

Republic of the Philippines QUEZON CITY COUNCIL

Quezon City
22nd City Council

PR22CC-119

12th Regular Session

RESOLUTION NO. SP- 9081, S-2022

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MAYOR, HONORABLE MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE, TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT OF AFFILIATION WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF SANTO TOMAS-COLLEGE OF REHABILITATION SCIENCES FOR THE AFFILIATION AND THE TRAINING OF OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY INTERNS AT THE QUEZON CITY KABAHAGI CENTER FOR CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES.

Introduced by Councilors DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, M.D., SHAIRA "Shay" L. LIBAN, KATE GALANG-COSETENG and BERNARD R. HERRERA.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Tany Joe "TJ" L. Calalay, Joseph P. Juico, Nikki V. Crisologo, Charm M. Ferrer, Fernando Miguel "Mikey" F. Belmonte, Candy A. Medina, Aly Medalla, Dave C. Valmocina, Tatay Rannie Z. Ludovica, Godofredo T. Liban II, Geleen "Dok G" G. Lumbad, Albert Alvin "Chuckie" L. Antonio III, Don S. De Leon, Wencerom Benedict C. Lagumbay, Atty. Anton L. Reyes, Edgar "Egay" G. Yap, Imee A. Rillo, Raquel S. Malañgen, Irene R. Belmonte, Nanette Castelo-Daza, Marra C. Suntay, Joseph Joe Visaya, Alfred Vargas, MPA, Ram V. Medalla, Aiko S. Melendez, Mutya Castelo, Maria Eleanor "Doc Ellie" R. Juan, O.D., Kristine Alexia R. Matias, Eric Z. Medina, Emmanuel Banjo A. Pilar, Vito Sotto Generoso, Victor "Vic" Bernardo, Alfredo "Freddy" Roxas and Noe Dela Fuente.

WHEREAS, the Quezon City Government agrees and allows the affiliation and the training of Occupational Therapy Interns from University of Santo Tomas subject to the policies, procedures and guidelines governing the affiliation and training of the Occupational Therapy interns set forth by the College of Rehabilitation Sciences of the University of Santo Tomas in accordance with the provisions prescribed by the Commission on Higher Education (CHED) CMO No. 23, Series of 2007: Policies, Standards, and Guidelines for the Bachelor of Science in Occupational Therapy Education, specifically Annex E (General Guidelines for the Occupational Therapy Internship Program, CHED-DOH JMC No. 2021-004: Guidelines on the implementation of limited face-to-face classes for all programs of higher education institutions (HEIs) in areas under alert level system for COVID-19 response, and CMO No. 1, Series of 2022: Supplemental Guidelines to CHED-DOH JMC No. 2021-004;

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WHEREAS, the parties agree that the training program will initially be carried out through telehealth with the clinical supervisors providing telesupervision. Teaching-learning strategies, assessments, and utilized resources need to be modified and contextualized to suit the change in the service delivery;

WHEREAS, the Quezon City Government relays its intention to include face-to-face learning opportunities and comply with the set checklist, encompassing various protocols, policies, and control, provided by the University of Santo Tomas in preparation for a blended type of clinical training program starting September 2022;

WHEREAS, both agree that the face-to-face component of the clinical training program needs to adhere to the prescription of national, regional, and institutional regulations covering Occupational Therapy Education and overall safety of all stakeholders;

WHEREAS, the Quezon City Government needs to follow and implement minimum safety protocols, covering physical facilities and manpower, prescribed by the Inter-Agency Task Force on Emerging Infectious Disease, Commission on Higher Education, and local government unit;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 455 (b)(1)(vi) of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, the City Mayor shall represent the City in all its business transactions and sign in its behalf all bonds, contracts and obligations and such other documents upon the authority of the Sangguniang Panlungsod or pursuant to law or ordinance.

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, to authorize, as it does hereby authorize, the City Mayor, Honorable Ma. Josefina G. Belmonte, to enter into a Contract of Affiliation with the University of Santo Tomas-College of Rehabilitation Sciences for the affiliation and the training of occupational therapy interns at the Quezon City Kabahagi Center for Children with Disabilities.

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RESOLVED FURTHER, that a copy of the subject Contract of Affiliation shall form an integral part of this Resolution.

ADOPTED: October 17, 2022.

BERNARD R. HERRERA Acting City Vice Mayor Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:

Atty. JOHN THOMAS S. ADFEROS III City Government Dept. Head III

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Resolution was APPROVED by the City Council on Second Reading on October 17, 2022 and was CONFIRMED on November 14, 2022.

Atty. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS III
City Government Dept. Head III