



Webinar for Beneficiaries' Parents

PAGA has continued serving beneficiaries and their families from the areas of NCR (Metro Manila), Region 4-A, and 3, through innovative platforms and assisted them to lessen their anxieties brought about by COVID-19 in their day-to-day life. Health Care Education deems it necessary to guard our beneficiaries and their families through health and safety measures in the "new normal" way of life.

PAGA conducted a webinar for parents of beneficiaries with the theme: **PAGA Cares: "Facts and Tips on COVID-19, Vaccines and Self-Care"** on September 18, 2021, via Zoom.

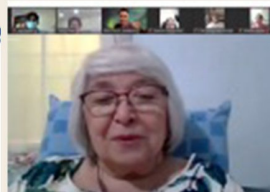
The invited resource speaker, Dr. John Carlo M. Malabad, MD, Ph.D., from the Dept. of Science and Technology - Philippine Council for Health Research and Development, discussed COVID-19 and other related concerns.

Forty-Three parents attended the webinar, listened attentively, and actively participated in the open forum. Clarified were vaccination issues and concerns, and reminders of self-care, proper health care protocols, and encouragement to get vaccinated.

The presence and support of the Chairman, Mr. Frank Holz, and ED Bajar, were appreciated by everyone for their participation in the webinar.



Dr. John Carlo M. Malabad, MD, PhD



Chairman Mr. Frank Holz & ED Bajar joining the webinar



Parents actively participated and shared their issues and concerns on COVID 19

Outline of the Presentation

- COVID-19 Status in the Philippines
- SARS-COV-2 Variants in the Philippines
- Current COVID-19 Vaccines in use
- COVID-19 Vaccination in the Philippines
- COVID-19 vaccines vs. Variants
- How do we stay safe and protected?



Back to School (Blended Learning in its 2nd year)

The opening of classes for SY2021-2022 officially began in September 2021 with blended learning anew amidst the global health crisis. Provision of monthly education incentives for the student's loads and school projects continued.

Parents and students are quite adjusted now with the education system in its second year and find ways to keep the learning process going despite the challenges and uncertainty posed by COVID-19 while maintaining their health and safety. Communication with their teachers keeps them updated on the lessons and modules they must prepare for submission.



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