

Republic of the Philippines **Department of Education**



Office of the Secretary

DepED MEMORANDUM No. 509, s. 2008 NOV 0 3 2008

48th ANNIVERSARY AND ANNUAL CONVENTION OF THE PHILIPPINE ACADEMY OF FAMILY PHYSICIANS. (PAFP)

To: Bureau Directors

Directors of Services/Centers and Heads of Units

Regional Directors

Schools Division/City Superintendents

Heads, Public and Private Elementary and Secondary Schools

- 1. The Philippine Academy of Family Physicians will hold its 48th Anniversary and Annual Convention on February 26-28, 2009 at the Philippine International Convention Center with the theme "Enhancing the Vital Role of Family Medicine in the Health Care System".
- 2. The convention aims to focus the essential role of the family physician to be able to understand the functions, structures and dynamics of health care delivery. It will also provide the participants the latest updates in quality assurance, out-patient management, public health issues, counseling and behavioral medicine.
- 3. The physicians of the Department of Education are invited to attend this activity. They are allowed to attend **on official time only.**
- 4. The registration fees are as follows:

Participants	Before January 20, 2009	After January 20, 2009
Members	PhP1,500.00	PhP2,000.00
Non-Members	PhP2,500.00	PhP3,000.00
Residents	PhP 800.00	PhP1,000.00

- 5. For more information, please contact the PAFP Secretariat, 2306 Macaroni St., Makati City 1234 at tel. no. 844-2135; telefax no. (632) 844-3436; e-mail address: pafp@pacific.net.ph or website www.therpafp.org.
- 6. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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