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## **PhilHealth Adopts PMA Code for Professional Specialization**

In line with our continuing quest for quality care, we have adopted the Code for Professional Specializations of the Philippine Medical Association (PMA) effective March 16, 2010.

We shall also recognize only the following specialty societies and their sub-specialty societies in eight (8) specialty divisions of the medical profession under the PMA:

- Anesthesia
- Family and Community Medicine
- Medicine
- Obstetrics and Gynecology
- Pathology
- Pediatrics
- Radiology
- Surgery

Similarly recognized are members of these societies who have passed board certification examinations and are diplomates or fellows of their respective societies, as specialists and/or sub-specialists in their field.

PMA resolutions pertaining to any specialty society whose recognition has been suspended or terminated shall also be followed.

This advisory is in line with Circular 05,s-2010.



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