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Attached is Regional Advisory No. 097, s. 2022 dated 12 April 2022 regarding a letter of invitation from the **National Academy of Science and Technology Philippine (NAST PHIL)** dated 08 April 2022, titled **Science Policy and Information Forum: “The Cholesterol Dilemma: A Possible Family Affair.”**

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INVITATION

**WHAT: Science Policy and Information Forum
“The Cholesterol Dilemma: A Possible Family Affair”**

WHEN: 12 April 2022, 9:00 AM – 12:00 NN via Zoom and Facebook Live

The National Academy of Science and Technology, Philippines (NAST PHL) is an attached agency to the Department of Science and Technology designated by law (Executive Order 818 s. 1982) to serve as an adviser to the President of the Republic of the Philippines and the Cabinet on policies concerning science and technology.

As a follow-up activity to last year’s forum on cardiovascular disease risk factors, NAST PHL will be organizing another Science Policy and Information Forum with the theme **“The Cholesterol Dilemma: A Possible Family Affair”** on **12 April 2022, 9:00 AM - 12:00 NN** via Zoom and Facebook Live.

The virtual forum will focus on cholesterol, its impact on cardiovascular outcomes, and familial hypercholesterolemia. Familial hypercholesterolemia (FH) is a common inherited disorder, which manifests with very high low-density lipoprotein cholesterol (LDLC) and predisposes individuals to early cardiovascular morbidity and mortality.

The forum aims to (1) present the prevalence of dyslipidemia in our population with emphasis on LDLC, (2) discuss the mechanisms of cholesterol deposition leading to atherosclerosis, (3) increase public awareness on FH which is an underdiagnosed and undertreated condition, and (4) provide recommendations on screening, treatment, and registry of individuals with FH.

Interested participants may register at <https://bit.ly/CholesterolDilemma>. Participants will receive an e-certificate upon completion of the webinar and submission of the evaluation form.

You may also watch the live broadcast on the NAST PHL Facebook Page <https://www.facebook.com/nastphl>.

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Thank you and stay safe.

THE CHOLESTEROL DILEMMA - A POSSIBLE FAMILY AFFAIR

A Science Policy and Information Forum on
Cholesterol and Familial Hypercholesterolemia

12 April 2022, 9:00 – 12:00 AM via Zoom

PROVISIONAL PROGRAM

9:00 – 9:05 AM	Welcome Remarks	ACD. RHODORA V. AZANZA President NAST Philippines
9:05 – 9:25 AM	Lipid Profile of Filipinos	DR. JOSE DONATO A. MAGNO Executive Director and Chief, Cardiovascular Institute, Angeles University Foundation Medical Center
9:25 – 9:50 AM	Cholesterol Metabolism and Plaque Formation	DR. LOURDES ELLA G. SANTOS Lipidologist / Cardiologist President, Philippine Lipid and Atherosclerosis Society
9:50 – 10:15 AM	Clinical features of Familial Hypercholesterolemia (FH)	ACD. RODY G. SY Member, Health Sciences Division NAST Philippines
10:15 – 10:35 AM	FH Registry and Screening in the Philippines	DR. CECILIA A. JIMENO Endocrinologist Chair, FH Registry Philippine Lipid and Atherosclerosis Society
10:35 – 11:05 AM	Reactors (10 minutes each)	DR. NINFA J. VILLANUEVA Pediatric Cardiologist, Davao Doctors Hospital Associate Professor II, Davao Medical School Foundation Past President, Philippine Society of Pediatric Cardiology DR. SIOKSOAN C. CUA Pediatric Endocrinologist Consultant, Philippine General Hospital Retired Associate Professor, UP College of Medicine DR. RUTH DIVINE D. AGUSTIN Medical Officer IV and Standards of Care Subunit Lead Disease Prevention and Control Bureau Department of Health
11:05 – 11:40 AM	Open Forum	All speakers and reactors
11:40 – 11:50 AM	Synthesis	DR. JAIME C. AHERRERA, OYS 2020 Medical Specialist Philippine General Hospital University of the Philippines Manila
11:50 – 12:00 NN	Closing Remarks	ACD. JAIME C. MONTOYA Chair, Health Sciences Division NAST Philippines
DR. LESLIE MICHELLE M. DALMACIO, OYS 2012 Professor, Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology College of Medicine, University of the Philippines Manila Moderator		