



Republic of the Philippines  
Department of Health  
**OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY**

30 August 2019

**DEPARTMENT CIRCULAR**

No. 2019 - 0412

**FOR: ALL UNDERSECRETARIES, ASSISTANT SECRETARIES;  
DIRECTORS OF BUREAUS, DOH-CENTER FOR HEALTH  
DEVELOPMENT, SERVICES AND SPECIALTY HOSPITALS;  
CHIEFS OF DOH-HOSPITALS AND MEDICAL CENTERS;  
AND OTHERS CONCERNED**

**SUBJECT: 2019 Joint Annual Convention of the CT-MRI Society of the  
Philippines and Ultrasound Society of the Philippines on  
October 24-26, 2019**

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The CT-MRI Society of the Philippines and Ultrasound Society of the Philippines will be holding its 2019 Joint Annual Convention with the theme "Basic and Advanced Imaging: Heading Down to Sound Decisions" on October 24-26, 2019 at the Fiesta Pavilion, Manila Hotel.

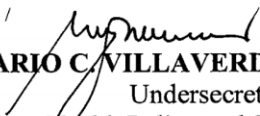
Attendance of concerned **Physicians in DOH hospitals** shall be on **Official Time** at no expense to the government except salaries.

All other transactions shall be in accordance with Department Order (DO) No. 2007-0053, entitled "Guidelines on the Attendance to Conventions/Seminars/Conference and Similar Human Resource Development Activities Outside of the Department of Health," and DO No. 2014-0094, entitled "Guidelines on the Allowable Rates of Payment for Human Resource Development Activities."

Attached is the letter of invitation with other details for your ready reference.

Dissemination of the information to all concerned is requested.

By Authority of the Secretary of Health:

  
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10 September 2019

**DEPARTMENT CIRCULAR**

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**SUBJECT: Amendment to Department Circular No. 2019-0412 dated 30  
August 2019 entitled "2019 Joint Annual Convention of the CT-  
MRI Society of the Philippines and Ultrasound Society of the  
Philippines on October 24-26, 2019"**


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Department Circular No. 2019-0412 entitled "2019 Joint Annual Convention of the CT-MRI Society of the Philippines and Ultrasound Society of the Philippines on October 24-26, 2019" is hereby amended to include the Radiologic Technologists in DOH hospitals to attend the said activity on Official Time.

All other provisions of Department Circular No. 2019-0412 not affected by this amendment still stand in effect.

Dissemination of the information to all concerned is requested.

By Authority of the Secretary of Health:

  
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