



Excerpts from the Minutes of the Regional Nutrition Committee Meeting
held on June 10, 2016 at Marikina City Healthy Center, Marikina City

RNC-NCR RESOLUTION NO. 03
Series of 2016

**RESOLUTION ENJOINING ALL LOCAL HEALTH BOARDS
TO INCLUDE THE PHILIPPINE PLAN OF ACTION FOR NUTRITION (PPAN)
IMPLEMENTATION IN THEIR REGULAR AGENDA**

WHEREAS, the Philippine Plan of Action for Nutrition (PPAN) is the government's blueprint for action to address the country's nutrition problems;

WHEREAS, the strategies of the PPAN aim to (a) reduce the prevalence of underweight stunted and wasted under-five children, nutritionally-at-risk pregnant women, thin school-age children; (b) reduce the prevalence of vitamin A deficiency and iodine deficiency disorders to levels below public health significance; (c) reduce the prevalence of iron deficiency anemia among infants 6-11 months old, 1-2 year-olds, pregnant and lactating women; (d) decrease the percentage of Filipino households with inadequate calorie intake; and (e) ensure that levels of overweight and obesity among children and adults do not increase any further;

WHEREAS, the local government units through the local nutrition committees (LNCs) are responsible in the implementation of the PPAN programs, projects and activities at the local levels and ensure that these are adequately funded to contribute to the achievement of the PPAN goals and targets;

WHEREAS, based on the Local Government Code, the city/municipal health board shall:

1. be chaired by the mayor;
2. serve as an advisory committee to the *Sanggunian* concerned on health matters such as local appropriations for the operation and maintenance of health facilities and services; and
3. meet at least once a month or as necessary.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED by the Regional Nutrition Committee of the National Capital Region in a meeting duly assembled, enjoins all Local Health Boards in the National Capital Region to include the status of local PPAN implementation in their regular agenda;

RESOLVED FURTHER, that the local health board act on the issues and concerns in the local PPAN implementation;



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RESOLVED FURTHER, that the NNC-NCR Regional Office being the Secretariat of the RNC shall furnish the NNC Central Office, all regional members of the Committee and all local government units in the region a copy of this resolution.

APPROVED UNANIMOUSLY AND ADOPTED, this 10th day of June 2016 during the 2nd meeting for the year of the Regional Nutrition Committee held at the Marikina City Healthy Center, Marikina City.

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