

**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING ON MALARIA CONTROL
PROGRAMME TECHNICAL COLLABORATION BETWEEN THE
GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES AND THE
GOVERNMENT OF THE LAO PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC**

**ARTICLE I
GENERAL**

The Memorandum expresses the understanding between the Government of the Republic of the Philippines and the Government of the Lao People's Democratic Republic, hereinafter referred to as "Parties", concerning responsibilities and contributions respectively of the two governments with regards to technical collaboration on Malaria Control Programme.

The technical collaboration on Malaria Control Programme aims to strengthen the friendly relations between the two countries through joint undertakings in promoting health technology exchange to address the eradication of malaria which remains a constant and undiminishing threat in developing countries.

**ARTICLE II
AUTHORITIES**

The executing authorities of this technical collaboration will be:

For the Government of the Republic of the Philippines: The Malaria Control Programme of the Office for Public Health Services of the Department of Health;

For the Government of the Lao People's Democratic Republic : The Institute of Malaria Entomology and Parasitology of the Ministry of Public Health.

**ARTICLE III
GUIDELINES FOR HEALTH COLLABORATION**

This Memorandum is one of collaboration between the two Parties in pursuing health human resource development in Lao People's Democratic Republic.

Specifically, both Parties agree to develop a formal mechanism by which both Parties will participate in the formulation of technical health collaboration for Malaria Control Programme.

The Philippines shall:

1. Provide technical assistance in the actual implementation and training for human resource development especially on the areas of:

- a) malaria diagnosis;
- b) malaria epidemiology;
- c) malaria entomology;
- d) malaria control field operations;