

**UNIVERSITY OF THE PHILIPPINES MANILA**  
**2015 Programs/Projects, Beneficiaries and Status of Implementation**

**KRA: Poverty Reduction and Empowerment of the Poor**

| <b>TITLE</b>  | <b>PROPONENT</b>          | <b>BENEFICIARIES</b>                                 | <b>FUNDING SOURCE</b>              | <b>STATUS</b> | <b>OUTPUT</b>   |
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| Provision of health care for sick, indigent patients  | PGH                       | Poor Filipinos numbering about half a million/year   | National govt and donors           | ongoing       | More than 500,000 outpatient and inpatient indigent Filipinos granted quality care in 2014 broken down into: Inpatients – 45,505; Outpatients – 487,948; Emergency Care – 54,198  |
| Volunteer programs, such as medical and surgical missions, health trainings, tutorials, streetchildren program, immersion program, relief missions, etc | UPM Ugnayan ng Pahinungod | Remote, impoverished and underserved communities     | UP Manila and partner institutions | ongoing       | Increased capabilities of and empowered communities provided with knowledge and skills on health, livelihood, and education   |
| Democratized access to a UP Manila education thru the ff programs: Regionalization Program of the UP College of Medicine, School of Health Sciences     | UP Manila                 | Poor and deserving students from the provinces       |                                    | ongoing       | About 20% of students admitted to different UPM colleges under these programs go back to their communities of origin to serve   |
| Provision of tuition subsidies and allowances to students through the Socialized Tuition System   | UP System                 | Poor and deserving students from low-income brackets | UP System                          | ongoing       | Total of 3,121 students granted tuition discounts ranging from 50 to 100% and monthly allowances  |
| Provision of financial assistance to needy students thru loans and scholarships   | UP Manila                 | Poor and needy students                              | UP Manila                          | ongoing       | A total of 2,454 students granted loans amounting to P57,993,828.56 for AY 2013-2014, AY 2014-2015 and 1 <sup>st</sup> sem of AY 2015-2016<br>A total of 214 students granted scholarships in AY 2013-2014; 221 for AY 2014-2015; |
| Provision of tuition benefits to employees and their dependents for enrolment in UP campuses  | UP Manila                 | Employees and their non-working dependents           | UP System                          | ongoing       | Total of 240 UPM employees and 323 dependents availed of the benefit for 1 <sup>st</sup> sem AY 2014-2015 and second sem AY 2014-2015   |

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| Provision of free basic health services through the Community Health and Development Program | UPM colleges   | Barangays in the AMIGA (Amadeo, Mendez, Indang, General Trias and Alfonso) Zone in Cavite   | UP Manila                                     | Started in Aug 2014; ongoing | Healthier and more empowered barangays of the participating towns  |
| Provision of free basic health services through the Return Service Agreement                 | Office of Alumni Affairs/Graduates of the health colleges of UPM for June 2015 | Filipinos in different parts of the country where the said graduates are deployed   | UP Manila                                     | ongoing                      | Availability of about 500 graduates of the health professions to render services every year based on their professions to different communities nationwide |
| School of Health Sciences' community-based and ladderized curriculum                         | UP Manila  | Poor but committed medical students from the provinces for the Doctor of Community Program and nursing and midwifery students for the BSN and Cert in Com Health Work, respectively | UP Manila                                     | ongoing                      | Availability of additional graduates of nursing, medicine, and midwifery in remote and underserved communities   |
| Newborn Screening (RA 9288)  | National Institutes of Health  | All Filipino newborns for possible genetic and metabolic disorders and management for those found positive for these disorders  | UP Manila                                     | ongoing                      | More than 120,000 newborns screened<br>5,000 + health facilities participating   |
| Screening for hearing defects and visual screening for selected elementary                   | National Institutes of   | Filipino newborns for hearing screening and   | Dept of Health, National Institutes of Health | Ongoing but staggered        | Newborns and other young children given early hearing intervention;  |

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| schoolchildren  | Health                      | elementary schoolkids for visual screening  |                                   | implementation | schoolchildren participating in the study given early intervention to correct lazy eye and refraction errors   |
| <b>KRA 2. Good Governance and Anti-Corruption</b>   |                             |   |                                   |                |  |
| Compliance with the Requirements of the Transparency Seal   | UP Manila                   | Stakeholders and the general public   |                                   | ongoing        | Fully posted requirements of the Transparency seal at the UPM website  |
| Creation of three levels of the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC 1, 2, 3 and 5 Special BAC)   | UPM                         | Bidders and the univ constituents   |                                   | ongoing        |  |
| Sectoral consultations  | UPM                         | Different sectors in the univ, faculty, REPS, adm staff, nurses, students, alumni |                                   | ongoing        | Adequate sectoral representation in planning and decision making   |
| Creation and nurturance of different organizations for faculty, employees, students and alumni  | UPM                         | All constituents, including alumni  |                                   | ongoing        | Constant dialogue with each group to know their issues, concerns, and needs  |
| Additional sectoral representation in the UP Board of Regents to include faculty regent, staff regent, and student regent and rotation in the election of added regents among the UP campuses | UP System                   | University constituents   | UP System                         | ongoing        | More transparent, democratic and just decision making and policy and guideline formulation   |
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| <b>KRA 3: Rapid, inclusive and sustained economic growth</b>  |                             |   |                                   |                |  |
| Construction of new NIH building  | National govt and UP Manila | Filipinos   | UP System and national government | To start soon  | Will strengthen and boost health research thru modern and adequate laboratories and offices that will in turn, translate to more evidence-based health policies and programs |
| Forums and studies on University Health Care implementation   | UPM and NIH                 |   |                                   |                |  |

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| Community Health and Development Program   | UPM                          | 6 towns in Cavite comprising the AMIGA Inter-local Zone   | UP Manila | ongoing | Provision of basic health services and health education and training for mothers and other residents   |
| Education and training of a cadre of public health professionals who occupy key posts at national and local organizations                                    | UPM College of Public Health | DOH national and local offices, local govt units, industries and development agencies, remote communities and barangays | UP Manila | ongoing | Filipinos, particularly those in remote and depressed areas  |
| Regular course offerings on public health issues, and related topics on health and the allied sciences   | Different UPM colleges       | Health professionals nationwide   | UP Manila | ongoing | Increased capabilities of public health workers to provide solutions to urgent health problems of the country thus leading to improved productivity of the people and boosting the economy   |
| Offering of new degree programs that respond to the needs of the people, such as MS Genetics Counseling, MS Health Informatics, MS Medical Anthropology, etc | UPM                          | Health and allied science professionals   | UP Manila | ongoing | First batch of students of the MS Genetics Counseling course graduated in June 2015  |
| Existing courses, such as BA Social Sciences, BA Development Studies, BA Philippine Arts, BA Behavioral Studies  | UPM-CAS                      | Government entities, local government units, nongovernment organizations  | UP Manila | ongoing | Availability of more competent and trained professionals to determine social, economic, political and cultural realities in the national system and craft appropriate programs and solutions |
| Return Service Agreement   | UPM                          | Philippine communities nationwide   | UP Manila | ongoing | Additional number of health professionals serving the countryside through the graduates of UPM that are deployed in different strategic areas  |
| Strengthening of the School of Health Sciences in Baler, Aurora and SHS Koronadal City, South Cotabato   | UPM                          | Towns of Aurora and South Cotabato and even adjacent  | UP Manila | ongoing | Construction of more facilities and availability of more competent doctors, nurses, and midwives to serve in remote  |

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| <b>KRA 4: Just and Lasting Peace and the Rule of Law</b>  |                                       |  |  |         |  |
| Manila Studies Program  | UPM CAS                               | City of Manila                           | UP Manila                                  | ongoing |  |
| Child Protection Unit   | PGH                                   | Abused children nationwide               | PGH  | ongoing | CPU has led to the setting up of 73 Women and Child Protection Units across 41 provinces and 9 independent cities together with 148 CPU extensions that provide services to nearly 70% of all abused children and their families in the country. |
| Center for Gender and Women Studies   | UPM                                   | All genders, particularly women          | UP Manila                                  | ongoing | Provision of gender orientation trainings and awareness to constituents and preparation of gender development plans for each office of the university that address gender concerns and issues  |
| Office of Anti-Sexual Harassment  | UPM                                   | UPM constituents                         | UP Manila                                  | ongoing | Provides services to women employees and other victims of sexual harassment in the workplace, such as orientations and seminars and grievance mechanisms   |
| Researches on Indigenous People and other marginalized sectors in the Philippines   | UPM-CAS                               | Indigenous people in different provinces | UP Manila, NIH                             | ongoing | Provide a deeper understanding of the culture and way of life of this sector and how their welfare and well-being can be promoted  |
| Researches on illnesses that afflict the poor and marginalized and vulnerable sectors, such as leptospirosis, malaria, schistosomiasis, maternal and child health issues, | NIH, colleges, Manila Studies Program | Poor and vulnerable sectors              | UP Manila, NIH, other funding institutions | ongoing | Development of more appropriate solutions and interventions to address these sectors' health problems  |
| <b>KRA 5: Integrity of the Environment and Climate Change Adaptation and Mitigation</b>   |                                       |  |  |         |  |
| Good Neighbors Initiative   | UPM and                               | Residents and                            | Shared pool of resources                   | ongoing | Implementation of clean up drives,   |

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|  | neighboring institutions | workers of establishments in Manila | of member-institutions            |         | greening projects, coordination with the Manila City Hall to rid streets of illegal vendors, illegal parking areas and hasten security efforts  |
| Cleaning, Greening, and Securing of Campus   | UPM, colleges            | UPM campus                          | UP Manila                         | ongoing | Landscaping of college/unit facades, setting up of pocket gardens at the PGH 8 <sup>th</sup> floor, installing CCTVs in strategic areas   |
| Researches on environmental issues and climate change concerns   | CPH, CAS, NIH            | Philippines                         | UP Manila and donors              | ongoing | Evidence-based data and information on environmental health issues that can be used as basis for policy formulation and preparedness program planning   |
| Master of Public Health, Master of Science in Public Health  | UPM-CPH                  | Whole country                       | UP Manila                         | ongoing | Competent public health practitioners to serve in different parts of the country  |
| Regular postgrad courses on Environmental Health, Emergency and Disaster Management and Preparedness, Occupational Health, Biorisk Officers training | UPM-CPH, NIH             | Country                             | UP Manila, DOH and other partners | ongoing | Increased availability of trained and competent public health workers to address the urgent need for a more comprehensive preparation and response program for disaster and emergency management and risk reduction |
| CPH as SEAMEO TROP MED Center for Public Health, Hospital Administration and Environmental and Occupational Health                                   | SEAMEO-TROP MED          | Philippines                         | SEAMEO TROP MED                   | ongoing | Long years of collaboration has led to joint projects in teaching, research and exchange programs that are helping the quality of public health services in the region and the Philippines                          |
| Regular drills on earthquake, bomb, and fire preparedness  | UP Manila                | UPM constituents                    | UP Manila                         | ongoing | A more prepared constituency on what to do and compliance with all guidelines during calamities and disasters to ensure safety, survival and recovery   |