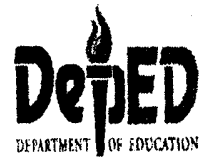




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PHILIPPINE NURSES ASSOCIATION'S 83<sup>RD</sup> FOUNDATION ANNIVERSARY,  
48<sup>TH</sup> NURSES WEEK CELEBRATION AND NATIONAL ANNUAL CONVENTION

To: Bureau Directors  
Regional Directors  
Schools Division/City Superintendents  
Heads, Private Elementary and Secondary Schools

1. The Philippine Nurses' Association (PNA) will hold its 83<sup>rd</sup> Foundation Anniversary, 48<sup>th</sup> Nurses' Week Celebration and National Annual Convention on October 26-28, 2005 at Astoria Regency at Pasonanca Park, Zamboanga City with the theme "*Nurses On the Move: Knowledge, Innovation and Vitality*".
2. The objectives of the three day convention are to:
  - a. discuss issues and concerns affecting the nursing profession and health care;
  - b. support informed and sustainable improvement in policy and nursing practice;
  - c. advance nursing contribution to health care and facilitate the dissemination of evidence highlighting effective nursing intervention; and
  - d. enforce innovation in the practice of nursing and health care in general.
3. Public health nurses in elementary and secondary schools are allowed to attend on official time only. Nurses in private schools shall make arrangements with their respective school heads relative to their attendance to the seminar.
4. The registration fee will be as follows:

Pre-registration up to August 31, 2005  
PhP5,000.00 - with accommodation for two (2) nights and (3) days only  
PhP3,500.00 - without accommodation  
PhP3,800.00 - after August 31, 2005 and on site registration exclusive of accommodation  
PhP5,000.00 daily registration and no souvenir program
5. For more information, please contact the Philippine Nurses Association, Inc. (PNA) with tel. no. (02) 536-7888; telefax (02) 5251596.
6. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

  
FLORENCIO B. ABAD  
Secretary

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