

55 YEARS: Emerald Founding Anniversary



During the administration of then Chief of Hospital, Dr. Eugenio Mendoza Jr., Batac General Hospital (now known as MMMHMC) was declared the "Cleanest and the Hospital with the Best Service" during the National Hospital Week Celebration in 1971.



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Days to go





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The Trailblazer



MS. FREDITA T. DARADAR

was the **FIRST** and
LONGEST serving
Chief Nurse of MMMHMC
from April 11, 1968 -
July 1, 1992.

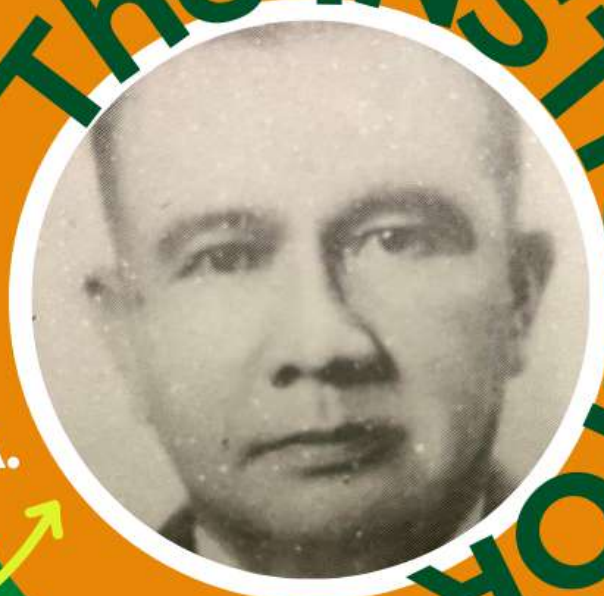




Planning, organization and initial staffing of Batac General Hospital (now known as MMMH&MC) was initiated by then Chief of Hospital of the Ilocos Norte Provincial Hospital,

DR. ROMAN DELA CUESTA.

The INSTIGATOR



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MMMHS&MC WAS CONSIDERED THE
MOST HEALTHY PLACE IN REGION 1
BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH DURING THE TERM OF
DR. MARY LU MAGNO
AS OFFICER-IN-CHARGE (FEB. 2001 - FEB. 2002).



55 Years



The Pioneers



The 16 men and women who served as the nucleus of the Batac General Hospital starting February 18, 1968 when the hospital was opened to the public.

1st row (L to R): Fredita T. Daradar, Acting Chief Nurse; Dr. Emiliana L. Salvador, Junior Resident Physician; Dr. Eugenio S. Mendoza Jr., Officer-in-Charge; Esteban R. Obien, Administrative Officer; Purification Casil, Staff Nurse; Carolina Obien, Staff Nurse.

2nd row (L to R): Manuela S. Asuncion, Laundress; Perlita Quinay, Food Service Mistress; Juris U. Pobre, Pharmacist; Lombard S. Diculen, Clerk I; Juan V. Villaruz, Bookkeeper; Fe Lagmay-Delgado, Midwife Attendant; Corazon Laroya, Midwife-attendant.

3rd row (L to R): Fausto R. Bartolome, Cook; Institutional Workers Andres P. Itay, Domingo Caluya and Pablo Lagmay.

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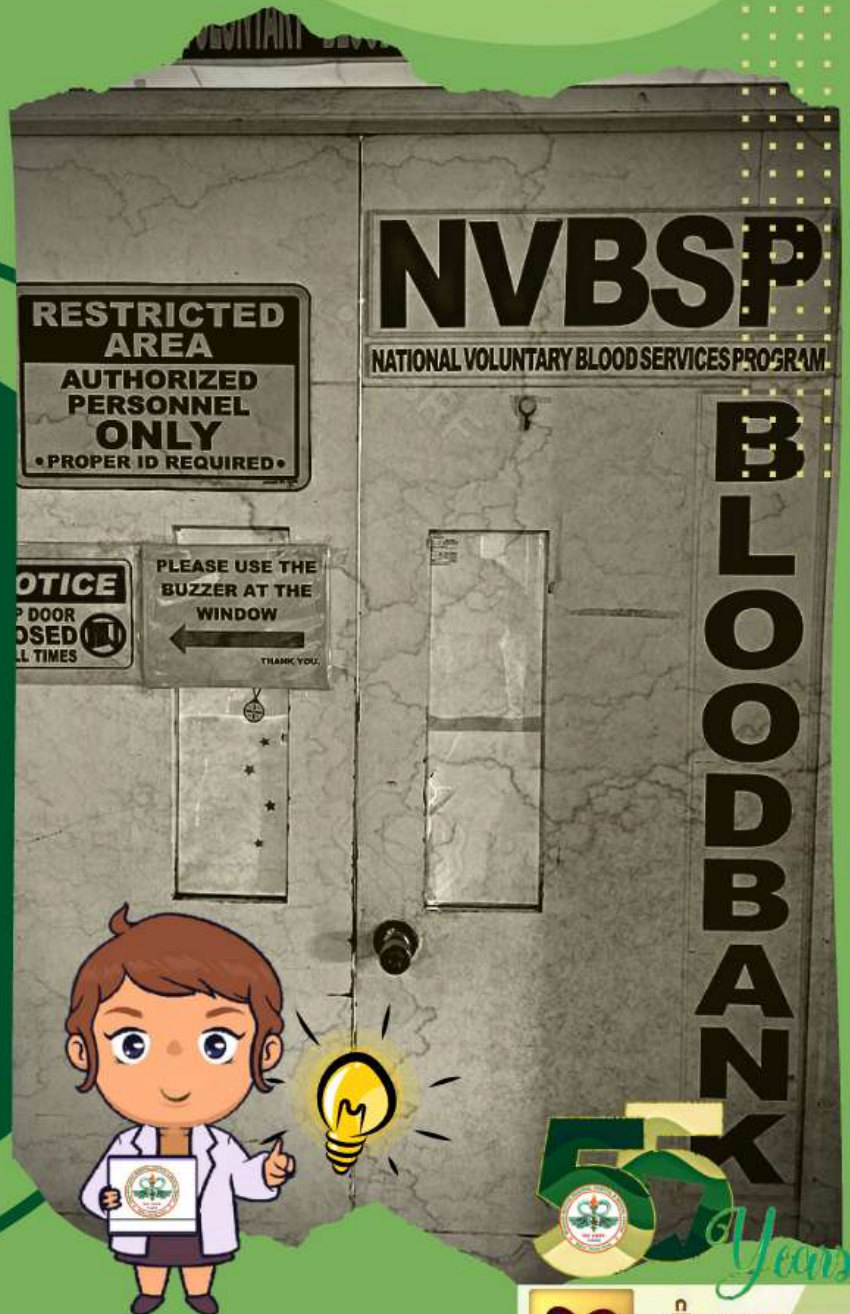
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In 1999, MMMH&MC was designated as:

- Blood Bank Center for Region 1 and upper Cagayan; and
- Eye and Cancer Center for Northwestern Luzon.



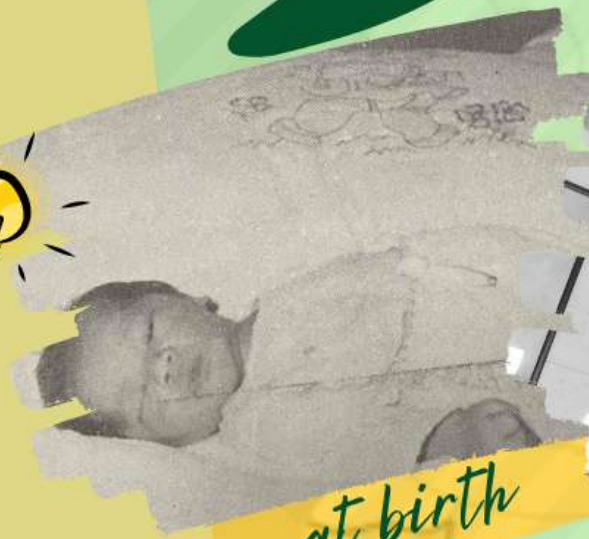
GOLD TRAILBLAZER AWARDEE

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The First Patter of Tiny Feet

Bagenho Franco,

the first baby born in the hospital on March 11, 1968 and was named after BAtac General Hospital (now known as MMMH&MC).



He is going 55 years old and now living in Arizona, USA.

