



CLARIFICATION ON THE SPECIAL PRIVILEGES DUE TO TROPICAL STORM URDUJA

PhilHealth Advisory 2018-0033 entitled "Provision of Special Privileges to those affected by the Tropical Storm Urduja (December 15-17, 2017) in Region 8" ensured the availment of PhilHealth benefits by the active, inactive and non PhilHealth members <u>in all Government and Selected HCIs within the affected areas.</u>

To clarify the phrase "all Government and Selected HCIs", it is hereby stated that the special privileges for Tropical Storm Urduja shall be implemented in ALL GOVERNMENT facilities for admissions from December 15, 2017 until December 31, 2018. For PRIVATE facilities that have rendered services to patients under the circumstances covered by the said special privileges, reimbursements for the corresponding claims will be made for admissions starting December 15, 2017 up to August 31, 2018 only.

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