

July 17, 2023

JESUS NAZARENO J. VELASCO, MD Chair, Institutional Research - Ethics Committee Philippine Children's Medical Center Quezon Avenue, Quezon City

Subject: Extension of Level 3 Accreditation

Dear Dr. Velasco,

This is to inform you that in view of the on-going process regarding the Philippine Children's Medical Center Institutional Research - Ethics Committee (PCMC IR-EC)'s renewal of Level 3 Philippine Health Research Ethics Board (PHREB) Accreditation and in order not to disrupt your ethical review responsibilities, your level 3 PHREB Accreditation is hereby extended effective **July 8, 2023 until November 30, 2023** without prejudice to the issuance of a Certificate of Renewal at an earlier date should the process be satisfactorily completed by then.

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