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MONTHLY UPDATES · UPCOMING EVENTS · FEATURES & ACHIEVEMENTS

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'17

PATIENT CENSUS



64
patients served



82
total patients



04
new referrals



18
spiritual care



02
passed on

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EVENTS

March 9 and 10

ELNEC-Core for CHO - Muntinlupa

Last March 9 and 10, The Ruth Foundation partnered with the City Health Office of Muntinlupa to educate over 20 of their staff nurses and barangay health workers in end-of-life care. The two-day course was held in their office, with the partnership of experienced ELNEC trainers.



March 18

ELNEC Trainers' Workshop

The Ruth Foundation continues to strengthen partnerships and advocacies this 2017, done in part through our Leadership for HOPE Education Program – particularly the ELNEC course offered to nurses. To prepare for the year's upcoming trainings, TRF met with several trainers who have regularly partnered with us. Apart from holding refresher lectures last March 18, they also planned trainings for the rest of the year.

March 20 to 24

More OJTs Join the Team

Another batch of students from Trimex Colleges joined the team this month to learn about palliative and hospice care, observe home visits with the team, and serve as volunteers to bring a bit more hope to our patients.



WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO LIVE YOUR BEST LIFE?

Seven advocates are featured in this month's issue of Hopefull. Here are some of their answers to the question above:

"Life is more about what you give rather than what you get."

Boris Joaquin
Breakthrough Leadership

"For me, it's simply the life that I've been blessed to live. All of it. I would not change anything."

Dr. Ramon Gustilo
Orthopedic International, Inc.

"Living the best life is about going out of your comfort zone. It is living not just for yourself but for the betterment of others."

Janine Chiong
Habi Footwear

"It's knowing what you want and going after it."

Kate delos Reyes
GoBreastfeed.com

"I have been blessed with just enough all these years, and giving back is my thanksgiving."

Ptr. Dante Montenegro
Living Stones Orphanage

Read the full interview in The Advocacy Issue of Hopefull Magazine, out now.

SPECIAL FEATURE

TRF Receives Mention in 2016 ELNEC Awards

We thank the international ELNEC organization for honoring the work we do alongside the other members of the Asian Leadership Team with a 2016 ELNEC award.

To quote a portion of the citation: *"In the Philippines, the Ruth Foundation for Palliative and Hospice Care (TRF) has been involved in organizing annual ELNEC-Core trainings from 2012-2016. Much of this work has been developed and overseen by Rumalie Corvera, MD and Ayda Nambayan, PhD, who have taught over 400 nurses."*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Hopefull Issue 4 is Out!

The fourth issue of Hopefull Magazine is here! It's jam-packed with inspiration from people and organizations that share their own gifts with the community.

Download your FREE digital copy today at ruth.ph/hopefull.



Join ELNEC this Coming May and June

We are excited to announce that we have two upcoming ELNEC courses available to the public. For both courses, nursing CPD units application is currently in process. Sign up for either of the following courses:

- **May 3 & 4** at Asian Hospital and Medical Center
- **June 5 & 6** at De La Salle Health Sciences Institute.

For registration details, follow us online at ruth.ph/LFH.

