

# TAMANG SAGOT

## PhilHealth Circular No. 013-2015

### Revisions in the Performance Commitment for Health Care Institutions and Professionals

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#### PC for Health Care Professionals:

1. **Nurses are among the professional health care providers, can they now submit their application for accreditation?**

The Accreditation Department is still in the process of drafting the policy and guidelines for accreditation of nurses. It shall be part of a separate issuance.

2. **Can a newly licensed physician who is not yet affiliated with any HCI apply for accreditation?**

Yes, he/ she can shall leave #5 provision blank.

3. **Who shall sign the additional provision at the end of the PC?**

**Only** a professional who is applying for accreditation and is the owner of the HCI or member of the credentialing and privileging committee shall sign the last provision at the end of the PC.

#### PC for Health Care Institutions:

1. **If we provide services not reflected in the DOH license, can we include them in item #15?**

If these are services required by the standards for licensing, such as a secondary clinical lab for a level 1 hospital, there is no need to indicate it in the PC. However, if there is/are service/s not reflected in the license, such as the presence of peritoneal dialysis, the service/s shall be reflected in the PC.

2. **Can LGU HCIs applying for accreditation submit only one Performance Commitment and who shall sign at the document?**

Yes the LGU can submit only one PC. The name of the HCIs shall be written on the table at item #2, including the type of provider the HCI/s is/are applying for, example Tsekap, MCP or animal bit package provider.

The LCE and all the heads of the HCIs shall sign in the last page and initial the other pages of the PC.