



OA TAKES PART IN SPUI MEDICAL-DENTAL MISSION

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The Asclepian spirit of volunteerism is fueled not only by the learning experience medical and surgical missions could provide but also by the idea that a genuine act of service is a form of rent for being. The Order of Asclepius continues to keep this spirit of service alive as resident members participated in the Medical-Dental Mission held at St. Paul University Iloilo (SPUI), February 6.

The members rendered their service through vital signs taking, as well as providing health

education and free consultations. In the end, the resident members, along with student nurses, dentists, and residents and post-graduate interns from the St. Paul's Hospital, provided health services to around 100 pediatrics, and 200 adult and dental patients. The beneficiaries of the said event were from SPUI's partner communities from La Paz, Molo and Jaro, Iloilo City.

The annual Medical-Dental Mission was sponsored by the University and hosted by St. Paul University Iloilo - College of Nursing as part of the school's

University Week Celebration. This year's program was made notable as the University celebrates its 70th Year Anniversary. OA's opportunity to take part in the said event was made possible by Asclepian brother Dr. Chris Sorongon (Batch 24).

Resident Asclepians who rendered their expertise were Ma. Celine Villo and Anne Celle Sajorne from Batch 37; William Matthew Suaboksan from Batch 38; and Batch 39's Dominick Diño, Jeshar Joshua Arsenio, Roger John Astrolabio, Genessa Buenafe and Jeline Encarnacion.#