

QC plantilla employees get health care plan

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Regular employees of the **Quezon City (QC) local government** are now protected from the burden of health care costs as they have been enrolled under health care and insurance plans.

The plans cover 5,962 current regular city government employees and new hires, providing them with one year coverage.

These were procured in agreement with the government-owned Cocolife.

Long over due, the local government now provides civil servants with health care support. Under the plan, the employee or “member” is entitled to a maximum benefit limit of P100,000 per illness in a year.

Other benefits include annual physical examination, out- patient services, such as diagnostic procedures, minor surgeries, speech and physical therapy, prenatal and postnatal care, dental cover age and life in sur ance.

The QC government is presently exploring other flexible terms to extend the health care plans for non- plantilla employees, so that they won't be burdened with hefty contributions.