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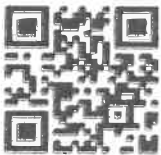
RESOLUTION STRENGTHENING THE POLICY OF THE CITY GOVERNMENT
THAT ALL SERVICES PROVIDED BY PRIMARY HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND
BIRTHING HOMES ARE FREE OF CHARGE

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Majority Floor Leader



WHEREAS, primary health care facilities, otherwise known as health centers, and birthing homes, otherwise known as lying-in clinics, were put up and have been in service for decades to meet the essential health needs of all residents within the City of Manila pursuant to the policy of the City Government to uphold the right of the people to health and to provide services at no cost to the constituency;

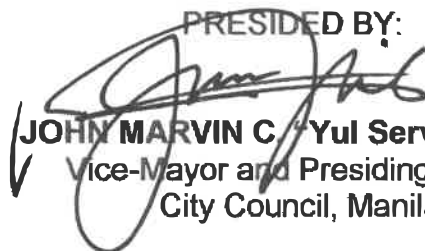
WHEREAS, throughout their service and through all the challenges and developments in compliance with the government regulations and other requirements, primary health care facilities and birthing homes are known to have always rendered services at no expense to patients;

WHEREAS, such shared fact of knowledge, for as long as any Manilaño can recall and affirm, has stood the test of time, for which the City Government can consistently uphold such policy;

WHEREAS, the City Council joins the administration of the City Government now led by Her Honor, Mayor Maria Sheila "Honey" H. Lacuna-Pangan, in declaring that Manila's primary health care facilities and birthing homes have always been, and shall always be, rendering services to the city's residents for free: NOW, THEREFORE, be it


RESOLVED, by the City Council of Manila to strengthen, as it hereby strengthens the policy of the City Government that all services provided by primary health care facilities and birthing homes are free of charge.

PRESIDED BY:


JOHN MARVIN C. "Yul Servo" NIETO
Vice-Mayor and Presiding Officer
City Council, Manila

This Resolution was adopted by the City Council of Manila at its regular session on September 20, 2022.

ATTESTED:


LUCH R. GEMPIS, JR.
City Government Department Head III
(Secretary to the City Council)
