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AND COLLEGES (SUCs)

SUBJECT

: 17th National Conference of World Association for Psycho-Social

Rehabilitation-Philippines (WAPR).

The WAPR will be holding its 17th National Conference on November 25-26, 2016 at the Philippine Red Cross Tower, 37 EDSA corner Bonifacio Avenue, Mandaluyong City.

With the theme "Mental Health and Violence Against Women", the event is aligned with the other events and activities in November in observance of the campaign to end Violence Against Women (VAW). The conference intends to bring together medical health professionals, non-medical health practitioners and other concerned officials and employees from government and civil society who are engaged in psycho-social and mental health programs. The major objective of the conference is to build and enhance capacities and competencies in fostering mental health among VAW victims and survivors.

All concerned government employees are encouraged to participate in this event. It is discretionary on the part of the agency heads to allow their employees to attend on official/business time, as provided for under CSC Memorandum Circular No. 43, s. 1993.

Registration fee is Php2,500 per participant to cover costs of meals, snacks, venue, and other miscellaneous conference expenses.

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