



COUNTRY REPORT PHILIPPINES

Executive and Partners Meeting

ACT Malaria

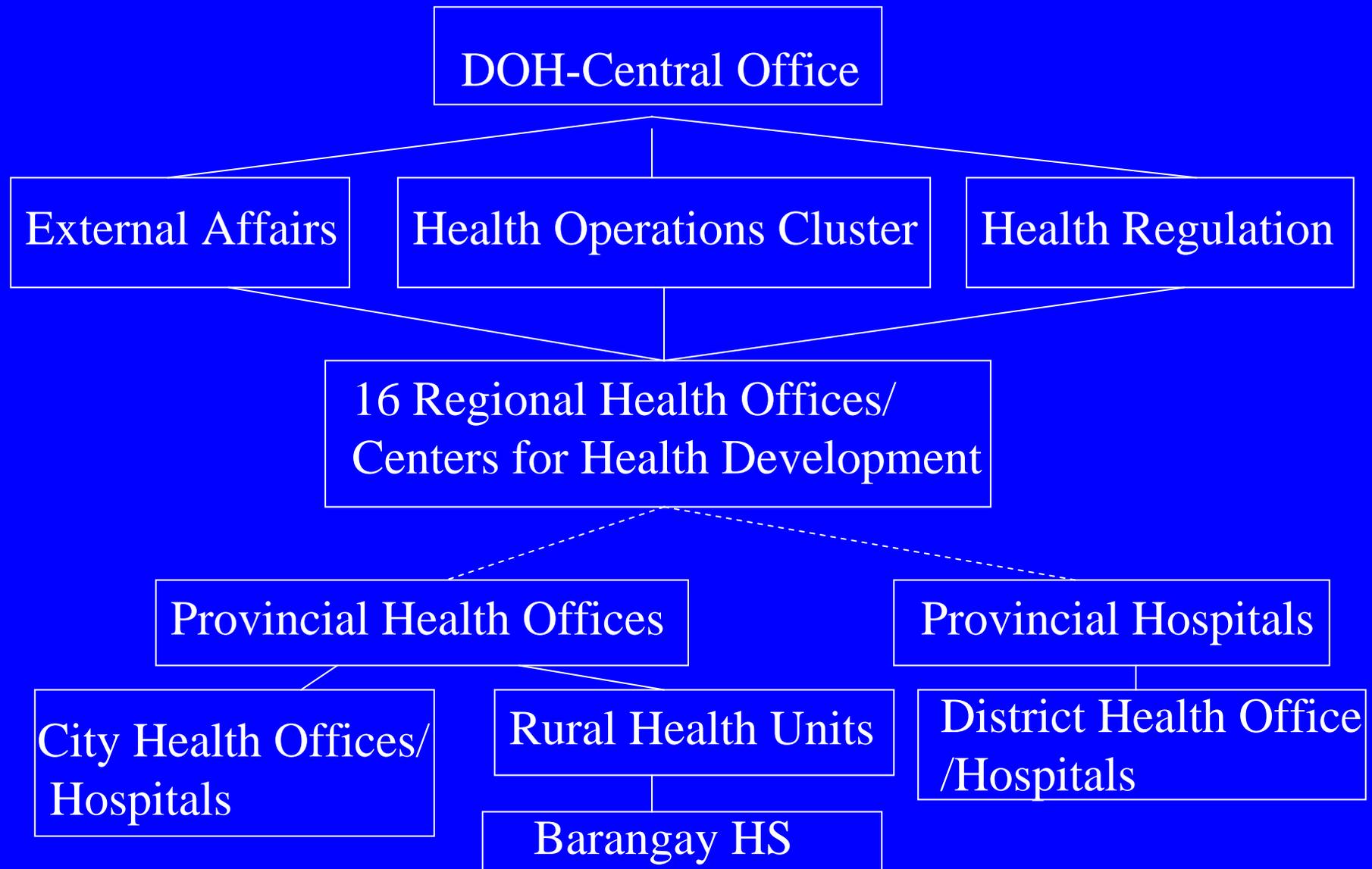
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Shanghai, China, PROC

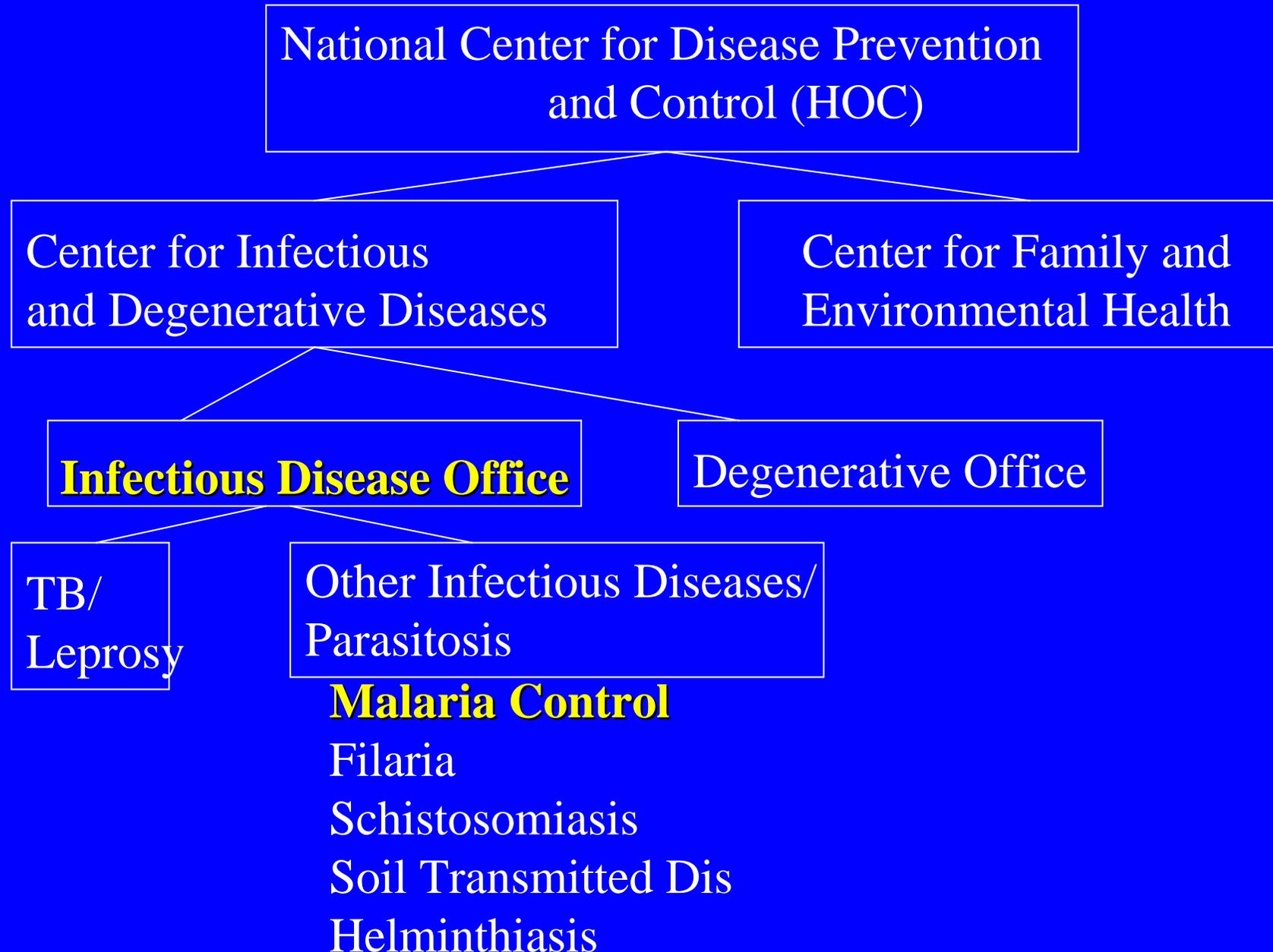
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Organizational Structure



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Malaria Situation

- 11 M Filipinos live in endemic areas
 - 15 of the 16 regions
(only NCR is considered as non-endemic)
 - 65 out of the 78 provinces
(25 provinces are highly endemic)

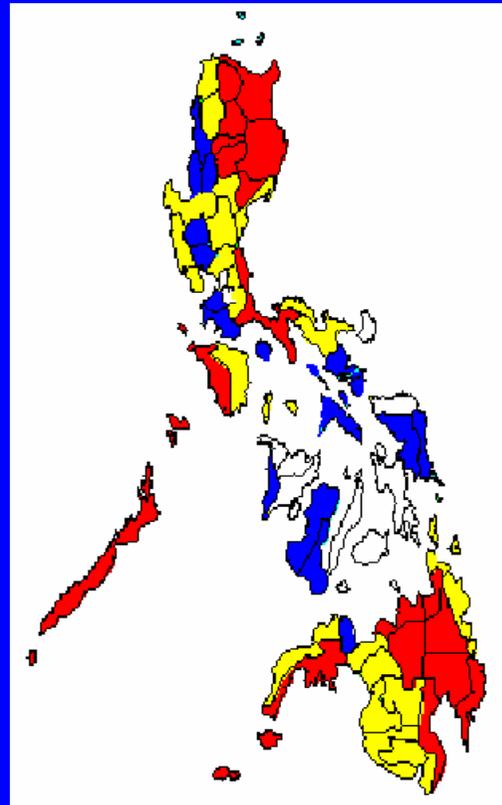




Category A Provinces

- No significant improvement in the last 10 years
- Or situation worsened in the last 5 years

Apayao
Kalinga
Ifugao
Mt. Province
Isabela
Cagayan
Quirino
Zambales
Palawan
Mindoro Occidental
Quezon



Zamboanga del Sur
Bukidnon
Misamis Oriental
Davao Oriental
Davao del Sur
Davao del Norte
Compostela Valley
Saranggani
Agusan del Sur
Agusan del Norte
Surigao del Sur
Tawi-tawi
Sulu
Basilan

Malaria Situation

- Malaria Morbidity & Mortality
 - Ranked as number 8 in the 10 leading causes of morbidity
 - 48 per 100,000 pop. (MCP, 2000)
 - 0.8 per 100,000 pop. (HIS, 2000)

Major Challenges

- Improving the managerial and technical capacities in MCP
- Working beyond the health sector to reach out to remote communities
- Empowering the communities to become active partners
- Detecting and responding early to control outbreaks and preventing its occurrence
- Combating drug resistance

Guiding Principles

- Focus on the disadvantaged groups to help address inequity
- Positioning MCP to improve its performance
- Ensure sustainability through community and multi-sectoral involvement
- Evidence-based approaches

CONTRIBUTE TO EQUITY

Reduction
Malaria Burden
(Morbidity/Mortality Reduction)

IMPLEMENTATION

Disease
Prevention &
Control

Community
Participation

Early Diagnosis
& Prompt
Treatment

- * Impregnation of Mosquito Nets
- * **Effective Insecticides**
- * Epidemic Mngt.
- * Surveillance

**Local Health System/
Hospital System**

Rural Health Units

Provincial
Health
Office /
Provincial
Hospitals

Local partners
- NGOs, Religious groups, Etc

- * Microscopic Examination
- * Rapid Dx Tests
- * **Effective Treatment**
- * Management of Referred Cases

HEALTH OPERATIONS *
Center for Health Development
Regional Hospitals

* *Quality Assurance & Control*
Monitoring and Supervision
Technical Assistance
Trainings
Logistics Support

HEALTH PROGRAM
DEVELOPMENT *

*Partner
Agencies*

HEALTH
POLICY

RESEARCH AND
DEVELOPMENT

Current Initiatives

- GFATM – Malaria Component
- IDSCP
- WHO-RBM
- WHO-RITM (RDT Quality Control)
- CDC-DOH (IDO & RITM)
 - Sentinel Sites on Drug Resistance
- QAS on Malaria Microscopy
- Border Operations