

PCS 52nd MIDYEAR CONVENTION

In collaboration with the *Philippine Association of Plastic Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgeons*

May 6-8, 2026

Hosted by: *Central Luzon Chapter (CLC)*

SMX Convention Center Clark, M.A. Roxas Highway, Clark, Brgy. Dau, Mabalacat City, Pampanga

Theme: PCS CLC: Precision Care in Surgery by Cultivating Leadership and Competence

General Objective: Foster the development of integrity, competence, and leadership skills in general surgeons, promoting ethical practice, enhanced surgical proficiency, and effective leadership within surgical teams and healthcare settings.

GENERAL AND SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMS

<u>DAY 1 WEDNESDAY – MAY 6, 2026</u>					
<u>TIME</u>	R E G I S T R A T I O N				
			SMX FUNCTION 3		
8:00 AM		R E G I S T R A T I O N	Workshop PHILIPPINE ASSOCIATION OF TRAINING OFFICERS IN SURGERY, INC. (PATOS) Module 101A – Training Officers as a Teacher: Test Construction I. Written Examination a. Blueprint b. Taxonomy Speaker: Warren M. Roraldo, MD, FPCS c. MCQ d. MPL / Item Analysis Speaker: Alfred Phillip O. De Dios, MD, FPCS II. Oral Examination a. Question Creation Speaker: Alex A. Erasmo, MD, FPCS b. Grading Speaker: Maria Rica M. Lumague, MD, FPCS Moderator: Leonardo O. Ona III, MD, FPCS		
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4:00 PM					
5:00 PM					

DAY 2 THURSDAY - MAY 7, 2026

TIME	FUNCTION ROOMS 2&3	FUNCTION ROOM 1A	MEETING ROOMS 3&4
8:00 AM			
9:00 AM	OPENING CEREMONY		
10:00 AM – 10:30 AM	OPENING OF EXHIBITS		
10:30 AM – 12:00 NN		BUSINESS MEETING	
12:00 NN	<p align="center">LUNCHEON SYMPOSIUM</p> <p align="center">Medisafe Philippines Filtered Far-UVC: Safety and Efficacy in Clinical and Healthcare Environments Speaker: Regina P. Berba, MD, MSc</p>	<p align="center">LUNCHEON SYMPOSIUM</p> <p align="center">Cathay Drug Company Inc. Peri-operative Pain Management: What a Surgeon Must Know Speaker: Jose Macario V. Faylona, MD, FPCS Moderator: Alfred Q. Lasala II, MD, FPCS</p>	<p align="center">LUNCHEON SYMPOSIUM</p> <p align="center">A Menarini Philippines, Inc. Wound to Scars: The Spectrum Speaker: Jose Joven V. Cruz, MD, FPCS</p>
1:00 PM – 1:45 PM	<p>UHC Summit By: COMMITTEE ON UNIVERSAL HEALTH CARE (UHC)</p> <p>Reflections On Primary Health Care Best Practices for Surgical Services</p>	<p>Lecture By: SURGICAL ONCOLOGY SOCIETY OF THE PHILIPPINES (SOSP)</p> <p>Current Concepts in the Management of GIST Speaker: Gerald T. Alcid, MD, FPCS Chair: Apple P. Valparaiso, MD, FPCS</p>	<p>By: PHILIPPINE ASSOCIATION OF PLASTIC, RECONSTRUCTIVE AND AESTHETIC SURGEONS (PAPRAS)</p> <p>Symposium Plastic Surgery for Non-Plastic Surgeons</p> <p>The Justified Cut: Same Operation, Different Scar Speaker: Juan Carlos B. Marzan, MD, FPCS</p>

	<p>Where are We Now?</p> <p>Introduction: Robert B. Bandolon. MD FPCS</p> <p>Opening Remarks: Joselito M. Mendoza, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Overview: Vivencio Jose P. Villaflor III, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Effects of Demographic Shift on UHC: Eduardo P. Banzon, MD</p>		<p>Recognition, Assessment, and Management of Facial Fractures: A Systematic Approach to Craniofacial Trauma Speaker: James Paul B. Dumdum, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Initial Burn Care: Review of Current Principles and Recent Updates Speaker: Jacqueline Anne K. Joaquino-Sia, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Chair: Lora Mae A. De Guzman, MD, FPCS</p>
1:45 PM – 2:30 PM	<p>Panel Discussion</p> <p>Scalable Strategies of Primary Health Care Towards Achieving Equitable Access to Quality and Safe Surgery</p> <p>Panelists: Edwin M. Mercado, MD, MHA, MMSc Manuel M. Dayrit, MD, MSc Rodney B. Dofitas, MD, FPCS</p>	<p>Lecture</p> <p>By: PHILIPPINE SOCIETY OF BREAST SURGEONS (PSBS)</p> <p>Contralateral Prophylactic Mastectomy: Fears, Facts, and Surgical Responsibility.</p> <p>Speaker: Eillen A. Borje, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Chair: Joseph Jude A. Mercado, MD, FPCS</p>	<p>Symposium</p> <p>Advances in Wound Care</p> <p>Current Management Principles and Techniques in Wound Care Speaker: Glenn Angelo S. Genuino, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Community-based Wound Care Speaker: Lora Mae A. De Guzman, MD, FPCS</p>
2:30 PM – 3:15 PM	<p>Where are We Headed?</p> <p>Reaction/Synthesis: Jose Rhoel C. De Leon, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Closing Remarks: Enrique T. Ona, MD, FPCS</p>	<p>Lecture</p> <p>By: PHILIPPINE SOCIETY OF ULTRASOUND SURGERY (PSUS)</p> <p>Advantages of Point-of-Care Ultrasound (POCUS) in Improving the Quality of Patient Care Speaker: Joel P. Merced, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Chair: Beverlee Verona L. Mante, MD, FPCS</p>	<p>Updates on the Management of Pressure Injury Speaker: Jeffrey Michael O. Wong, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Chair: Ma. Arlene C. Cala-or, MD, FPCS</p>
3:15 PM - 3:30 PM	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK

<p>3:30 PM – 4:30 PM</p>	<p>Symposium By: PHILIPPINE SOCIETY OF COLON AND RECTAL SURGEONS (PSCRS)</p> <p>Expert Surgical Pearls for Pilonidal Disease, Hidradenitis Suppurativa, and Anal Warts</p> <p>Pilonidal Disease Speaker: Maureen Elvira V. Dumlao, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Hidradenitis Suppurativa Speaker: Justine Leo M. Carpio, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Anal Warts Speaker: Mario Angelo A. Zamora, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Chair: Ferdinand G. Chua, MD, FPCS</p>	<p>Panel Discussion By: PHILIPPINE ASSOCIATION OF TRAINING OFFICERS IN SURGERY, INC. (PATOS)</p> <p>Legal and Ethical Issues in Surgical Training V5</p> <p>Panelists: Alfred Phillip O. De Dios, MD, FPCS Maria Cheryl L. Cucueco, MD, FPCS Emmanuel D. Loyola, MD, FPCS Leonardo O. Ona III, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Moderator: Alfred Q. Lasala II, MD, FPCS</p>	<p>Symposium Oncologic Breast Reconstruction</p> <p>Beyond Aesthetics: A Clinical Perspective on the Advantages of Breast Reconstruction Speaker: Myra Alexandra P. Firaza, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Minimal Access Breast Reconstruction Speaker: Mary Joy L. Bernardo, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Chair: Jose Joven V. Cruz, MD, FPCS</p>
<p>4:30 PM – 5:30 PM</p>	<p>Symposium By: PHILIPPINE SOCIETY FOR THE SURGERY OF TRAUMA (PSST)</p> <p>Transforming Trauma Care Through Competent Training and Leadership</p> <p>The Fellowship Awakens: Rise of the Trauma Fellows Speaker: Aileen Patricia M. Madrid, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Leadership and System in Trauma Speaker: Benedict Edward P. Valdez, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Cultivating Leadership and Competence in Disaster Preparedness and Response: The Impact of the Philippine Emergency Medical Assistance Team Speaker: Alfonso C. Danac, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Chair: Maria Lourdes C. Gutierrez, MD, FPCS</p>	<p>Symposium Integrating Humanism and Geriatric Frameworks in Contemporary Surgical Practice</p> <p>Humanism in Surgery Speaker: A/Prof. Kok Yang Tan, MD</p> <p>Framework for Developing Geriatric-ready Surgical Services Speaker: A/Prof. Kok Yang Tan, MD</p> <p>Chair: Manuel Francisco T. Roxas, MD, FPCS</p>	<p>Lecture By: PHILIPPINE SOCIETY OF PEDIATRIC SURGEONS (PSPS)</p> <p>Saving Lifetimes, One Liver at a Time: From Kasai to Liver Transplantation Speaker: Leona Bettina P. Dungca, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Chair: Paulo M. Castillo, MD, FPCS</p>

7:00 PM	FELLOWSHIP NIGHT		
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DAY 3 FRIDAY – MAY 8, 2026

TIME	FUNCTION ROOMS 2&3	FUNCTION ROOM 1A	MEETING ROOMS 3&4
8:00 AM - 9:00 AM	<p>Panel Discussion By: PHILIPPINE SOCIETY OF GENERAL SURGEONS (PSGS)</p> <p>Managing High-Risk Interactions: Families, Teams, and Trainees in Surgical Care</p> <p>Panelists: Alejandro C. Dizon, MD, FPCS Roberto A. Sarmiento, MD, FPCS Rex A. Madrigal, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Moderator: Rolando L. Canivel, MD, FPCS</p>	<p>Panel Discussion By: COMMITTEE ON CANCER (COC)</p> <p>Surgeons Leading the Charge for Integrated Quality Cancer Care Speaker: Manuel Francisco T. Roxas, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Panelists: Juan Paolo M. Gascon, MD, FPCS Sittie Aneza Camille A. Maglangit, MD, FPCS Ma. Dulce L. Consuerga, MD, FPCS Catherine S.C. Teh, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Moderator: Carlo Angelo C. Cajucom, MD, FPCS</p>	<p>Lecture By: PHILIPPINE SOCIETY OF TRANSPLANT SURGEONS (PSTS)</p> <p>Standardizing Multi-Organ Transplant Surgery Practice (Philippine Setting) Speaker: Siegfredo R. Paloyo, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Chair: Danny Boy G. Bergonio, MD, FPCS</p>
9:00 AM – 9:45 AM	<p>Panel Discussion By: PHILIPPINE ASSOCIATION OF LAPAROSCOPIC AND ENDOSCOPIC SURGEONS (PALES)</p> <p>Achieving Precision using Technology in Minimally Invasive Surgery (MIS)</p> <p>Current Technologies in Improving Outcomes in Colorectal Surgery Speaker: Hermogenes J. Monroy III, MD, FPCS</p> <p>E-TEP in Hernia Surgery Speaker: Alfred Allen E. Buenafe, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Moderator: Banny Bay C. Genuino, MD, FPCS</p>	<p>Lecture By: PHILIPPINE ASSOCIATION OF HEPATO-PANCREATO-BILIARY SURGEONS INC. (PAHPBSI)</p> <p>A Surgeon's Guide to Precision Care in Acute Pancreatitis: Critical Decision Points Speaker: Karen B. Latorre, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Chair: Arturo S. Mendoza III, MD, FPCS</p>	<p>Lecture By: PHILIPPINE UROLOGIC ASSOCIATION (PUA)</p> <p>The Use of Buccal Mucosal Graft for Genitourinary Tract Reconstruction Speaker: Mark Joseph J. Abalajon, MD</p> <p>Chair: Jose Ravelo T. Bartolome, MD, FPCS</p>

<p>9:45 AM – 10:30 AM</p>	<p>Symposium By: PHILIPPINE ACADEMY FOR HEAD AND NECK SURGERY, INC. (PAHNSI)</p> <p>Approach to Hyperparathyroidism</p> <p>Surgical Management for Hyperparathyroidism Speaker: Christelle Anne M. Almanon, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Surgical Techniques for Hyperparathyroidism Speaker: Rainier Y. Lutanco, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Chair: Ida Marie Tabangay-Lim, MD, FPCS</p>	<p>Lecture Value and Consistency of Surgical Outcomes Speaker: A/Prof. Kok Yang Tan, MD</p> <p>Chair: Hermogenes J.Monroy III, MD, FPCS</p>	<p>Lecture By: ACADEMY OF FILIPINO NEUROSURGEONS, INC (AFNI)</p> <p>Utility of Endoscopy in the Surgical Management of Spine Tumors. Speaker: Elmer Jose A. Meceda, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Chair: Khalil B. Ibaoc, MD, FPCS</p>
<p>10:30 AM – 11:15 AM</p>	<p>Symposium By: PHILIPPINE ASSOCIATION OF METABOLIC AND OBESITY SURGERY (PAMOS)</p> <p>Sleeve and Bypass Essentials: Mastering the Fundamentals and Acute Complications</p> <p>Roux-en-Y Gastric Bypass: Core Principles Every General Surgeon Should Know Speaker: Michelle Bernadette Lim-Loo, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Sleeve Gastrectomy: Technical Fundamentals and Early Risk Points Speaker: Marie Abigail C. Chan, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Moderator: Jose Paolo C. Porciuncula, MD, FPCS</p>	<p>Panel Discussion By: PHILIPPINE SURGICAL INFECTION SOCIETY (PSIS)</p> <p>Championing Surgical Antimicrobial Stewardship Outside the Metro Panelists: Mervin I. Tan, MD, FPCS Raymond Joseph R. Manzo, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Moderator: George Robert L. Uyqueingco, MD, FPCS</p>	<p>Lecture By: PHILIPPINE SOCIETY FOR VASCULAR AND ENDOVASCULAR SURGEONS (PSVES)</p> <p>Vessel Mapping and Ultrasound-guided cannulation of Vascular Access Speaker: Charlton S. Sibal, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Chair: Servando Sergio D.C. Simangan, MD, FPCS</p>

<p>11:15 AM – 12:00 NN</p>	<p>Panel Discussion: When Things Go Wrong Early: Case-based Management of Acute Complications After Bariatric Surgery</p> <p>Panelists: Miguel C. Mendoza, MD, FPCS Raymund Joaquin F. Erese, MD, FPCS Emmanuel S. Astudillo, MD, FPCS Jonathan D. Adora, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Moderator: Jose Paolo C. Porciuncula, MD, FPCS</p>	<p>Lecture By: COMMITTEE ON HMO</p> <p>Charting the Future: Evolution, Integration, and Strategic Direction of PCS HMO Initiatives</p> <p>The Gold Standard: Tracing the Evolution and Landmark Accomplishments of the PCS HMO & RVS Committee Speaker: Fernando L. Lopez, MD, FPCS</p> <p>The Unified Front: The Evolution and Strategic Roadmap of the PCS HMO Universal Service Agreement Speaker: Jardine S. Lua, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Chair: Carlos E. Ejercito Jr., MD, FPCS</p>	<p>Symposium By: PHILIPPINE ASSOCIATION OF THORACIC, CARDIAC AND VASCULAR SURGEONS, INC. (PATACSI)</p> <p>Leveling-Up Thoracic and Vascular Management</p> <p>Pleural Effusion Drainage and Management Speaker: Enrique M. Chua III, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Peripheral Vascular Injury Management Speaker: Teodoro B. Bautista Jr., MD, FPCS</p> <p>Reactors: Silvino Enrique B. Pineda, MD, FPCS Joseph J. Bautista, MD, FPCS</p> <p>Chair: Fernando A. Melendres Jr., MD, FPCS</p>
	<p>CLOSING REMARKS</p>	<p>RECOGNITION OF CERTIFICATE FOR SPONSOR</p>	