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**Department of Education**  
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**REGIONAL MEMORANDUM**  
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**TO :** SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS  
CHIEFS OF FUNCTIONAL DIVISIONS  
SCHOOL HEALTH PERSONNEL AND TEACHERS  
ALL OTHERS CONCERNED

**FROM :** OFFICE OF THE REGIONAL DIRECTOR

**SUBJECT :** 30TH ANNUAL PRE-CONVENTION OF THE PHILIPPINE  
AMBULATORY PEDIATRIC ASSOCIATION, INC. (PAPA)-  
PAPA PEARLS: PHILIPPINE AMBULATORY PEDIATRIC  
ADVANCEMENTS: PREPARING FOR EMERGENT AND RISKY  
LIFE SITUATIONS

**DATE :** January 24, 2025

1. This is in relation to the attached invitation letter to participate in the 30<sup>th</sup> Annual Pre-convention of the Philippine Ambulatory Pediatric Association, Inc. (PAPA) on March 4, 2025, from 9:00 AM to 12:00 NOON at Marco Polo Hotel, Ortigas, Pasig City, in conjunction with the annual convention title "PAPA PEARLS: Philippine Ambulatory Pediatric Advancements: Preparing for Engagement and Risky Life Situations."
2. In line with this, the registration fee for the pre-convention is Php 2,000.00 on a voluntary basis, inclusive of heavy snacks and kits. The pre-convention registration is through this link: <https://bit.ly/4fBaXDn>. The pre-convention PRC CPD units for Medical Doctors (MD), Registered Nurses (RN), Professional Teachers, (LPT) and Department of Health (DOH) Official Time is applied.
3. For more information, please contact through email at [papaconventions@gmail.com](mailto:papaconventions@gmail.com) or cellphone number 09171268280.
4. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

  
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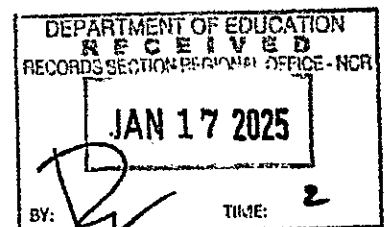
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Thru: **Connie P. Gepanayao, MD, FPPS**

Regional Medical Officer  
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Dear Ms. Andaya,

Greetings from the Philippine Ambulatory Pediatric Association, Inc. (PAPA)!

We are pleased to invite you to participate in the 30th Annual Pre-Convention of the Philippine Ambulatory Pediatric Association, Inc. (PAPA), scheduled to be held on **March 4, 2025, from 9:00 AM to 12:00 Noon**. The event will take place at the Marco Polo Hotel, Ortigas, Pasig City, in conjunction with our annual convention titled, "PAPA PEARLS: Philippine Ambulatory Pediatric Advancements: Preparing for Emergent and Risky Life Situations."

This year's pre-convention aims to foster collaboration among interdisciplinary teams to address emergent health concerns and risky life conditions in pediatrics. It is an excellent opportunity for school physicians, nurses, and teachers to enhance their understanding of pediatric emergencies and preparedness strategies.

Specific Objectives of the Pre-convention Program:

1. To identify and understand the current trending tools for education and research.
2. To review updated policies, scientific guidelines, and national regulations designed to safeguard children's rights and well-being.
3. To apply AI-driven solutions into the practice in health education and research.
4. To recognize common challenging behaviors exhibited by children and adolescents in both home and school environment.
5. To identify evidence-based strategies for effective intervention for these behaviors.
6. To foster collaboration among educators, caregivers, and health providers to support positive behavioral outcomes.
7. To analyze the evolving trends and emerging risks faced by children in 2025.
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Please browse the pre-convention program (2<sup>nd</sup> page only) through this flipbook: <https://heyzine.com/flip-book/dffe07c50d.html>

We sincerely thank you for your unwavering support and commitment to advancing the health and well-being of Filipino children. We look forward to your positive response and active participation.

Warm regards,

**Ruby Punongbayan-Tan, MD, FPPS**  
Chair, Scientific Committee  
PAPA 30<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention 2025

**Sarah Christine D. Mendoza, MD, FPPS**  
Overall Chair, PAPA 30<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention 2025

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