



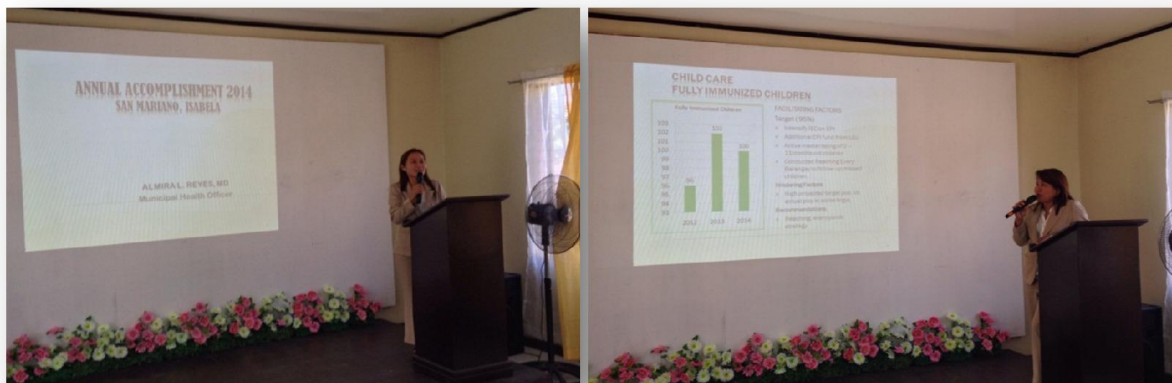
# “Program Implementation Review”



*The PHO workforce, headed by Dr. Rosa Rita B. Mariano, PHO II and Dr. Arlene M. Lazaro, PHO I*

**SAN MARIANO, ISABELA** – The Provincial Health Office Field Health Services under the exemplary leadership of **Dr. Rosa Rita B. Mariano PHO II** and **Dr. Arlene M. Lazaro PHO I** dutifully participated in the Program Implementation Review of **RHU San Mariano** last **January 27, 2015** which was conducted in **Barangay Minanga at Angel Sophia's Resort**. This activity enable health workers to assess the scope and extent of health program implementation in line with the national objectives, standards and goals of the Department of Health.

The presence of the Barangay Chairmen of the 36 barangays of San Mariano headed by their LMB President Hon. Eduardo Viernes signified their noble support to the health programs as this will serve as a commitment springboard for the future endeavors of the health team.



*Nurses, Ms. Charlene Antonio (L) & Ms. Jane Talamayan (R), both public health nurses presented the municipality's annual accomplishment on different health programs*

The presence of Hon. Dean Anthony G. Domalanata, Mayor of San Mariano, Isabela along with Hon. Jerome Stanley Q. Miranda, SB on Health during the said activity completed the dynamism of the whole group, in the same manner that they discussed relevant matters concerning the health and wellbeing of their constituents. With the beaming enthusiasm of its MHO in the person of Dr. Almira L. Reyes, the best quality of health care is guaranteed for the residents of San Mariano to avail of.

KUDOS to the LGU-San Mariano with their health team for their unified cooperation!



***LMB President Mr. Eduardo Viernes raises issues concerning matters on Sanitation.***



***SB on Health Mr. Jerome Stanley Miranda, talks on the Policy Development***



***The Hon.Barangay Captain of Disulap receives an award for their active implementation of Brgy Resolution supporting Facility based Deliveries given by the LGU.***

# **“EPI Raiders on the GO”**

**CITY OF ILAGAN, ISABELA** – The Provincial Health Office – Field Health Services under the dynamic leadership of **Dr. Rosa Rita B. Mariano PHO II** and **Dr. Arlene M. Lazaro PHO I** in partnership with the *Department of Health Regional Office II* remains committed to its goal of universal access to all relevant childhood vaccines for all children at risk. In line with this matter, the Department of Health hired additional manpower called **EPI Raiders (Reach and Innovate Desired EPI Rational Score)** which aims to assist the Local Government Unit in enhancing Expanded Program on Immunization(EPI) to accomplish better immunization outcomes that includes increasing immunization coverage and more equitable access to immunization through their given task.

The Philippines has been committed to achieve the **Millennium Development Goals (MDG)** by 2015. Hence, vaccination is one essential intervention and undeniably the most cost effective strategy in the prevention of child mortality and morbidity.



***The EPI RAIDERS during the courtesy call to Dr. Rosa Rita B. Mariano PHO II, Dr. Arlene M. Lazaro PHO I and Ms. Patria Bagaoisan EPI Provincial Coordinator before their formal deployment to various towns of Isabela.***

The recently held **Measles Rubella Oral Polio Mass Immunization (MR OPV MI)** last September 2014 was indeed successful with 91 % nationwide accomplishment. Due to the persistence of some vaccine preventable diseases such as measles, high immunization coverage must be maintained. To complement this strategy, active dissemination of correct and accurate information by means of educating unaccustomed mothers about the importance of immunization at the same time to correct their myths and misconceptions concerning vaccines.

In this regard the Provincial Health Office Field Health Services will be firmly assisting in submitting and analyzing EPI accomplishments per antigen quarterly, monitor Cold Chain Management, and will continuously educate and hearten mothers regarding the benefits of vaccination to attain satisfactory accomplishments in the entire Province.