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RESOLUTION NO. SP- **10436**, S-2026

A RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING THE QUEZON CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL (QCGH) FOR ITS INCLUSION IN THE NEWSWEEK WORLD'S BEST HOSPITAL 2026, FOR RANKING 24TH IN THE PHILIPPINES, AND FOR BEING THE ONLY LEVEL 3 LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT (LGU)-RUN HOSPITAL INCLUDED AMONG THE TOP HOSPITALS IN THE COUNTRY

Introduced by Councilors DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, M.D., KRISTINE ALEXIA MATIAS, RN and BERNARD R. HERRERA

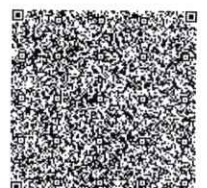
Co-Introduced by Councilors Tany Joe "TJ" L. Calalay, Joseph P. Juico, Charm Ferrer, CPA, MPA, JD, Nicole "Nikki" V. Crisologo, Mikey F. Belmonte, Candy A. Medina, Atty. Voltaire Godofredo "Bong" Liban III, Aly Medalla, Dave C. Valmocina, Ranulfo "Tatay Rannie" Z. Ludovica, Geleen "Dok G" Lumbad, Atty. Christoffer Allan "Tope" Liquigan, Albert Alvin "Chuckie" L. Antonio III, Wencerom Benedict C. Lagumbay, Don S. De Leon, Luigi D. Pumaren, Atty. Vicente Belmonte Jr., Edgar "Egay" G. Yap, Nanette Castelo Daza, Atty. Jesus Miguel Suntay, Raquel S. Malañgen, Joseph Joe Visaya, Aiko Melendez, Alfred Vargas, MPA, Karl Edgar Castelo, Shaira "Shay" L. Liban, Ram V. Medalla, Maria Eleanor "Doc Ellie" R. Juan, O.D., Emmanuel Banjo A. Pilar, Victor "Vic" D. Bernardo, Vito Sotto Generoso, Erwin Rey "Cocoy" A. Medina, Jose Maria "Mari" M. Rodriguez, and Jhon Angelli "Sami" C. Neri

WHEREAS, the Quezon City General Hospital (QCGH), a 250-bed tertiary-level, Level 3 public hospital owned and operated by the Quezon City Government, was established under Quezon City Ordinance No. 7555, S-1968, and was mandated to provide accessible, effective, and efficient healthcare services to the City's constituents, particularly the poor and marginalized;

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WHEREAS, QCGH has faithfully served the residents of Quezon City and neighboring communities since its establishment in 1968, providing accessible, affordable, and quality healthcare services;

WHEREAS, QCGH is guided by its mission to be a center of excellence among local government hospitals in the Philippines and its vision of delivering health services with total professionalism and dedication through continuous quality improvement;

WHEREAS, the international publication Newsweek, in partnership with Statista, released the World's Best Hospitals 2026 rankings, a globally respected evaluation based on medical performance, expert recommendations, patient experience, and clinical outcomes;

WHEREAS, in this prestigious ranking, the QCGH was ranked 24th in the Philippines and distinguished as the only Level 3 Local Government Unit (LGU)-run hospital included among the Top 33 hospitals in the Country;

WHEREAS, this recognition affirms years of sustained institutional reforms, including hospital modernization, acquisition of state-of-the-art medical and laboratory equipment, expansion of clinical services, facility improvements, and specialty centers establishment such as the Dialysis Center, Human Milk Bank, Animal Bite Treatment Center, Hearing and Newborn Hearing Centers, and Bahay Kalinga;

WHEREAS, QCGH stands out for its ten (10) fully accredited residency training programs in Internal Medicine, Surgery, Obstetrics and Gynecology, Pediatrics, Family Medicine, Anesthesiology, Pathology, Radiology, Otolaryngology, and Ophthalmology, ensuring safe, standardized, and high-quality patient care;

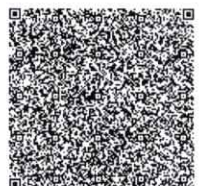
WHEREAS, QCGH is the first LGU-run hospital in the Philippines to offer a Fellowship Training Program in Geriatric Medicine and it continues to pioneer innovations in diagnostics and training, including ultrasound and CT-MRI capabilities;

WHEREAS, the hospital has likewise been commended by the National Institutes of Health of the University of the Philippines Manila for excellence in newborn screening services, demonstrating its commitment to preventive and life-saving healthcare interventions;

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WHEREAS, QCGH received its first unqualified opinion from the Commission on Audit, reflecting sound fiscal management, transparency, and ethical governance;

WHEREAS, QCGH's Human Milk Bank and Quezon City Protection Center were recognized by the Philippine Commission on Women as Gender and Development Local Learning Hubs for their contributions in promoting women's rights and eliminating gender discrimination;

WHEREAS, under the leadership of the City Mayor, Honorable Ma. Josefina G. Belmonte, and the stewardship of QCGH Medical Director, Dr. Josephine Sabando, the Quezon City Government continues to expand and modernize hospital facilities to further elevate healthcare services for QCitizens;

WHEREAS, these achievements were made possible through the collective efforts of QCGH's medical specialists, nurses, allied health professionals, hospital personnel, and administrators, whose dedication exemplifies excellence in public service;

WHEREAS, this milestone brings honor and pride to Quezon City and serves as inspiration to other local government hospitals across the Country;

WHEREAS, it is both fitting and proper for the Quezon City Council to recognize and commend institutions that exemplify excellence, integrity, innovation, and dedicated public service.

NOW, THEREFORE,

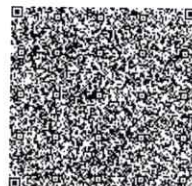
BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, to congratulate and commend, as it does hereby congratulate and commend, the Quezon City General Hospital (QCGH) for its inclusion in the Newsweek World's Best Hospital 2026, for ranking 24th in the Philippines, and for being the only Level 3 Local Government Unit (LGU)-run Hospital included among the top hospitals in the Country.

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RESOLVED FURTHER, that copies of this Resolution be furnished to the management, medical staff, and personnel of Quezon City General Hospital, through its Medical Director, Dr. Josephine Sabando, and to the Office of the City Mayor, as a testament to the City Government's pride and continued support for excellence in public healthcare service.


ADOPTED: March 16, 2026.

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Resolution was ADOPTED by the City Council on Second Reading on March 16, 2026 and was CONFIRMED on April 27, 2026.


IMEE RILLO
City Councilor
Acting Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:


ATTY. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS, III
City Government Department Head III
(Secretary to the Sanggunian)





