnancy last March 14, 2014 at Tumauini Gymnasium with 1,106 participants. The activity was graced by the Dr. Rosa Rita B. Mariano, Provincial Health Officer II and Dr. Arlene M. Lazaro, Provincial Health Officer I.

The speakers discussed their topics enthusiastically since the youth play a critical role in shaping the country’s future towards progress and development. The presence of our partners in the Local Government Unit (LGU) with Dr. Maria Lisa Dauigoy-Municipal Health Officer, Dr. Mary Angeli Capili- Doctors to the Barrio, Ms. Lorlei B. Pua- Municipal Administrator and Minerva Manangan - POPCOM Officer was a manifestation of their support in the activity.



PHO team while they lecture on the different topics on Adolescent Health and Youth Development (AHYD) focusing on Teenage Pregnancy at Tumauini Community Center.



Distribution of IEC materials like fans and leaflets to the 1,100 students of Tumauini National High School.

Roxas, Isabela - Roxas National High School
March 18, 2014



Adolescent Health and Youth Development Advocacy at Roxas National High School on March 18, 2014.



The PHO Team delivers it all during the last batch of the Teenage pregnancy Advocacy for 1000 students of Roxas National High School.

“ HandogPagmamahal para sa mga Isabeleños”
March 18,2014

Naguillan, Isabela-The third phase of the Farmers’ Congress-Medical and Dental Mission held at Brgy. Roxas, Naguilian, Isabela. The medical care aimed to deliver to Isabeleños at the barangay was made possible by the leadership of Gov. Faustino G. Dy III and Vice Gov. Antonio T. Albano through the Provincial Health Office headed by Dr. Rosa Rita B. Mariano. The LGU Naguilian under the administration of Mayor Edgar Capuchino was very appreciative of the services given.



Gov.Faustino G. DyIII withNaguilian Mayor Edgar Capuchino arriving at the program venue.



Provincial Administrator Atty. Noel Manuel R. Lopez during the Medical and Dental Services.



Dr. Rosa Rita B. Mariano, Provincial Health Officer II and Dr. Filemon Donato, PHO I and Chief of Hospital of GFNDSMH, personally attend to the patients in the medical mission.



Dr. Elena Buduan and Dr. ArsenBenzoza of FHS and Dr. Charisa Berin and Dr. Aurora Almeda of GFNDYSMH render dental services. GFNDYSMH Blood Bank Team performs blood extraction.