

## **B. BENEFICIARIES**

### **1. Smoking Cessation Program**

Smokers (28% of the Philippine population or about 17.3 million Filipinos)

- 83.8% are males (14.5 million)
- 16.2% are females (2.8 million)

### **2. Anti-Air Pollution Program**

- Jeepney Drivers
- Commuters
- Sidewalk Vendors
- Other individuals exposed to air particulate pollutants

### **3. Lung Cancer Early Detection Program**

- All individuals with at least 20-pack years of smoking and those who still continue to smoke or having quit smoking within the past 15 years
- Those had exposure to asbestos and its products
- Those diagnosed with COPD (Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease)
- Those with first degree relative with lung cancer

### **4. COPD Support Group Program**

**All diagnosed COPD cases**

### **5. Comprehensive Asthma Clinic**

**All diagnosed Asthma cases**

### **6. Hospice and Palliative Care Center (HPCC)**

**All terminally-ill patients regardless of diagnosis.**

### **7. Pain Management Clinic**

- Terminal cancer patients
- Orthopedic patients
- Patients suffering from other disease entities with chronic pain

### **8. Aerospace, Maritime and Travel Medicine Center (AMTMC)**

- Pilots
- Aircraft Manufacturers
- Air Transport Personnel
- Sky Divers
- Sky Sailors
- Parachuters
- Mountaineers
- Seafarers
- Travelers to Certain Countries with Special Infection Advisory and Control

**9. Critical Airway and Interventional Pulmonary Unit  
Patients with Critical and Difficult Airways.**

**10. Esophagus and Swallowing Center  
Patients with Esophageal and Swallowing Disorders**

**11. Fat-Loss Program**

- Patients/Clients who are willing to undergo weight-reduction program but have difficulty starting and/or continuing a program
- Patients /Clients with BMI (Body Mass Index) > 25
- Patients/Clients with known or suspected sleep disorders

**12. Bronchiectasis Support Group  
Patients diagnosed with Bronchiectasis**