



Once again, I take pride in presenting to you the product of the great minds of the PGH constituents in research. We have produced since 2018 five PGH issues for Acta Medica Philippina plus a dedicated one for COVID-19 researches. This 6<sup>th</sup> issue is also special as more departments and units have contributed their output. This is even if practically all departments have their own special issues for Acta Medica Philippina and many other constituents have published in other international journals.

Research in PGH is a staple. We continue to fulfill the mission of being able to undertake biomedical and health-related researches which can serve as basis for relevant health policies. The PGH administration will continue to support the hospital's research endeavors. Through Acta Medica Philippina, now indexed in PubMed Central, we share with the rest of the scientific community our research outputs.

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