

Department of Health  
PHILIPPINE INSTITUTE OF TRADITIONAL AND ALTERNATIVE HEALTH CARE  
CY 2015 Major Programs and Projects by Key Result Areas

Poverty Reduction and Empowerment of the Poor and the Vulnerable				
Major Final Outputs	Programs and Projects	Amount	Beneficiaries	Status
1. RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT	1. Phase I Confirmatory Clinical Trial: Safety and Efficacy of <i>Cassia fistula</i> L. (Kanya pistula) Leaf Tablet in Comparison with Senna Tablet as Laxative in Adult Patients	10,143,855.45	Filipinos in general; Geriatric patients suffering from chronic/functional constipation; Researchers; Students; Pharmaceutical companies; Medicinal plant growers; Farmers	Ongoing
	2. Establishment of Medicinal Plant Garden in the Four (4) Herbal Processing Plants of the Philippine Institute of Traditional and Alternative Health Care	1,257,835.18	Local communities; Medicinal plant growers; Students; Those working on herbal plants products	Completed
	3. Development of Clinical Practice Guidelines (CPGs) for Various Pain Conditions using Acupuncture for the Department of Health and the Philippine Health Insurance Corporation	509,926.38	Acupuncture practitioners; Policy makers; General public	Ongoing
	4. Development of Standardized Dosage Formulation of Ulasimang bato ( <i>Peperomia pellucida</i> L.) Tablet	817,592.87	People with hyperuricemia; People with gouty arthritis; Rheumatology Specialists and medical practitioners; Farmers and contract growers; Researchers; Drug manufacturers, distributors and retailers	Completed
	5. Cataloguing of Traditional and Alternative Healers in Six Municipalities in the Province of Batangas Using the Active Approach	3,138,620.44	Traditional and alternative healers in Batangas; Local and provincial government as well as the constituents of Batangas; Researchers; Medical practitioners; Policy makers; General public	Ongoing
	6. Conservation and Sustainable Utilization of Selected Medicinal Plants	2,816,570.95	Researchers; Students; Academe; General public	Ongoing

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	7. Development of the PITAHC Wellbeing Newsletter	75,470.11	General public; Students; Traditional and Complementary Medicine practitioners	Completed
	8. Extraction, Purification and Evaluation of Selected Fruit Waste-Derived Starch as Pharmaceutical Excipient	1,623,548.24	Researchers; Academe; Community; Pharmaceutical industry	Ongoing
	9. Evaluation of Safety and Efficacy of Makabuhay ( <i>Tinospora crispa</i> ) Thin Ointment for the Treatment of Head Lice	919,208.59	People with head lice; Researchers; Academe; Community; Farmers; Pharmaceutical industry	Ongoing
2. TECHNICAL ADVISORY AND ADVOCACY SERVICES	1. Seminars/training workshops on T&CM	1,050,000.00	Mainstream medical and T&CM students and practitioners; Geographically-Isolated and Disadvantaged Areas (GIDA); 4th and 5th class municipalities; General public	Ongoing
	2. T&CM advocacies through quadmedia	3,950,000.00		
3. REGULATION OF TRADITIONAL AND ALTERNATIVE MEDICINE PRACTICE	1. National certification of T&CM practitioners and accreditation of clinics and training centers	600,000.00	T&CM practitioners; General public	Completed
	2. Review/updating of certification/accreditation guidelines on T&CM	300,000.00		
	3. Monitoring of certified T&CM practitioners and accredited T&CM clinics and training centers	100,000		
TOTAL		27,302,628.21		