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Press Release

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NGO - Health Care Volunteers International (HCVI) to Launch Medical Library on September 18, 2014 in Phnom Penh, Cambodia.

Health Care Volunteers International is a registered not for profit organization based in Washington, D.C. with international scope and health care related projects in multiple developing countries. It is a multifaceted international humanitarian organization dedicated to promoting the health and well being of underserved individuals around the globe.

A focus on capacity building, operational excellence, and education, in addition to committed patient care, are central to the ideology and vision of the organization. The construction and operation of Cambodia's first truly modern medical library is a reflection of many of the organization's core values and goals. HCVI believes that technology can be greatly leveraged to drive knowledge, education, collaboration, efficiency, and productivity, and that this will result in more skilled and capable caregivers and ultimately better patient care for a greater number of individuals.

A 5 year MOU has been signed with the National Pediatric Hospital.

Opening Ceremonies will take place from 09:00 am until approximately 11:00 am on September 18, 2014.

The Medical Library is located in the Main Administration Building of the National Pediatric Hospital located at 100 Russian Federation Boulevard - Phnom Penh, Cambodia.

Please RSVP to frankduggan@hcv.org if you are interested in attending the Opening Ceremony or would like additional information.

HCVI is committed to being the most modern and best equipped Medical Library in the country



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of Cambodia.

The Library boasts having a central server employing thin client technology, a 70 inch TV/Video Monitor that is telemedicine enabled, and 16 computer work-stations. A computer lab and conference/lecture hall are operated and maintained by HCVI staff.

The Library provides:

- Access to Information through High Speed Fiber Optic Broadband Internet
- Leading Edge Technology and an Advanced IT Network
- Research Tools
- Educational Resources (such as the WHO online medical library, HINARI)
- Enhanced Communication Platforms
- On Site Medical and IT Training
- Telemedicine and Video Conferencing
- Space for Conferences, Lectures, Individual and Group Study

The Library is supported by a Full Time, University Trained Library and IT Staff.

Free and Open Access is granted to All Health Care Providers (Doctors, Nurses, Students, Trainees, as well as Providers in Other Related Health Care Fields).

We encourage you to visit our just launched website for additional information about the Cambodia HCVI Medical Library. We feel it will rapidly develop into an invaluable resource for Health Care Providers in Cambodia and thank you in advance for your interest and support.

<https://sites.google.com/a/hcvi.org/cambodia-medical-library/home>

Sincere and Warm Regards,

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