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Dear Dr. Montaña,

Good day!

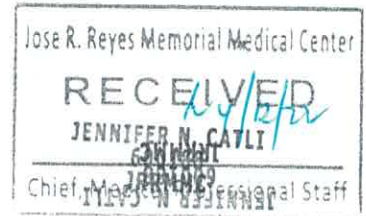
The **Infectious Disease Core Team of the Department of Dermatology** is respectfully submitting its *1st Quarterly accomplishment report* for 2022 (January-March 2022).

Kindly see attached file for your reference and perusal.

Very truly yours,


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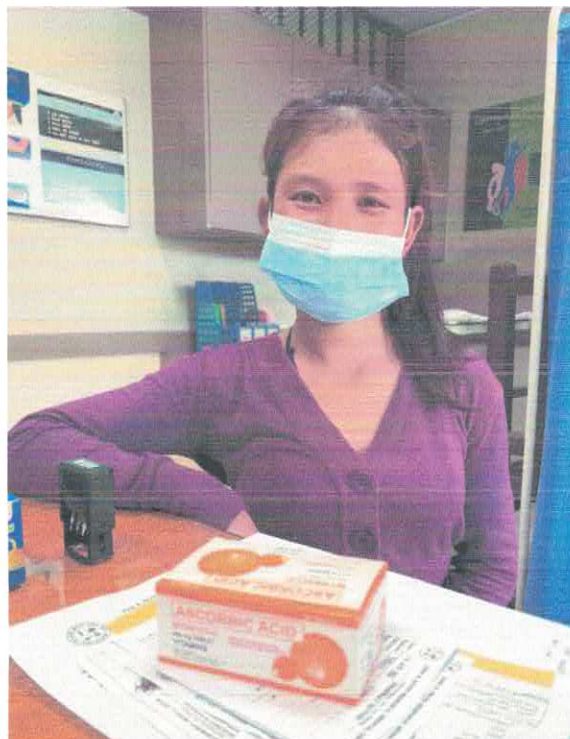
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HANSEN'S DISEASE CLUB ACTIVITY REPORT
JANUARY TO MARCH 2022

1. DISTRIBUTION OF REMAINING FREE MEDICATIONS FOR LEPROSY PATIENTS

• **Objectives:**

- To be able to provide free medications to follow up and newly diagnosed leprosy patients which can help boost their immunity and morale as they fight their disease.



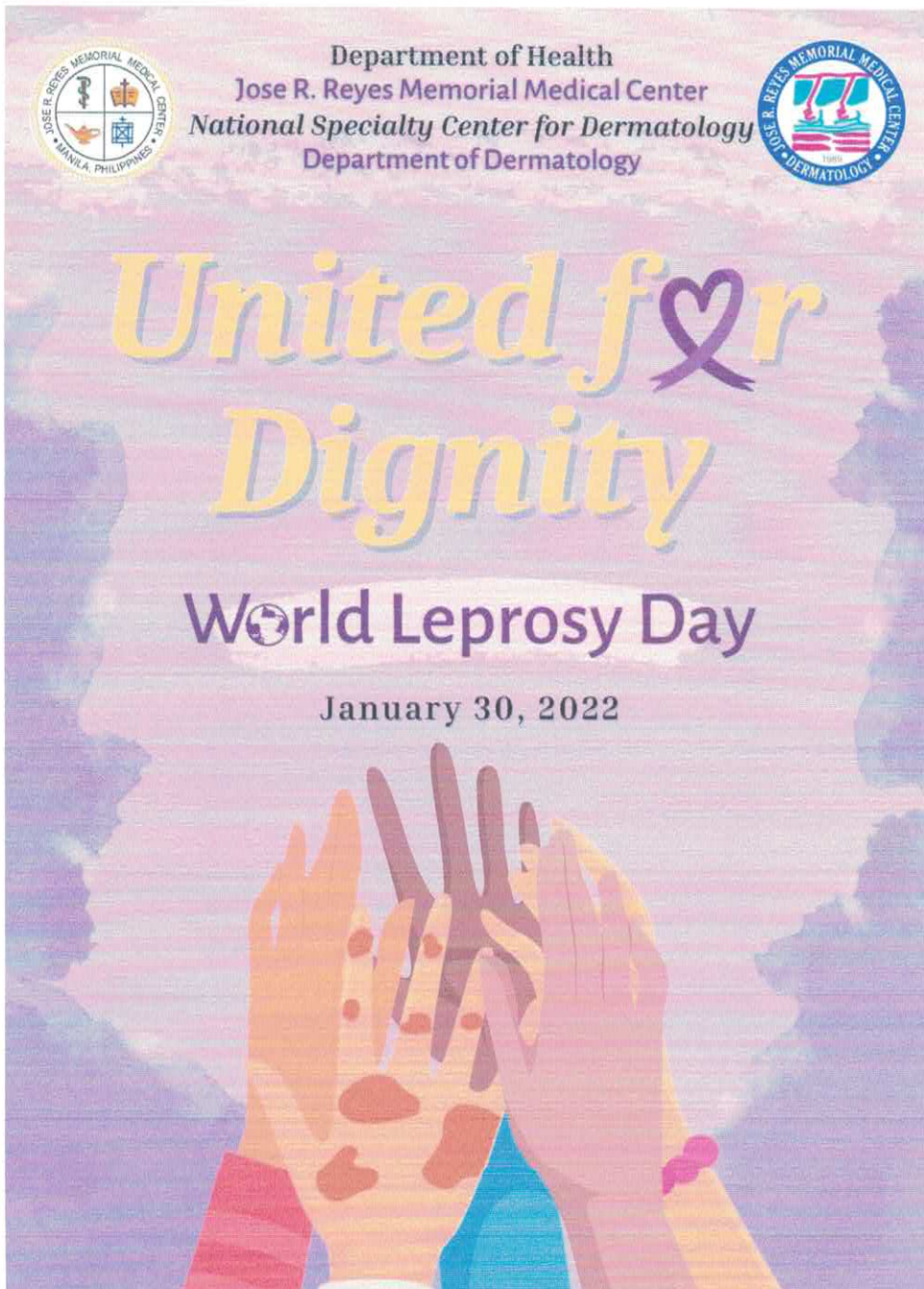
2. DISTRIBUTION OF “LEPROSY IS CURABLE” ADVOCACY MATERIALS

- **Objectives:**
 - To be able to distribute free advocacy materials to all our leprosy patients that will help in raising awareness that leprosy is indeed curable.
- **Description of Activity:**
 - The items included an umbrella, bag, foldable fan, mug, t-shirt, mask and face-shield, all of which were printed with “Leprosy is Curable” logo. These materials are being distributed to all new and follow up leprosy patients.



3. WORLD LEPROSY DAY – January 30, 2022

- **Objective:**
 - To give honor to the celebration of WORLD LEPROSY DAY.
 - To recognize the journey of our courageous leprosy patients.
 - To uphold the dignity of leprosy patient by fighting the stigma and discrimination against them
- **Description of Activity:**
 - The poster was posted in the official Facebook and Instagram page of JRRMMC Dermatology as we celebrated this international day.



4. A 2-DAY MYCOLOGY WORKSHOP THAT INCLUDED A LECTURE ON MYCOLOGY BY DR. ANDREA MARIE BERNALES-MENDOZA AND DR. ELISA RAE COO, AS WELL AS POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE TEST SPECIMEN COLLECTION, PREPARATION AND READING BY MEDICAL TECHNOLOGIST MS. PAULINA OFILADA – March 21 and 25, 2021

- **Objective:**
 - To provide the basic knowledge in mycology that is necessary for all dermatologist.
 - To instruct on the proper specimen collection for KOH examination
 - To demonstrate the techniques of KOH smear preparation
 - To educate on how to read and interpret the KOH smear under the microscope
- **Description of Activity:**
 - The speakers gave 3-part lectures on mycology with emphasis on the laboratory and diagnostics involved in such field.
 - The medical technologist gave a lecture on KOH test procedure followed by actual demonstration of techniques and proper specimen collection from different anatomic locations. She also elucidated on how to read and interpret the findings in KOH smear.
- **Output:**
 - The dermatology residents gained new learnings and was able to solidify their knowledge on Mycology through a 2-part post-lecture tests.
 - The dermatology residents were also given the opportunity to learn on how to do KOH testing as well as the interpretation of its results.
- **Expenses:**
 - None

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INVITES YOU TO
MYCOLOGY WORKSHOP

DAY 1: LECTURE
MARCH 21, 2022 | 9:00-10:00 AM

SPEAKERS

Elisa Rae L. Coo,
MD, FPDS

Andrea Marie
Bernales-Mendoza,
MD, DPDS

DAY 2:
WORKSHOP
MARCH 25, 2022
11:00AM

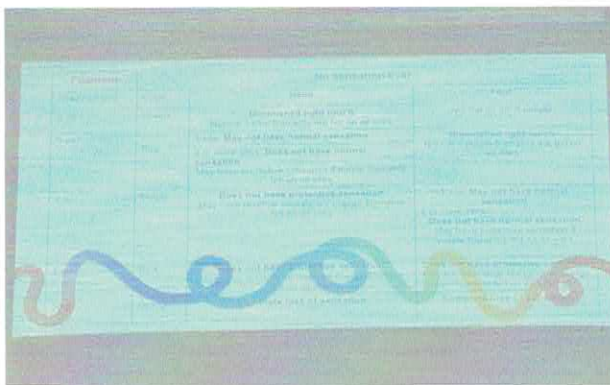
DAY 1  JOIN US via   DAY 2





5. LECTURE AND DEMO ON MONOFILAMENT BY DR. KATHERINE JOY SAYO-AGUILING. – March 25, 2022

- **Objective:**
 - To educate the dermatology residents on the basics of monofilament and its use and interpretation in testing and monitoring of nerve function of leprosy patients.
- **Description of Activity:**
 - A 30-minute lecture on monofilament use and interpretation of result was delivered by the speaker. This was followed by demonstration and return demo on how to use in actual patient.
- **Output:**
 - The dermatology residents were able to grasp the knowledge on monofilament and the importance of such test in management and monitoring of leprosy patients.
 - The dermatology residents were also able given the chance to demonstrate on how to use and interpret the monofilament test.
- **Expenses:**
 - None



6. REGULAR OUTPATIENT DEPARTMENT CONSULTATION

- **Objectives:**
 - To provide regular consultation for leprosy patients
 - To distribute free medications to leprosy patients and prevent drug resistance
 - To strengthen patient and community awareness on leprosy
- **Description of Activity:**
 - The infectious clinic is open to patients during weekdays, 8 am to 5 pm. The dermatology residents provide face-to-face consultations to patients who seek consult at the clinic.
- **Output:**
 - The leprosy patients are able to have follow-up consultations and get their medications on a regular basis.

PHYSICAL CONSULTS	
January 2022	19
February 2022	38
March 2022	77

- **Expenses:**
 - None

7. TELEDERMATOLOGY

- **Objective:**
 - To provide online consultations to leprosy patients from far-flung areas who do not have access to transportation or has difficulty in seeking face-to-face consult.
- **Description of Activity:**
 - The dermatology residents provide free online consultation to all leprosy patients who are unable to have face-to-face consults at the OPD. New patients are also assessed and encouraged to seek consult at the OPD if highly suspected as a new case of leprosy.
- **Output:**
 - The patients are able to undergo regular follow-up online consultations to address their medical concerns.

TELEDERMATOLOGY CONSULTS	
January 2022	64
February 2022	42
March 2022	22

- **Expenses:** None