## Highlights of Accomplishments

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#### WASTE MANAGEMENT

Projects lined up by the WM Committee were directed towards Eco-Friendly activities: use of recycled water from the Sewage Treatment Plant (STP), Green procurement Programs, composting and trash-to-treasure projects.

The WMC has joined the Eco-Friendly committee in participating in the 2011 Recognition Awards for Eco--Friendly Government Offices (National Level) spearheaded by the Dept. of Environment and Natural Resources. A series of education campaigns, awareness programs and orientation sessions were conducted for PHC employees, in coordination with HRD.

The PHC was given recognition by the Solid Waste Management in Asia and the University of the Philippines Planning and Development in exemplifying good practice and innovative solution in health care waste management. We ranked first among 15 Philippine institutions and placed 5th among eight Asian countries.

#### QUALITY ASSURANCE REPORT ON ACTIVITIES

- Continuous Quality Improvement
  - with Emergency Room on emergency surgical procedures and waiting time
  - with Laboratory Medicine and Cashier on turn-around time
  - with Blood Bank on requests and wastage
- Accreditation Canada International (ACI)
  - conducted Readiness Assessment Survey
  - launched PHC as ACI pilot hospital for QMENTUM International Accreditation
  - conducted core education sessions
  - created quality Teams for 16 ACI standards
  - developed Policies and procedures
- Preparation of PHC for PhilHealth Re-Accreditation
- PHC Corporate Strategic Planning Seminars



### DONATIONS FROM AVIATION SANS FRONTIERES (FRANCE)

The Philippine Heart Center was chosen by Aviation Sans Frontieres – Delegation Midi Pyrenees (ASF-MP), an association of retired Air France pilots) to be the recipient of the donation of medical equipment and supplies from the Centre Hospitalier Universitaire (CHU) of Toulouse, France.

The donations include ECG machines and monitors, respirators, volumetric pumps and external defibrillator.