



Dear Colleagues,

Greetings!

2018 marks the 12th year of the Hepatology Society of the Philippines (HSP) and as we face and move forward to the coming years we thought of creating a “signature name” for our biennial scientific meeting, which is the PHILIPPINE LIVER MEETING. This name will hopefully confer a distinct identity to our meeting similar to our international counterparts.

The scientific committee headed by the very able, Dr. Janus Ong prepared a very interesting and up to date topics which are not only relevant to liver specialists and gastroenterologists but to the general practitioners as well. Apart from the usual didactic lectures on various aspects of liver cirrhosis and liver diseases, there will be multidisciplinary case discussions and debates on some of the controversial issues to make the discussions more stimulating and attention-grabbing to our delegates.

On behalf of the organizing committee, it is my great honor and pleasure to invite you to the 2018 Philippine Liver Meeting to be held on January 25-26, 2018 at the Seda Vertis North Hotel, Vertis North, Quezon City. We promise that this year’s scientific meeting will not fall short of your expectations and I look forward to seeing you all in January.

Let me end by saying, ‘ANG HSP ANG TUNAY NA KAAGAPAY SA MGA USAPING PATUNGKOL SA ATAY’.

Sincerely,

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