

People's Health Movement

Global Secretariat

Health for ALL NOW!!



February 5, 2015

Dear friends,

Hello and warm greetings from the People's Health Movement (PHM)!

The PHM is a global network of individuals, groups from the community based health programs, academe, non government and government organizations who are promoting the People's Charter for Health and believe in the Alma Ata Declaration on Primary Health Care as guiding principles in our work towards health and development. Since 2005, it has published an alternative world health report called the Global Health Watch. Last November 2014, PHM launched the 4th edition of the Global Health Watch (GHW4). This launch was done in several countries globally where PHM has an active presence.

On Friday, February 13, PHM Philippines, together with the Social Medicine Unit of the University of the Philippines College of Medicine, will launch GHW4 here in the country. It will be held at 3-5 pm at the Alvir Hall of the UP College of Medicine, 547 Pedro Gil St., Ermita, Manila. In this regard, PHM Philippines would like to invite you to be part of this significant event towards the cause of global health where we will be made aware of global trends and issues and what we can do to improve the situation.

As part of the program, Dr. Gene A. Nisperos will give an overview of Global Trends and Issues and relate these to what is happening to health globally. This will be followed by a brief presentation by Dr. Delen dela Paz on the People's Health Movement's current thrusts and campaigns and how does one get to be a member of the PHM. This will be capped by the launching of the book itself. Limited copies have been sent by the PHM Secretariat in India to the Philippines so only those who will be present will be given a chance to buy the book. The book costs P600.00.

Knowing that global health is a goal we all wish to attain in the spirit of global solidarity, we enjoin you to be part of this book launch. Let us discuss and find out more on what we can do towards this goal.

Thank you and we hope to see you on Friday. Please confirm your attendance through +639178113298.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Edelina P. Dela Paz'.

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