

PhilHealth Advisory

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PhilHealth offers special privileges to victims of Typhoon Yolanda (Haiyan)

With the catastrophic damage brought about by Typhoon Yolanda (Haiyan) last November 8, 2013, PhilHealth shall grant the following special privileges to all victims (PhilHealth members and non-members) and health care providers affected:

A. Accreditation and Benefit Availment

1. Exemption to the rules on forty five (45) days benefit limit both for the members and their dependents, Single Period of Confinement (SPC) and less than 24 hour confinement;
2. Reimbursement for both referring and receiving health care institutions;
3. Payment of valid claims due for submission that are destroyed by the typhoon and;
4. Extension of the period to file claims after discharge, deadline for submission of the required/mandatory health care institution reports, accreditation validity and/or deadline for submission of application for accreditation of health care providers.

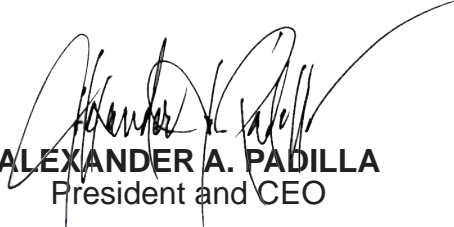
B. Membership and Contribution

1. Extension of premium payment deadline for all member sectors. Deadline for payment of contributions due the month of November 2013 or on the 4th Quarter of 2013 for **ALL MEMBER SECTORS shall be extended until March 31, 2014.**
2. Submission of Contribution Reports of employers is also extended up to March 31, 2014.

C. Other special privileges as may be determined by the Corporation.

For more information, kindly refer to PhilHealth Circular 34, s.2013 : re: Guidelines on the Provision of Special Privileges to those Affected by a Fortuitous Event.

Further inquiries may be referred to the PhilHealth Call Center at (02) 441-7442 or through any of the PhilHealth Regional and Local Health Insurance Offices (LHIOs).



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