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# Newsletter

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# Samsung Sono School Officially Opens



ognizant of the high Samsung Electronics Corporation Ltd. Philippines decided to donate more than Php 18 M to the Philippine General Hospital through the PGH Medical Foundation, Inc. establish the Samsung Sono School at the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology. The project will provide the ultrasonic diagnostic training equipment that will be used for the training of medical and paramedical workers, as well as the renovation of the Honoria Acosta-Sison Conference Room of the department which will be the venue for these trainings. The opening and blessing of the School was held last June 24, 2014. The affair was attended by officials Officials.

ognizant of the high prevalence of maternal and fetal mortality rates in the Asean region, Samsung International, through International, through International, Awarding of Plaque of Appreciation to Samsung Officials

(L to R) Mr. Chung Lyong Lee -President Samsung Philippines, Dr. Edward Tordesillas-President PGH Medical Foundation, Dr. Greg Alvior-Chairman PGH Medical Foundation, Mr. Soo-in Cho-President, Health & Equipment Business-Samsung Electronics-South Korea, Dr. Blanca De-Guia Fuerte -PGH OB-Gyne Chair, Dr. Lourdes Capito-PGH Deputy Director for Health Operations, Mme. Lolita Mirpuri -Corporate Secretary PGH Medical Foundation, Dr. Dione Suter-Executive Director PGH Medical Foundation, Dr. Ernesto Uichanco -PGH OB-Gyne Department Vice-Chair for Administration



of Samsung International, Samsung (L-R) Mr. Soo-in Cho-President Health & Equipment Business-Samsung Electronics- South Korea, Philippines, Officers of the PGH Dr. Edward Tordesillas- President PGH Medical Foundation, Dr. Blanca De-Guia Fuerte-PGH OB-Gyne Medical Foundation, Inc and PGH Department Chair, Dr. Lourdes Capito- PGH Deputy Director for Health Operations, Mr. Chung Lyong Lee-President Samsung Philippines

#### From the President...

## THE WIND BENEATH OUR WINGS

A NEW MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES



As we look back....

YEAR 2014 IS A GOOD YEAR FOR PGHMFI....

The year 2014 was truly productive and eventful for the PGHMFI. The Lord has granted many of our wishes and guided many donors to the foundation to share their blessings to the indigent patients of PGH. We simply are amazed as to how our donors find their way to the doorstep of the PGHMFI at the heritage old Nurses Home. They are walk-in donors, big or small, with their cash and checks for donation to our charity kitty. These are donors within Metro Manila and a good number come from other provinces too. They are individual and corporate donors who have a heart for the poor patients of PGH.

We are impressed on how social media contributed to the PGHMFI image awareness. The PGHMFI website and Facebook sites contributed greatly to the dissemination and communication process of our activities and updates. The social media has enticed many donors from the USA. Europe and Asian neighbour countries. Exchange of ideas, response to inquiries prospective donors came in fast and easy due to the wonders of wi-fi and internet.

To name a few of the successful ventures of PGHMFI are the Art Auction held last April 2014 at the Manila Polo Club and the Concert for a Cause at the Hard Rock Cafe last November 2014 which contributed to the Charity Patients Fund. This fund sustains the daily needs of the charity patients. Big donors also came-in as the multi-million Samsung Sono School for the OB-Gyne Department. Miss World Philippines, in collaboration with Sta. Elena Construction & Development Corporation donated the construction of the Pediatric Hematology-Oncology Ward. A number of equipment donations were provided by anonymous donors from the UK and Singapore and the Megaworld Foundation.

I would like to invite our donors, sponsors, patrons and friends to visit and like our Facebook page and website so that they will be updated and inspired to contribute and share more of their blessings to the PGHMFI. Sharing means more blessings. We at the foundation pray that our donors and benefactors will continue to help the PGH charity patients.

As we bid 2014 goodbye, we look forward to more of the Lord's blessings, for a bountiful and successful 2015. Again to our dear benefactors and donors ...thank you so much for all your help. Of course let me thank the Executive Officers, Board of Trustees, Members and our Staff for all their untiring efforts and support for a wonderful year. In behalf of the PGHMFI, allow me to express our sincere appreciation to the UP Manila and PGH Administration for their unwavering support.

2014 was a good year and we look forward to a better 2015

Cheers... God bless us all!

Edward C. Tordeşillaş, MD President



Former Representative Annie Rosa Susano of the 13th & 14th Congress (2004-2007) (2007-2010), joined the government service neither for fame nor fortune but to serve. Her goal in life as she puts it is: "To

live, to learn, to love, and to leave a legacy for her country and God".

While in Congress, she was a strong advocate for the welfare of her countrymen when she sponsored and actively participated in the deliberation of bills in support of these. She was one of the proponents in the granting of pension for our World War II veterans. She was Vice-Chair of the Committees on Housing and Urban Development, and of Public Order and Safety; membership in the Committee on Education, and other similar social legislations. Her Vice Chairmanship in the Committee on Ecology made her an active and significant member of the Joint Oversight Forum on the "Clean Air Act." For these accomplishments she was honored and awarded as 1 of 30 Most Outstanding Legislators from 2005-2006. She likewise, shares her strong support to her life's commitment.

To successfully fulfill these responsibilities, she prepared herself academically by attending a post graduate course in "Leadership and Development: Managing Political and Economic Reforms ", at the John F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University in Cambridge, Massachusetts, USA. She complimented this training by attending likewise, a program on "Development Legislation at the UP Center for Local and Regional Governance-National College of Public Administration and Governance, and also the Graduate School of Business Professional Manager's Program at the Ateneo de Manila University. As an added feather in her cap she was recently appointed Governor of the Philippine Constitution Association and a Director of the Philippine National Red Cross.

Congresswoman Annie's involvement with the PGH Medical Foundation, Inc. as a member of its Board of Trustees did not come as a surprise as she has consistently expressed and showed her strong love for her fellowmen through her generosity and humility especially for the marginalized - the values she has acquired from her mother whom she has continued to emulate.



# Hema-Oncology Project Groundbreaking



The Groundbreaking Ceremony of Hema-Oncology Project (L-R) Dr. Juliet Sio-Aguilar-PGH Pediatric Department Chair, Mme. Lolita Escobar-Mirpuri-Corporate Secretary PGH Medical Foundation, Ms. Cory Quirino-Chairman & CEO of Global Quest Inc., Ms. Alice Eduardo-CEO of Sta. Elena Construction & Development Corporation, Ms. Megan Young-Miss World 2013, Dr. Greg Alvior-Chairman PGHMFI, Dr. Lourdes Capito-PGH Deputy Director for Health Operations, Dr. Edward Tordesillas-PGHMFI President



MOA Signing of Hema-Oncology Project (L-R) Dr. Juliet Sio-Aguilar-PGH Pediatric Department Chair, Dr. Lourdes Capito -PGH Deputy Director for Health Operations, Cory Quirino-Chairman & CEO of Global Quest Inc., Ms. Megan Young-Miss World 2013, Ms. Alice Eduardo-CEO of Sta. Elena Construction & Development CorporationDr. Greg Alvior Chairman -PGHMFI, Dr. Edward Tordesillas PGHMFI President

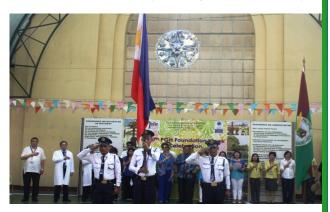
The groundbreaking and signing of the Pediatrics Hematology and Oncology Project was held last June 27, 2014. This project was made possible through the joint efforts of PGHMFI, Miss World Philippines as represented by Ms. Cory Quirino, a member of its Board of Trustees, who is likewise Chair & CEO of CQ Global Quest Inc. and the Sta. Elena Corporation headed by its CEO Ms. Alice Eduardo.

The occasion was attended by the officers of Sta. Elena Corporation, the Chair person of the PGH Pediatrics Department and PGH Medical Foundation officers. It was graced by the presence of Megan Young, Miss World 2013.



Coronation of Miss World Philippines 2014
PGHMFI has been a beneficiary of Miss. World —
Philippines since 2010. Taken during the coronation of
Miss World-Philippines 2014, Seated L-R: Mr. Arnold
Vegafria, Ms. Cory Quirino, Ms. Megan YoungMs.World 2013, Standing (L-R) Amb. Thomas
Ossowski-Embassy of the Federal Republic of
Germany; Mme. Lolita Escobar-Mirpuri,-PGHMFI
Corporate Secretary, Mrs. Victoria Young, Dr. Greg
Alvior— PGHMFI Chair, Cong. Annie Susano,
Member Board of Trustees, Dr. Edward TordesillasPGHMFI President

# PGH Medical Foundation Leads Monday Flag Ceremony



Sharing UP PGH's Vision of Love of Country and Service to Fellowmen, the officers of the PGH Medical Foundation Inc., led the August 18, 2014 Flag Ceremony at the PGH Atrium.

#### **NOTICE TO OUR DONORS & THE PUBLIC**

The project "I AM PGH" is no longer a project of the PGH Medical Foundation, Inc.

Mr. **JB Baylon** is no longer connected with PGH Medical Foundation Inc.

Donations to the Philippine General Hospital thru the PGH Medical Foundation may be deposited directly to the following bank accounts:

1. BPI acct no. 8291-0060-36 2. PNB acct no. 3849-1100-0024 3. BDO acct no. 0024-1007-1569

Donors may send the deposit slip through facsimile transmission at 536-2874 or by email (scanned copy) to this address pghmfil997@gmail.com.

Pick up of check donation could be arranged directly with the Foundation thru the following phone numbers: 567-4272 or 554-8400 loc.3061 or 09228317470. Contact persons are: Ms. Gloria Rio and Mr. Vic Zoleta. The Foundation will send the Official Receipt and acknowledgement of your donation.

#### Concert for a Cause at Hard Rock Café



The 70's Superband performing during the event.



Dr. Edward C. Tordesillas - PGHMFI President (2nd from right) with the Concert Sponsor Representatives and Mr. Nonoy Tan (3rd from the right) of The 70's Superband.



Concert Sponsors (L-R) Mr. Paco Magsaysay of Carmen's Best, Ms. Joy Lim of Fix n' Berries Yogurt and her friend and Ms. Linda Cambia -PGHMFI Member

The PGH Medical Foundation, Inc., launched another fund-raising project— "Alay sa PGH Concert" held on November 27, 2014 at the Hard Rock Café, in Glorietta, Makati City. It featured the 70's Superband. The proceeds of this project will accrue to the Charity Patients Medical Fund.

# **Charity Patients Medical Assistance Program**

#### Last Quarter 2014

 Internal Medicine
 335,240.40

 Ophthalmology
 185,959.25

 Surgery
 110,671.68

 OB-Gynecology
 78,876.40

 Pediatrics
 47,205.00

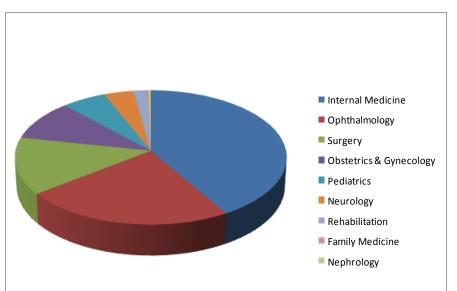
 Neurology
 31,447.00

Rehabilitation - 13,092.50

Family Medicine - 2,654.75

Nephrology - 2,425.00

Php 807,571.98



The chart shows the assistance given by the PGHMFI through its Charity Patients Medical Fund to the various department during the last quarter of 2014. The assistance to the patients in the form of medicines and diagnostic procedures.

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# PGH Departments receive various equipment thru PGHMFI

### **Department of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences**



Turnover of the Cautery Machine (L-R) Dr. Christine Singuan-Bell -Chief Resident of PGH Dept. of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences, Mrs. Agnes Essem Perez-PGHMFI Treasurer, Dr. Edward C. Tordesillas- PGHMFI President, Dr. Greg Alvior- PGHMFI Chair- donate said equipment to the PGH Department of man, Ms. Cecilia Maria Latini -Audit Manager, Mme. Lolita Escobar-Mirpuri - PGHMFI Corporate Secretary, Ms. Giselle Marie Robles- Executive Project Assistant, Dr. Mary Rose Pe-Yan - Chief Orbit Service Dept. of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences



**ConMed** Hyfrecator **Cautery** Machine worth Php 95,000.00

.....On June 30, 2014, the Megaworld Foundation turned-over a Hyfrecator Cautery valued at Php. 95,000.00 to the PGH Department of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences -Sentro Optalmologico

This donation was made in response to PGHMFI websites' "Wish List" where Ms. Giselle Marie G. Robles, Executive Project Assistant of Megaworld Foundation responded and expressed their desire to Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences.

Dr. Mary Rose Pe-Yan, Chief Orbit Service of the PGH Department of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences officially received the equipment in behalf of PGH together with some PGHMFI Officers.

#### **Department of Emergency Medicine**

.....In response to the request of the Department of Emergency Medicine, PGH Medical Foundation Inc., donated thirty (30) IV Stands, one (1) unit Panasonic Refrigerator, twenty (20) units Wall Fans.

The Chair Dr. Jorge Concepcion, and staff expressed their appreciation to the officers of the PGH Medical Foundation Inc., during the turn-over ceremony.

Turnover of hospital equipment to the PGH Dept. of Emergency Medicine (L-R) Dr. Dione Suter-Executive Director PGH Medical Foundation, Mme. Lolita Mirpuri -Corporate Secretary PGH Medical Foundation, Dr. Greg Alvior-Chairman PGH Medical Foundation, Dr. Jorge Concepcion PGH Dept. of Emergency Medicine Chairman, Dr. Kayleen Bautista PGH Dept. of Emergency Medicine, Ms. Gloria Quan and Ms. Erlinda Lugtu PGH Dept. of Emergency Medicine Staff

Turnover of 2 units Stainless Steel Drinking Fountains from the UP Sigma Delta Phi Sorority Batch'89. Present are the Sorority's representatives along with Dr. Dione Suter - PGHMFI Executive Director, and the representatives from the PGH Department of Out-Patient Services.



Turnover of Stainless Steel Drinking Fountains from the UP Sigma Delta Phi Batch'89 Sorority. Present are representatives of the Sorority along with and the representatives of the PGH Department of Emergency Medicine. (L-R) Dr. Kayleen Bautista - Outgoing Chief Resident PGH Dept. of Emergency . Kristen Mae Fabular - Incoming Chief Resident PGH Dept. of Medicine, Dr. Dr. Dione Suter- PGHMF1 Executive Director, Medicine, Dr. Kristen Mae Ms. Pauline Reyes, Ms. Rizza Bejar-Pecson, Ms. Dinah Sabal-Ventura of UP Sigma Delta Phi Batch' 89 Sorority and Dr. April Llaneta- Consultant PGH Dept. of Emergency Medicine

#### **Department of Out-Patient Services**



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## **Department of Family and Community Medicine**

#### **UP Manila-PGH Health Service Blessing**

In order to better serve the employees of the UP Manila community, the PGHMFI sponsored the refurbishing and repainting of the facility. The blessing was held on October 30, 2014 with the attendance of PGH and PGHMFI Officials



Fr. Maximo Barbero - PGH Chaplain officiated the blessing of the marker of the newly renovated UP Manila – PGH Health Service



Turnover of various hospital equipment to the PGH Dept. of Family and Community-Ambulatory Care Section.

The Ambulatory Care Section of the Department of Family and Community Medicine was likewise a recipient of various hospital equipment and supplies such as four (4) leather mattresses, one (1) step stool and four (4) electric fans and facility renovation from the PGH Medical Foundation Inc. The official turnover of this project was held last May 29, 2014.



During the blessing of the newly renovated UP Manila- PGH Health Service. Present are the Officers of PGHMFI, PGH Dept. of Family and Community Medicine Officers and Staff and PGH Officials



Turnover of 2 sets of Ophthalmoscope, another equipment donation from Megaworld Foundation. Present during the event are: (R-L) Dr. Edward C. Tordesilllas- PGHMFI President, Dr. Dione Suter-PGHMFI Executive Director, Dr. Abigail Andal - Chief Resident PGH Dept. of Family and Community Medicine

#### **Cash Benefactors thru PGHMFI**



Mr. Johnlou Koa (third from left) President & CEO of The French Baker hands the cheque donation to Dr. Greg Alvior— Chairman PGHMFI during the 25th Anniversary of French Baker



The GT (George Ty)-Metro Foundation Inc., turnover a cheque for the Charity Patients (L--R) Dr. Dione Suter- PGHMFI Executive Director, Dr. Greg Alvior - PGHMFI Chairman, Mme. Lolita Escobar-Mirpuri - PGHMFI Corporate Secretary, Mr. Aniceto Sobrepena- GTMF Executive Director, Mr. Nicanor Torres, Jr., GTMF Deputy Executive Director and Ms. Liselle Flipphi, GTMF Program Officer II

# **PGHMFI Shares Yuletide Blessings with PGH Patients**



Ms. Marilou Golecruz and friend (private donor) presenting gifts to the Pedia Cancer Patients.



**Dione** distributes Unilever Products to the Charity Patients at the PGH Atrium last Dec.11, 2014

Netsuite Representative black

t-shirt)



Mme. Lolita Escoabar-Mirpuri distributes Unilever Products to the PGH Employees last Dec. 17, 2014

Dr. Dione Suter together with Ms. Linda Cambia distribures the Soya Milk to the PGH Employees, a

distributes gifts to the PGH Pedia the PGH Pedia Patients at Ward 9 last Nov. 22, 2014



Dr. Dione Suter shares Carmen's Best Ice Cream to the PGH Pedia Patients, a donation from Mr. Paco Magsaysay



July 2014

donation of JIA2 Corp.

Mme. Lolita Escobar-Mirpuri Cong. Mary Ann Susano Ms. Mindy Lominario

#### October 2014

Dr. Edward Tordesillas Ms. Linda Cambia Atty. Lynne Vega Mr. Vic Zoleta

During the third and fourth quarters of the year, coinciding with the scheduled, Executive Committee following Meetings, the officials and staff celebrated their respective natal days. The celebration brought light and happy moments coupled with gift-giving, photo sessions and cake blowing..

#### August 2014

Dr. Greg Alvior Ms. Jenny Zamora Dr. Dione Suter

#### November 2014

Ms. Daisy Nodque Ms. Chit Morales Mr. Rogel Romero

#### PGHMFI Celebrates Christmas



To conclude the year 2014, a Christmas Party was held at the residence of Dr. Greg Alvior on Dec 13, 2014





# **PGHMFI** Partners:



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