

H. PREMIUM SUBSIDY FOR INDIGENTS UNDER THE NATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM

For financial assistance to LGUs for payment of health insurance premiums of indigents, as indicated hereunder.....

P 4,500,000,000

New Appropriations, by Purpose

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Current_Operating_Expenditures

	Maintenance and Other Operating	Capital	
Personal Services____	____Expenses____	____Outlays____	____Total

A. PURPOSE(s)

1. For Financial Assistance to LGUs as National Government Counterpart for the Premium Contributions of Indigents Enrolled in the National Health Insurance Program in Accordance with the Premium Sharing Scheme Between the National Government and the Local Government Unit	P 3,500,000,000	P 3,500,000,000
2. LGU Counterpart for Health Insurance Premiums of Indigents in the 3rd, 4th, 5th and 6th Class Municipalities Including Those Urban Poor in Highly Urbanized Towns and Cities	1,000,000,000	1,000,000,000
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Sub-Total, Purposes	4,500,000,000	4,500,000,000
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TOTAL NEW APPROPRIATIONS	P 4,500,000,000	P 4,500,000,000
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Special Provision(s)

1. Use and Release of Fund. The amount of Three Billion Five Hundred Million Pesos (P3,500,000,000) appropriated herein shall cover financial assistance to LGUs representing national government subsidy for health insurance premium of indigents: PROVIDED, That such request shall be supported by a certification from the PHILHEALTH Chief Accountant that the LGU share in the premium has already been paid together with the corresponding number of indigent enrollees, and such other reports and financial statements that may be required by the DBM: PROVIDED, FURTHER, That such amount shall only be used to fund services rendered to indigents as defined under R.A. No. 9241: PROVIDED, FINALLY, That such subsidy shall be released to the PHILHEALTH through the BTr, subject to the submission of a Special Budget pursuant to Section 35, Chapter 5, Book VI of E.O. No. 292.

2. Use of Fund. The amount of One Billion Pesos (P1,000,000,000) appropriated under Purpose 2 shall be used exclusively as local government counterpart share in the National Health Insurance Program in accordance with the Implementing Rules and Regulations of R.A. No. 7875 as amended by R.A. No. 9241 and shall be remitted directly to PHILHEALTH.

3. Legislative Sponsorship Program (LSP). The premium payment for the enrollment of indigents in the NHIP through the LSP using the Priority Development Assistance Fund (PDAF) shall be applied exclusively as local government counterpart share in accordance with the Implementing Rules and Regulations of R.A. No. 7875 as amended by R.A. No. 9241 and shall be remitted directly to PHILHEALTH.

4. PHILHEALTH Mandated Funds. The following PHILHEALTH mandated shares from revenue generating laws are hereby automatically appropriated and shall be remitted directly to PHILHEALTH by the Bureau of the Treasury (BTr) in order to meet and sustain the goal of universal coverage of the NHIP:

- 4.1 The twenty-five percent (25%) share of PHILHEALTH from R.A. No. 7660 and the two and a half percent (2.5%) share of PHILHEALTH from R.A. No. 9334. PHILHEALTH shall enroll a number of qualified indigents corresponding to their share from such mandated funds based on the required annual premium of P 1,200 per family and shall prioritize the enrollment of indigents from the lower income LGUs based on the latest poverty incidence prescribed by the National Statistical Coordination Board (NSCB) or such other tool that may be prescribed by PHILHEALTH.
- 4.2 The share of PHILHEALTH from R.A. No. 9337 is also hereby appropriated in this Act. PHILHEALTH, in coordination with the DBM, DOF, BTr, and various major leagues/federations of LGUs, shall issue the rules and regulations for the implementation of this provision.

GENERAL SUMMARY

ALLOCATIONS TO LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS

Current_Operating_Expenditures

	Maintenance and Other Operating Expenses	Capital Outlays	Total
Personal Services			

A. Special Shares of Local Government Units in the Proceeds of National Taxes	P	P 7,972,068,000	P	P 7,972,068,000
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B.	Barangay Officials Death Benefits Fund		37,000,000		37,000,000
C.	Financial Subsidy to Local Government Units		3,540,000,000		3,540,000,000
D.	Kilos Asenso Support Fund			2,000,000,000	2,000,000,000
E.	Metropolitan Manila Development Authority	21,509,000	1,539,818,000	211,000,000	1,772,327,000
F.	Municipal Development Fund		173,647,000	758,414,000	932,061,000
G.	Pasig River Rehabilitation Commission	4,113,000	162,188,000	88,148,000	254,449,000
H.	Premium Subsidy for Indigents Under the National Health Insurance Program		4,500,000,000		4,500,000,000
Total New Appropriations, Allocations to Local Government Units		P 25,622,000	P 17,924,721,000	P 3,057,562,000	P 21,007,905,000
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