



Grade 10 students compete in poster-making tilt to raise awareness on Universal Health Care (UHC)

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Twenty-two (22) Grade 10 students from both private and public schools in Cagayan de Oro and Camiguin province expressed their understanding of the National Health Insurance Program (NHIP) during PhilHealth Regional Office 10's Interschool On-the-Spot Poster-Making Competition on March 23 at Limketkai Mall, Cagayan de Oro City, featuring this year PhilHealth 28th Anniversary theme *"Pinalawak at mga Bagong Benepisyo para sa mga Mamamayang Filipino"*.



Daney Weiyelle B. Obguia of Oro Christian Grace School bested the other 21 competitors with her artwork showcasing PhilHealth's thrust for innovation for more improved benefits for all Filipinos.

Obguia was followed by 2nd placer Albeah Joy A. Dagondon of Yumbing National High School, while Fruji V. Sabello Jr. of Gusa Regional High School, Marcher C. Capablanca of Bayabas National High School, and Santiago A. Avenido Jr. of Puerto National High School occupied the 3rd to 5th places.



While the creative artists were visualizing their understanding of the 28th Anniversary theme, mallgoers were welcomed to a walk-in registration of the Konsulta program led by the Local Health Insurance Office (LHIO)-Cagayan de Oro.

Regional Vice President (RVP) Delio Aseron II pointed out that PhilHealth Konsultasyong Sulit at Tama (Konsulta) program is a testament to PhilHealth's commitment to continuously expand and devise benefits that are more relevant and responsive to the medical needs of all Filipinos. *"Nobody should die without having checked by a hospital. Nararapat lamang na maramdaman ng ating mga kababayan ang mga benepisyo ng PhilHealth,"* RVP Aseron said.



Cash prizes and medals were awarded to the 5 winners and the artworks of the other 15 artists will be displayed at the regional office and in the LHIOs.

The other participating schools were Macabalan NHS, Mary Child School, Oro Christian Grace School, Phinma Cagayan de Oro College, Philippine Christian College, Agusan NHS, Balulang NHS, Bayabas NHS, Cagayan de Oro NHS, Capitol University Basic Education Department, , Puerto NHS, Saint Mary's School, Southern Philippines College, Xavier University Junior High School, and Yumbing NHS (Camiguin), Carmen NHS, East Gusa NHS, Emmanuel Mission International School, Gusa Regional Science HS, and Kong Hua School.###