

## REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD

CITY OF MANDALUYONG



## RESOLUTION NO. 3384, S-2024

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE LOCAL CHIEF EXECUTIVE TO ENTER INTO AND SIGN THE REVISED MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH (DOH), PHILIPPINE HEALTH INSURANCE CORPORATION (PHILHEALTH), AND THE CITY GOVERNMENT OF MANDALUYONG TO REAFFIRM THE INTENT OF THE CITY TO IMPLEMENT REPUBLIC ACT NO. 11223 OR THE UNIVERSAL HEALTH CARE ACT OF 2019 AND ITS CORRESPONDING LOCAL HEALTH SYSTEM REFORMS

WHEREAS, Section 15, Article II of the 1987 Philippine Constitution emphasizes the State's policy of protecting and promoting the right to health of the people and instilling health consciousness among them;

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 11223 or the Universal Health Care Act of 2019 seeks to "progressively realize universal health care in the country through a systemic approach and clear delineation of roles of key agencies and stakeholders towards better performance in the health system" and "ensure that all Filipinos are guaranteed equitable access to quality and affordable health care goods and services, and protected against financial risk."

WHEREAS, the City Government of Mandaluyong has the responsibility to provide for the general welfare of its residents, particularly providing quality medical and health services:

WHEREAS, the City Government of Mandaluyong endeavors to fully implement the corresponding local health system reforms targeted under the Universal Health Care Act of 2019, particularly the integration of local health systems into city-wide health systems;

WHEREAS, the Department of Health (DOH) and the Philippine Health Insurance Corporation (PhilHealth) are both mandated to provide for technical and financial support to all local government units seeking either provincial or city-wide health system integration;

WHEREAS, all parties are committed and eager to cooperate with one another to fully achieve the envisioned reforms mandated by Universal Health Care Act, particularly on the city-wide integration of the local health system of Mandaluyong City;

WHEREAS, a Revised Memorandum of Understanding has been drafted to cover this collaboration among DOH, PhilHealth, and the City Government of Mandaluvong, with the intent to facilitate the fulfillment of the activities, outputs. and outcomes to successfully integrate a city-wide health system that delivers effective and efficient healthcare services:

WHEREAS, the City Legal Department reviewed the draft of the Revised Memorandum of Understanding that will govern the parties' corresponding rights and obligations, and the same has been found to be reasonably and properly crafted and in accordance with law.

NOW, THEREFORE, and upon motion duly seconded by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of the City of Mandaluyong, the Sangguniang Panlungsod of the City of Mandaluyong authorizes the Local Chief Executive to enter into and sign the Revised Memorandum of Understanding with the Department of Health (DOH), Philippine Health Insurance Corporation (PhilHealth), and the City Government of Mandaluyong to reaffirm the intent of the City to implement Republic Act No. 11223 or the Universal Health Care Act of 2019 and its corresponding local health system reforms.

ADOPTED on this 15th day of January 2024, in the City of Mandaluyong.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING RESOLUTION WAS ADOPTED BY THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD OF MANDALUYONG IN A REGULAR SESSION HELD ON THE DATE AND PLACE FIRST ABOVE GIVEN.

MA. TERESA S. MIRANDA Sanggunian Secretary

ATTESTED BY:

APPROVED BY:

ANTONIO DLS. SUVA Acting City Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer

CARMELITA A. ABALOS
Acting City Mayor

Date: JAN 1 6 2024