



Infection Prevention and Control: Our Commitment, Your Well-Being

HOSPITAL BEST PRACTICES IN INFECTION PREVENTION AND CONTROL (HBPIPC) AWARDS YEAR 10

“ISANG DEKADA NG PAGBABAGO: SA IPC LAHAT PROTEKTADO”

- I. Top Three Hospitals by Level- Overall Award
- II. 7 SPECIAL AWARDS By Hospital Level

- *Best in Hand Hygiene*
- *Best in Antimicrobial Stewardship*
- *Best in Environmental Cleaning and Decontamination*
- *Best in Management of Infection Prevention Among Healthcare Workers*
- *Best in Outbreak Prevention and Management*
- *Best in Healthcare Waste-Management*
- *Best in Infection Prevention and Control Innovation*

ELIGIBILITY

1. A hospital must be a member of good standing of PHA as of 2023
2. It must have a functioning Infection Control Committee (ICC) for at least one year.

MECHANICS AND REQUIREMENT

1. Interested Infection Control Committees whose healthcare facilities meet the eligibility criteria may apply online via this link. The PHA will send letters of invitation to all its member hospitals by email.

2. **INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING FOR DIGITAL SUBMISSION:**

- a. Hospital memorandum indicating the composition and roles of the infection prevention and control team

- b. **For Over-all Awards:**

- 1) Two (2)-page summary (Font: Arial 10, single 1.0 paragraph spacing, narrow margin) of the entire infection prevention and control program of the hospital which include:

IMPT NOTE:

Corresponding deductions will be given for anything in excess of the allotted 2-page.

- 2) Highlights of the activities conducted 2-3 sentences summarizing activities on:
 - Hand Hygiene
 - Antimicrobial Stewardship
 - Environmental Cleaning and Decontamination
 - Protection and Occupational Exposure Management Among Healthcare Workers
 - Outbreak Prevention and Management
 - Healthcare Waste-Management
- 3) Describe the impact of the program to the hospital such as by reporting data from surveillance and monitoring of activity/-ies, program success parameters or outcome measures (e.g. hand hygiene rates, HAI and other device-related rates, bundles of care compliance rates, etc.)

- 4) Any special issues encountered during the last 12-month period and how this/these were addressed
- 5) One (1) paragraph description of how top hospital management provides support to the program
- 6) Personnel improvement and training of the infection prevention and control team
- 7) Plans for sustainability of the IPC program/s (financial, manpower, training)
- 8) Other relevant information

c. For the other 7 special awards:

- 1) One (1)-page summary (Font: Arial 10, single 1.0 paragraph spacing, narrow margin) of the activities pertaining to the category
- 2) Describe the impact to the hospital such as by reporting data from surveillance and monitoring of activity/-ies, program success parameters or outcome measures (e.g. hand hygiene rates, HAI and other device-related rates, bundles of care compliance rates, etc.)
- 3) Problems encountered and how they were solved
- 4) Plans for sustainability of the program/s (financial, manpower, training)
- 5) Other relevant information

d. Summary tables, graphs and photos can be attached as annex and not part of page limit

e. Please use "narrow" margin, font size 10, single-space, up to maximum 3 pages per entry

f. ALL ENTRIES must be compiled in a USB Drive with FILE NAMES for each entry. This shall be in 4 copies or 4 USB Drives, 1 each for the 3 judges and 1 file copy.

g. The USB drives will be returned after the contest and may be picked up at the PHA Secretariat on NOVEMBER 24 at The Manila Hotel.

a. Video and other multimedia support, pictures (limited to 3 pages only) pertaining to the experiences ARE ENCOURAGED

b. Facilities who would like to join the special awards only can use the same format and choose which category they want to join.

III. TIKTOK CHALLENGE

Please refer to attached competition rules and guidelines.

IV. Best Infection Control Nurses

She/ he must be endorsed by the Chair of Infection Control Committee or Chief of Hospital and approved by the Hospital administrator or Medical Director.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:

- At least 3 years of experience as an ICN in the same facility / hospital
- With relevant training in infection control in the past 5 years
- Attendance to PHICNA Basic Training Course (BTC) within the past 5 years
- No age restriction
- With good Moral standing

V. Best COVID Response

**** Criteria to follow ****

ALL ENTRIES MUST BE COMPILED IN FOUR (4) USB DRIVES AND DELIVERED VIA COURIER ON OR BEFORE 15OCT TO PHILIPPINE HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION AT 14 KAMIAS ROAD, BGY WEST KAMIAS, QUEZON CITY, MM

