


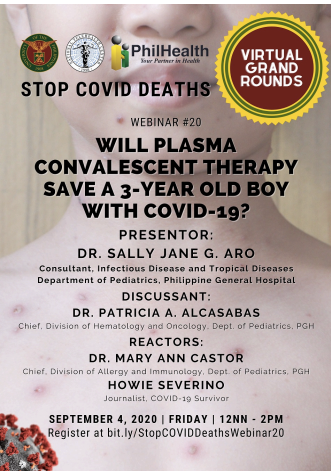


UP SYSTEM REPORT ON COVID19-RELATED ACTIVITIES (1-15 September 2020)


CU Involvement in COVID19-Related Research/Technology/Extension Activities

No.	CU	Initiative (Name/Title of Initiative)	Description (Short Description)	Source/Links	Spearheaded by:	Details (e.g. Pictures)	Other Information (e.g., social media links, links to media releases/features, more description)
1	System	Mindanao: Fractured Promises, Continuing Challenges (September 2)	<p>The forum series aimed to harness the research of the various UP CIDS programs conducting policy-oriented studies to examine some of the issues and concerns that define the Mindanao conundrum and arrive at recommendations addressed to the country's decision-makers and other stakeholders.</p> <p>The presentations tackled political, historical, and cultural issues with specific focus on the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao (BARMM).</p>	bit.ly/MindanaoForum3	Center for Integrative and Development Studies (UP CIDS)		https://www.up.edu.ph/mindanao-fractured-promises-continuing-challenges-2/



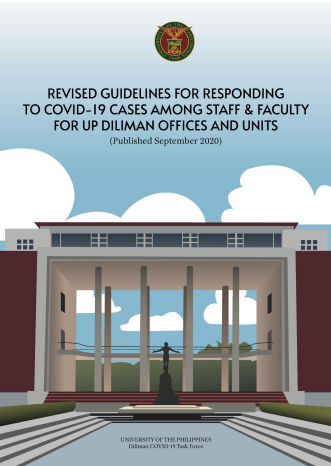
2	System	Projection on the total number of COVID cases (September 30)	The team indicated that the year-end COVID-19 figures could still go down to around 402,000 detected cases. But it could also reach as high as 767,000, depending on different factors that may affect viral transmission, detection of cases, and data reporting in the next four months. The researchers also calculate the country's COVID-19 death toll to be anywhere between 5,000 to 10,000, with the projected average at 7,500 fatalities.	https://www.cnnphilippines.com/news/2020/9/2/COVID-19-cases-in-PH-could-hit-over-half-a-million-by-end-of-2020--UP-forecast-says.html	UP COVID-19 Pandemic Response Team		
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3	<p>System</p>	<p>STOP COVID DEATHS: VIRTUAL GRAND ROUNDS: Will Plasma Convalescent Therapy Save a 3-year old Boy with COVID-19 (September 4)</p>	<p>The 20th installment of the UP webinar series “STOP COVID DEATHS: VIRTUAL GRAND ROUNDS” focused on the case of a three-year-old boy with acute lymphocytic leukemia, who was admitted to the hospital due to severe respiratory distress. When the patient’s condition did not improve even after various antibiotics were given, the medical team suspected COVID-19 and decided to put him on plasma convalescent therapy.</p> <p>The webinar in the UP webinar series dived deep into this case, with Dr. Sally Jane G. Aro, consultant in Infectious Disease and Tropical Diseases at the UP Philippine General Hospital’s (UP-PGH) Department of Pediatrics as presenter. Dr. Patricia A. Alcasabas, Chief of the Division of Hematology and Oncology, UP-PGH Department of Pediatrics, will be the discussant. Reactors were Dr. Mary Ann Castor, Chief of the Division of Allergy and Immunology, UP-PGH Department of Pediatrics, and Mr. Howie Severino, journalist and COVID-19 survivor.</p>	<p>bit.ly/StopCOVIDDeathsWebinar20</p>	<p>University of the Philippines and the UP Manila NIH Telehealth Center, in cooperation with the UP Manila College of Medicine and the UP-PGH</p>		<p>https://www.up.edu.ph/up-webinar-to-focus-on-case-of-a-child-battling-covid-19-and-cancer</p>
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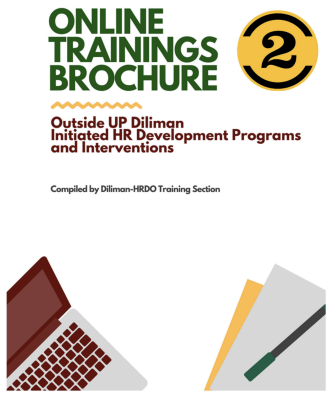

4	System	Research on the country's successful feat of flattening the curve and other trends. It also includes policy recommendations to ensure that the trend remains (September 6)	Claim based on the fact that the country's corona virus reproduction rate or R0 or R-naught – the epidemiological metric used to describe the contagiousness or transmission potential of infectious agents – has decreased to a value less than one.	https://mb.com.ph/2020/09/06/philippines-coronavirus-curve-has-flattened-up-expert/ http://www.dwiz882am.com/index.php/2-linggong-mecq-sa-metro-manila-nakatulong-para-mapababa-ang-hawaan-sa-covid-19-up-octa-research-team/ https://cebudailynews.inquirer.net/338271/ph-has-slowed-down-coronavirus-spread-up-expert https://mb.com.ph/2020/09/07/galvez-warns-of-2nd-wave-if-we-let-our-guard-down/ https://manilastandard.net/mobile/article/333427 http://www.dwiz882am.com/index.php/bawas-distansya-sa-public-transpo-delikado-prof/ https://www.gmanetwork.com/news/news/nation/755661/up-experts-new-covid-19-cases-increase-but-reproduction-number-still-below-1/story/	OCTA Research Team		
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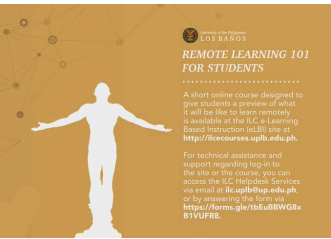
5	<p>System</p>	<p>STOP COVID DEATHS: VIRTUAL GRAND ROUNDS: Barado at Sarado: Gut Obstruction During the Time COVID-19 (September 11)</p>	<p>The 21st installment in the UP webinar series “STOP COVID DEATHS: VIRTUAL GRAND ROUNDS” focused on one such case: a patient with a history of Crohn’s disease who showed symptoms of gastric distress and partial gut obstruction but whose diagnosis was delayed, and who is also suspected to be COVID-positive. The webinar, “Barado at Sarado: Gut Obstruction During the Time COVID-19?”, was held on Friday, September 11, 2020, at 12:00 n.n. Dr. Brent Viray, Senior Resident at the UP Philippine General Hospital’s (UP PGH) Department of Surgery, will be presenter for this particular case, while Dr. Hermogenes Monroy, Chief of the Division of Colorectal Surgery, UP PGH Department of Surgery will be the discussant. Dr. Orlando Ocampo, Head of the PGH COVID Response Task Force and Chief of the Trauma Division of the UP PGH, and Ms. Cecilia G. Peña, Deputy Director for Nursing of the UP PGH, will be the reactors.</p>	<p>bit.ly/StopCOVIDDeathsWebinar21</p>	<p>University of the Philippines and the UP Manila NIH Telehealth Center, in cooperation with the UP Manila College of Medicine and the UP-PGH</p>		<p>https://www.up.edu.ph/up-online-grand-rounds-to-focus-on-covid-19s-impact-on-the-gastrointestinal-tract/</p>
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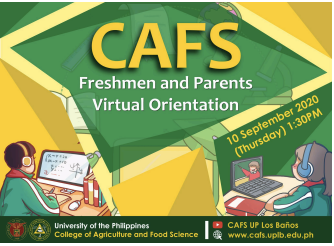
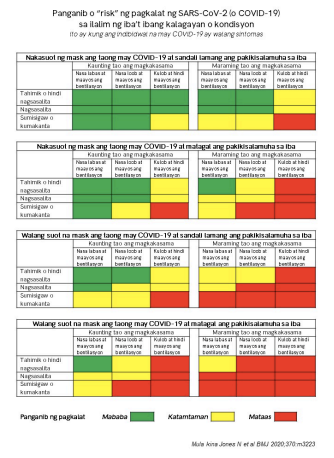
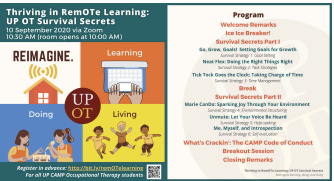
6	<p>System</p>	<p>18th Management Association of the Philippines (MAP) International CEO WebCon 2020: A Whole New World: Reigniting the Stalled Global Economy (September 15)</p>	<p>The online conference focused on the challenges of a world transformed not just by the COVID-19 pandemic but by geopolitical and geo-economic shifts even before the pandemic. It aims to jumpstart critical conversation and ignite ideas that would trigger the transformation to a changed business landscape in a new world order.</p>	<p>https://www.youtube.com/user/TheMAPph</p>	<p>University of the Philippines (Partner)</p>		<p>https://www.up.edu.ph/up-to-participate-in-18th-map-international-ceo-webcon-2020/</p>
7	<p>System</p>	<p>2021 Times Higher Education World University Rankings (THE-WUR) (September 7)</p>	<p>UP ranked fifth among noted universities in Southeast Asia (SEA) which are National University of Singapore (NUS), Nanyang Technological University (NTU), University of Malaya, and the University of Brunei Darussalam.</p> <p>The country's premiere educational institution also retains its spot in the roster of the top 500 universities in the world. According to the THE-WUR, UP remains in the 401-500 bracket, after being assessed alongside 1,527 research-intensive universities.</p> <p>UP garnered its highest score in the criterion of citations or global research influence, which accounts for 30% of its total score. THE-WUR comes out with the citation score by capturing the average number of times a university's published work is cited by scholars globally.</p>	<p>https://news.abs-cbn.com/ancx/culture/spotlight/09/07/20/up-ranks-fifth-among-best-universities-in-southeast-asia</p>			


8	System	Online Welcome Ceremony (September 9)	UP held a Systemwide Welcome Ceremony for the opening of academic year 2020-2021	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3m1ropxixAk https://www.facebook.com/upsystem/photos/a.240579535964948/3790906024265597/?type=3&theater	UP System		https://www.up.edu.ph/up-to-hold-systemwide-welcome-ceremony-for-the-opening-of-academic-year-2020-2021/
9	System	The Hatch Hub (September 2)	The Hatch Hub is an establishment where, for the cost of P50 an hour, a customer can get a personal space to work in, with free water, coffee, and power outlets (other services and packages are available). And through the #KaagapayUP project, Hatch Hub will become one of the University's partner organizations where students can use the space and its services for their online classes.	https://www.facebook.com/TheHatchHub	UP Alumni and #KaagapayUP		https://www.up.edu.ph/the-hatch-hub-on-maginhawa-st-offers-remote-learning-spaces-for-up-students
10	Diliman	Revised Guidelines for Responding to COVID-19 Cases Among Staff and Faculty for UP Diliman Offices and Units (September 2)		https://www.facebook.com/OfficialUPDiliman/photos/a.640857382658085/3270456043031526	UP Diliman COVID-19 Taskforce		

11	<p>Diliman</p>	<p>Celebrate Life 2020: Charting, Conquering & Creating a Better Normal (September 14)</p>	<p>A webinar on chartering the uncertainties, mapping and establishing connections and being able to find patterns amidst the adversities for a better normal.</p>	<p>http://bit.ly/CelebrateLifeWebinars</p>	<p>UP Diliman Office of Counseling and Guidance</p>	 <p>The graphic is a circular flow diagram for the 'Celebrate Life 2020' webinar series. At the top, it says 'CELEBRATE LIFE' with a butterfly icon. Below, it lists five sessions: 'Charting the UNCERTAINTIES' (9/14, 10 am), 'Conquering the UNKNOWN' (9/22, 5 pm), 'GEAR UP: Equipping Students with Skills + Competencies FOR THE NEW NORMAL' (9/23, 5 pm), 'BALIK SIGLA: Tips For Fitness, Health + Self-Care' (9/24, 5 pm), and 'Mind Over Matter: CBT Skills In Action' (9/25, 10 am). At the bottom, it says 'Charting, Conquering & Creating a Better Normal' and 'For details, like our FB page @ocg.upd'.</p>	<p>https://www.facebook.com/ocg.upd/photos/a.464323353731168/1733422136821277/</p>
12	<p>Diliman</p>	<p>Digital Humanities Talk (September 4)</p>	<p>It is a webinar that aimed to tackle the fundamental questions we ask in the emerging field of digital humanities. From the use and implications of science and technology in the Humanities to its practices and values.</p>	<p>https://forms.gle/aVVK7WALFhX1QFFo9</p>	<p>Tulong Kabataan - UP Diliman</p>	 <p>The poster features the title 'DIGITAL HUMANITIES TALK' in large, vertical, pixelated letters. Below the title, it lists the speakers: 'PROF. LOUISE ORSHILL "LOLO" SUNILLO' and 'PROF. RARON "BOMEN" QUILLERAO'. It also mentions 'DEPT. OF ENGLISH AND COMPARATIVE LITERATURE, UP' and 'CENTER FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDIES, UP'. At the bottom, it says 'SEPTEMBER 4 6 PM VIA GOOGLE MEET' and includes the 'INS' logo. Logos of partner organizations like OVCSSA, OCG, and others are at the very bottom.</p>	<p>https://www.facebook.com/INSphilippines/photos/a.126494309120153/153491446420439/?type=3&theater</p>


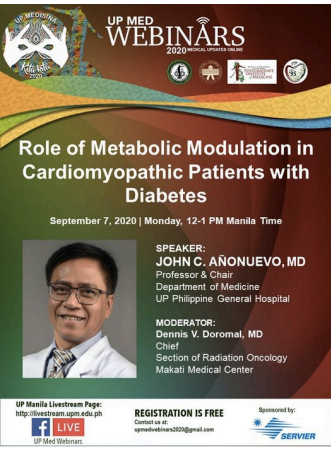
13	Diliman	Updated list of Trainings (September 11)	List of Available online trainings and programs, developed and organized by other local and international agencies and learning institutions.	https://www.facebook.com/hrdoudiliman/posts/2396723437289867	Human Resource Development Office		
14	Diliman	Bridge Program for Freshies (September 11)	It is an annual free learning support initiative of the Diliman Learning Resource Center (DLRC) for incoming freshmen who want to review their high school subjects.	https://study.com/	Diliman Learning Resource Center		https://www.facebook.com/lrc.upd/posts/1674205276069203
15	Diliman	Managing Negative Feelings with the Help of Healthy Relationships (September 12)	A webinar that aims to tackle how negative feelings may be managed through healthy relationships	https://www.facebook.com/events/325583142012247/	COPE UP UP PsychSoc		https://www.facebook.com/YouthForMentalHealth/photos/a.258068671291881/1052597558505651/


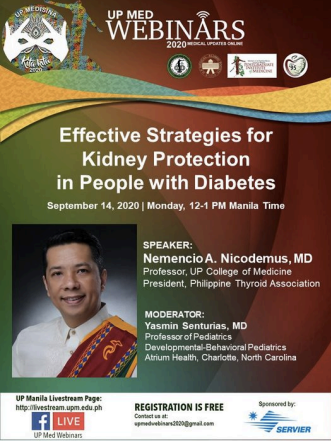
16	Diliman	Mental Health and Social Media: How is Social Media affecting our mental health (September 7)	A webinar that discusses how mental health may affect one's mental health		COPE UP UP PsychSoc		https://www.facebook.com/YouthForMentalHealth/photos/a.258068671291881/1048553735576700/
17	Diliman	I-Math Webinar Series (September 7)	A webinar that aims to discuss two studies namely, “A Nagumo-type theorem on a class of singular first order equations” and “Modeling and Control of HIV/AIDS transmission in the Philippines”	https://www.facebook.com/IMathUPD/posts/1548937328622254	UP Diliman Institute of Mathematics		
18	Los Baños	Aggie Ps Talk: Pagkain at Pangkabuhayan sa Panahon ng Pandemya (September 9)	A webinar that discussed topics that involve the meat business such as meat processing, particularly the making of <i>tapa</i> .	https://forms.gle/FJSUa3WNquMmtbQz6	College of Agriculture and Food Science		https://www.facebook.com/collegeofagricultureandfoodscienceuplb/photos/a.1830134263976343/2814349658888127/
19	Los Baños	Remote Learning 101 (September 4)	A short online course designed to give students a preview of what it will be like to learn remotely	http://ilcecourses.uplb.edu.ph	ILC e-Learning Based Instruction (eLBI)		https://twitter.com/VetMed_Library/status/1301773088745426944



20	Los Baños	CAFS freshmen and Parents Virtual Orientation (September 10)		https://www.facebook.com/collegeofagricultureandfoodscienceuplb/photos/a.1830134263976343/2818984595091300	College of Agriculture and Food Science		
21	Los Baños	Aggie Ps Talk: Pagkain at Pangkabuhayan sa Panahon ng Pandemya (September 2)	A webinar that discussed the process of white cheese making.	https://www.facebook.com/1806060626383707/videos/846445072558875/	College of Agriculture and Food Science		
22	Manila	Filipino Translation of the study, "Risk of SARS-CoV-2 Transmission in Different Settings" (September 2)	Filipino translation of the study "Risk of SARS-CoV-2 Transmission in Different Settings", an excerpt from the study, "Two metres or one: what is the evidence for physical distancing in covid-19?" by Nicholas R. Jones et al. The diagram has been translated into different languages. The translation was done by Prof. Edward Gorgon.	https://www.facebook.com/UPMANILAOFFICIAL/posts/3227605227316689			
23	Manila	Thriving in RemOTE Learning: UP OT Survival Secrets (September 10)	A webinar for all UP CAMP BS Occupational Therapy students which aimed to help them adjust to remote learning.	https://www.facebook.com/UPMANILAOFFICIAL/posts/3227339807343231	Department of Occupational Therapy of the College of Allied Medical Professions		


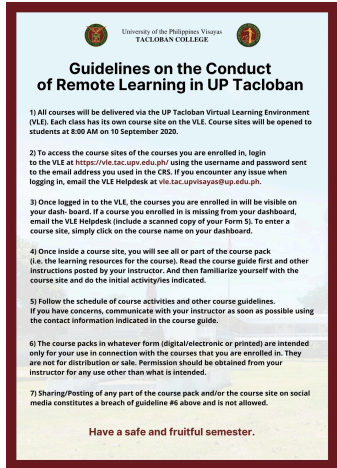

24	Manila	InSPIRE: The Official Magazine of the UP College of Medicine Community		https://sites.google.com/view/upcminspire/home?fbclid=IwAR3Ma0eDkwRVWvzCkoU0XerqXljX5oUaYzX7LEOdnM9fK1auBTUa-yxcybQ	College of Medicine		
25	Manila	Let's get real about these coronavirus tests (September 8)	A news article published in Manila bulletin entitled, "Let's get real about these coronavirus tests" which aims to discuss COVID testing.	https://www.pressreader.com/philippines/manila-bulletin/20200908/281526523459381	Edsel Maurice Salvana, Director of the Institute of Molecular Biology and Biotechnology at the National Institutes of Health		
26	Manila	UP Manila Healthscape	A COVID-19 Special edition publication featuring UP Manila and PGH's COVID- related efforts	https://www1.upm.edu.ph/sites/default/files/UP%20Manila%20Healthscape%20%20Special%20COVID%20Issue_No15%20(10%20Sept%202020).pdf	UP Manila		https://www.facebook.com/UPMANILAOFFICIAL/posts/3251621031581775
27	Manila	Public Health in Time of COVID-19 and the New Normal: A UK BHP/UP CPH Webinar Series for Public Health Workers (September 15)	Signing Ceremony of the Memorandum of Agreement between UP Manila and the British Embassy Manila and launching of "Public Health in Time of COVID-19 and the New Normal: A UK BHP/UP CPH Webinar Series for Public Health Workers"	https://twitter.com/UPCPH/status/1305765372260278273?s=20	UP Manila		


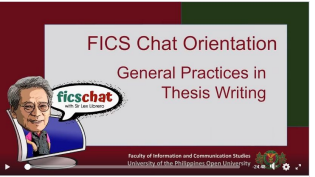


28	Manila	Kung Paano Maging Iskolar ng Bayan sa Panahon ng Pandemya (September 11)	A message delivered by Ronnie E. Baticulon during the Welcome Ceremony ng University of the Philippines Manila.	http://ronibats.ph/2020/kung-paano-maging-iskolar-ng-bayan-sa-panahon-ng-pandemya/			https://www.facebook.com/UPMANILAOFFICIAL/posts/3254648927945652
29	Manila	World PT Day 2020 (September 8)	A post that aims to show appreciation for physical therapists from various areas of practice (e.g. clinical, community, advocacy, administrative, education, research) who continue to grow and respond to the health needs of our nation and beyond.	https://www.facebook.com/up.physicaltherapy/posts/1732882696877948			
30	Manila	Compilation of Let's Get PTKal posts (September 8)	A compiled list of physical therapy and physical activity resources developed by the UP Department of Physical Therapy.	https://www.facebook.com/up.physicaltherapy/posts/1732838023549082	UP Department of Physical Therapy		


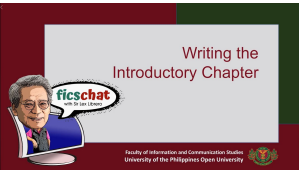


31	Manila	Acta Medica Philippina Volume 54 No. 4 2020 (September 1)	Latest issue of Acta Medica Philippina, a peer-reviewed general medical and health science journal that is published six times a year by the University of the Philippines Manila, and publishes original scientific papers in the field of basic and clinical medical or health-related research. This issue in particular is one that focuses on studies that focus on Genetics.	https://actamedicaphilippina.upm.edu.ph/index.php/acta	UP Manila		https://twitter.com/UPManilaOnline/status/1300758390436626433?s=20
32	Manila	UP Med Webinars: Role of Metabolic Modulation in Cardiomyopathic Patients with Diabetes (September 7)		http://livestream.upm.edu.ph	UP College of Medicine		https://www.facebook.com/upmedwebinars/posts/2928678387237838



33	Manila	Management of Acute Seizures in Children. (September 8)	The fifth lecture in the Dr. Salvacion R. Gatchalian Memorial Webinar Lecture Series in Pediatrics featuring Rhea Angela M. Salonga-Quimpo, MD, DPPS, FCNSP, FPNA.	http://livestream.upm.edu.ph	UP College of Medicine		https://www.facebook.com/AgeingWebinars/posts/2876522499242440
34	Manila	UP Med Webinars: Effective Strategies for Kidney Protection in People with Diabetes. (September 14)		http://livestream.upm.edu.ph	UP College of Medicine		

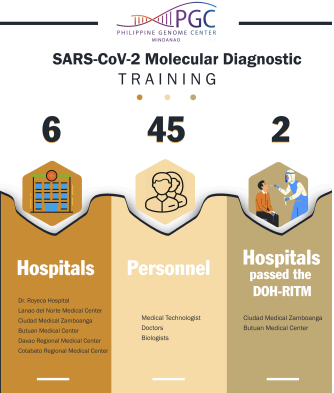
35	Visayas	Training on Molecular Techniques (RNA Extraction and rRT-PCR) for West Visayas State University Medical Center COVID-19 Testing Laboratory Team (September 11)	The West Visayas State University Medical Center COVID-19 Testing Laboratory Team participated in the Training on Molecular Techniques (RNA Extraction and rRT-PCR) for COVID-19 Testing under the UP Trains program at the UPV NIMBB Laboratories, College of Fisheries and Ocean Science, UP Visayas, Miagao, Iloilo last September 10-11, 2020.	https://www.facebook.com/PGCVisayas/posts/752605678917237			
36	Visayas	UP Tacloban First Year Students' Orientation A.Y. 2020-2021 (September 4)		https://t.co/CNwBKXoE7n?amp=1	UPV Tacloban College		https://twitter.com/UPVTacloban/status/1301538854583906304
37	Visayas	Important Information on Remote Learning in UP Visayas for Students this First Semester AY 2020-2021(September 10)		https://www.upv.edu.ph/index.php/announcements/important-information-on-remote-learning-in-up-visayas-for-students-this-first-semester-ay-2020-2021	UPV Administration		https://www.facebook.com/U.P.Visayas.Official/photos/a.151395271666420/1689532527852679/

38	Visayas	Pouring "Oil" on Troubled Waters: A Dialogue on Oil Spill (September 15)	A webinar that aims to discuss issues pertaining to oil spills, particularly local stories related to it, quality and safety concerns on oil-spill affected aquatic organisms used as food and socio-economic impacts and perspectives in oil spills.	https://up-edu.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJAocuirrzkiHdfaj0IKk4pYRzYsq_5F0djO?fbclid=IwAR06_hl6mWx2krTgrRqwKCTF8U6pulUpFJ8mScL7pV8619xuajFhc4jLaqc	UP Fisheries Guild		https://www.facebook.com/U.P.Visayas.Official/posts/1690544234418175
39	Visayas	Guidelines on the Conduct of Remote Learning in UP Tacloban (September 10)		https://www.facebook.com/upvtaclobancollege/photos/a.110348840561611/172625177667310/			
40	Open University	Edu-Hack: Navigating A Turbulent Educational Landscape (Episode 13) (September 1)	UPOU conducted the 13th episode of "Edu-Hack: Navigating A Turbulent Educational Landscape" podcast series entitled "Fostering Online and Remote Classroom Communities of Inquiry"	Fostering Online and Remote Classroom Communities of Inquiry	UPOU Office of Public Affairs, Multimedia Center, and Faculty of Education		Link to YouTube and Facebook LIVE


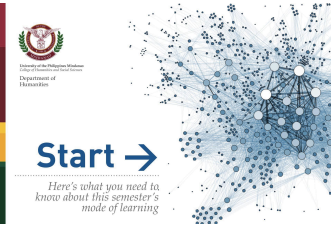

41	Open University	Futures Research Series webinar titled "Hidden Markov Model in Commodity Market" (September 3)	The UPOU Office of the Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs (OVCAA) conducted the Futures Research Series webinar titled "Hidden Markov Model in Commodity Market"	<u>Hidden Markov Model in Commodity Market</u>	UPOU Office of the Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs		
42	Open University	FICS Chats (Episode 1) (September 4)	The UPOU Faculty of Information and Communication Studies (FICS) conducted the FICS Chat, a community service program of the UPOU FICS, which intends to provide learners with knowledge and skills on writing theses and dissertations.	<u>FICS Chats (Episode 1)</u>	Faculty of Information and Communication Studies	 	UPOU Professor Emeritus, Dr. Felix Librero, the program host/ main resource speaker, conceptualized the program.
43	Open University	Training on Flexible Teaching and Learning: The Seamless Shift from Face-to-Face to Distance Education Mode of Instruction (September 11)	The Commission on Higher Education (CHED) in partnership with UPOU offers the Training Program for Teachers on "Flexible Teaching and Learning: The Seamless Shift from Face-to-face to Distance Education Mode of Instruction". This course will run until 24 September 2020.	<u>Training on Flexible Teaching and Learning: The Seamless Shift from Face-to-Face to Distance Education Mode of Instruction</u>	UPOU and CHED		This training program aims to provide teachers with additional knowledge and skills that will enhance their preparations for the kind of teaching and learning appropriate for the new normal in the time of the COVID-19 pandemic.

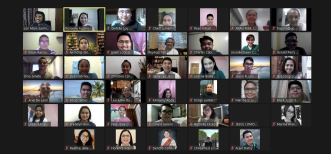
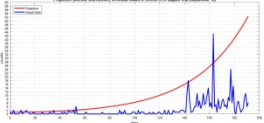
44	Open University	Part of CHED's partnership with UPOU: Training on Flexible Teaching and Learning: The Seamless Shift from Face-to-Face to Distance Education Mode of Instruction (September 11)	Dr. Melinda dela Pena Bandalaria, Chancellor and Professor of Faculty of Information and Communication Studies served as Resource Person for the: Module 1: Modes of Instruction under Flexible Learning Delivery Mode Section 1: Different modes of instruction Section 2: Learner Support Services under different modes of Instructional Delivery		UPOU and CHED		
45	Open University	FICS Chats (Episode 2) (September 11)	The UPOU Faculty of Information and Communication Studies conducted the FICS Chat, a community service program of the UPOU FICS, which intends to provide learners with knowledge and skills on writing theses and dissertations.	<u>FICS Chats (Episode 2)</u>	Faculty of Information and Communication Studies	 	UPOU Professor Emeritus, Dr. Felix Librero, the program host/ main resource speaker, conceptualized the program.
46	Open University	Virtual Sunduan and Student Orientation (September 12)	The UP Open University held the Virtual Sunduan and Student Orientation for all its alumni and students.	<u>Virtual Sunduan and Student Orientation</u>	UPOU Office of Public Affairs, Office Students Affairs, and Multimedia Center		

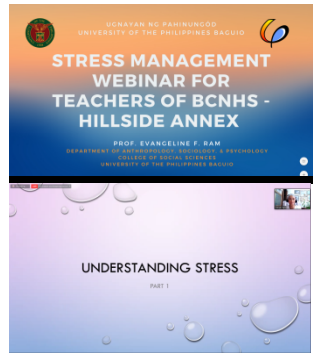
47	Open University	Part of CHED's partnership with UPOU: Training on Flexible Teaching and Learning: The Seamless Shift from Face-to-Face to Distance Education Mode of Instruction (September 14)	Dr. Joane V. Serrano served as Resource Person for the Webinar on: Module 2: The Course Package Section 1: The Course Guide Section Section 2: The Study Guide Section		UPOU and CHED		
48	Open University	Edu-Hack: Navigating A Turbulent Educational Landscape (Episode 14) (September 15)	UPOU conducted the 14th episode of "Edu-Hack: Navigating A Turbulent Educational Landscape" podcast series entitled "Voices of ALS Teachers"	<u>Voices of ALS Teachers</u>	UPOU Office of Public Affairs, Multimedia Center, and Faculty of Education		Link to <u>YouTube</u> and <u>Facebook LIVE</u>
49	Open University	Training of Teacher Trainers on Flexible Teaching and Learning in the New Normal (September 15)	The Commission on Higher Education (CHED) in partnership with UPOU offers the Training of Teacher Trainers on Flexible Teaching and Learning in the New Normal. This course will run until 16 October 2020.	<u>Training of Teacher Trainers on Flexible Teaching and Learning in the New Normal</u>	UPOU and CHED		

50	Mindanao	SARS-COV2 Molecular Diagnostic Training (September 5)	<p>As of writing, PGC Mindanao has already trained a total of 45 personnel from six (6) different hospitals and institutions in Mindanao.</p> <p>Two (2) of these hospitals have already passed the Proficiency Test from Department of Health (DOH) - Research Institute for Tropical Medicine (RITM) to proceed with COVID-19 testing.</p>	<p>https://www.facebook.com/pgcmindanao/posts/644039246539148</p> <p>https://www.facebook.com/pgcmindanao/posts/643740169902389</p> <p>https://www.facebook.com/pgcmindanao/posts/643732269903179</p>	PGC Mindanao	 <p>The infographic displays the following data:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 6 Hospitals: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dr. Reyes Hospital Larayo del Norte Medical Center Cruden Medical Zamboanga Orma Medical Center Davao Regional Medical Center Cotabato Regional Medical Center 45 Personnel: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Medical Technologist Doctors Biologists 2 Hospitals passed the DOH-RITM: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cruden Medical Zamboanga Bucayan Medical Center 	
51	Mindanao	COVID-19 projections for Davao (September 2)	<p>The IAM laboratory projected that total Covid-19 cases in Davao City may hit 2,500 by the end of September. This was due to the restrictions being eased and more people being allowed to move around.</p> <p>Dr. May Anne E. Mata, Associate Professor of Applied Mathematics, head of IAM lab, DMPCS, UP Mindanao, said the Covid-19 situation in the city and the rest of Davao Region remains to be under control.</p>	<p>https://www.sunstar.com.ph/article/1869014/Davao/Opinion/Editorial-Keeping-Covid-19-under-control</p>	Interdisciplinary Applied Modeling laboratory (IAM lab)		

52	Mindanao	LIHOK Startup Roadshow Virtual Demo Day (September 5)	The event showcased the pitch of six startup teams who participated in the roadshow conducted by UPGrADE in Nabunturan, Davao de Oro. The roadshow was a program of UPGrADE to strengthen the innovation and startup environment in Davao Region. It aimed to discover local talents and develop impact-driven innovative ideas by holding Bootcamp and Mentoring Sessions to the places in the Region.	https://www.facebook.com/watch/live/?extid=WlsyO1G7aD9XP9lq&v=1144987869218386&ref=watch_permalink	UPGrADE TBI - UP Mindanao		
53	Mindanao	Innovative Startup Knowledge Optimizer (ISKO) Program (September 12)	After the lecture sessions on Minimum Viable Product, the startup teams had their consultation with mentor Cherryanne Lee Angoy (co-founder of Streetby) as the conclusion for Module 2. Cohort 1 is now set to begin Module 3 as they continue to grind in the startup community.	https://www.facebook.com/upgradetbi/posts/382521803144260	UPGrADE TBI - UP Mindanao		

54	Mindanao	Feature of Marilou Montiflor, recipient of the Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research (ACIAR) Alumni Research Support Facility (ARSF) for her research entitled, "Enabling inclusive policies to enhance women's roles in developing resilient food and agriculture systems in the Philippines." (September 15)		https://www.facebook.com/UPMindanao/posts/4412688452137055			
55	Mindanao	Guidelines for Students on the conduct of the upcoming First Semester AY 2020-2021 for their BACMA and BAE students (September 10)		https://www.facebook.com/UPMindanao/posts/4383709438368290	Department of Humanities		
56	Mindanao	Orientation on Academic Policies (September 8)		https://www.facebook.com/UPMindanao/posts/4376770909062143	Office of University Registrar		

57	Mindanao	Bridge Program for Master of Management Students (September 5)	The School of Management welcomes the incoming batch of Master in Management students, who completed the MM Bridge Program held on 29 August and 5 September 2020.	https://www.facebook.com/upschoolofmanagement/posts/922423398255126	School of Management		
58	Baguio	UP Baguio Prof. Rizavel Addawe of the Department of Mathematics and Computer Science, College of Science, and her team has been helping the City Health Services Office of Baguio map out and interpret COVID-19 data. (September 10)	UPB Prof. Rizavel Addawe reported to the Baguio City Inter-Agency Task Force led by Mayor Benjamin Magalong last Sept. 12, 2020 that Baguio City's Coronavirus disease (COVID-19) control measures are so far succeeding in keeping cases under control. Based from their findings, the well-placed measures like the sustained expanded testing had been instrumental in preventing Covid-19 cases from rising at an exponential rate.	https://www.facebook.com/pio.baguio/posts/635413217110804	Prof. Rizavel Addawe UPB Department of Mathematics and Computer Science, college of Science		https://www.facebook.com/pio.baguio/photos/a.307110313274431/635413190444140/
59	Baguio	Digital tour of the campus for freshmen (September 12)	A digital tour of the University of the Philippines (UP) Baguio campus greeted 750 freshmen during the formal opening on Thursday of its completely digital first semester.	https://newsinfo.inquirer.net/1334350/up-baguio-opens-complete-digital-semester			
60	Baguio	UPB VLE Workshop (September 8 and 9)	An online workshop featuring the features, basics, benefits, and requirements of UPB UVLE	https://www.facebook.com/watch/live/?extid=VuvAuumrdaPVi2fy&v=3050117911783640&ref=watch_permalink https://www.facebook.com/watch/live/?extid=G4Q1XnClGvp1ddsM&v=369847374038840&ref=watch_permalink			

61	Baguio	Pagsalubong sa mga Bagong e-Skolar ng Bayan (September 10)	Online welcome video for the UP Baguio freshmen	https://www.facebook.com/watch/?v=647609919496125&extid=nQkP1WRIs2QJZ3qw			
62	Baguio	CSC Fieldnotes (September 11)	A podcast that discussed interdisciplinary projects on ethnobotany, ranging from tapping underutilized Cordilleran plants for food products to building online databases on Cordillera plants for knowledge transfer.	https://open.spotify.com/show/2oDR93FhlZ8qDrXzx5qXHt?fbclid=IwAR15ZuN-P6aGWAEJ0VAkcQM8I9qhxml9crHju4QBmsrmeLP7CaFIPuBBISc	Cordillera Studies Center		https://www.facebook.com/cordistudiescenter/posts/3019703601474995
63	Baguio	Stress Management Webinar for Teachers of BCNHS-Hillside Annex (September 4)	UPB Professor Evangeline F. Ram conducted a stress management webinar for public school teachers of the Baguio City National High School-Hillside Annex last Sept. 4, 2020.	https://www.facebook.com/pahinungod.upbaguio/photos/pcb.648142389169241/648142062502607/	UPB Ugnayan ng Pahinungod		
64	Cebu	Teacher Professional Development - Virtual Action Research Mentoring Program (September 1)	The UP Cebu Ugnayan ng Pahinungod conducted a Virtual Action Research Mentoring Program with participants from Santa Rosa National High School, Olango Island, Lapu Lapu City, Cebu held on 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 8th and 11th of September 2020 via Zoom	https://www.facebook.com/upcpahinungod/posts/330699785011370	Dr. Aurelio P. Vilbar		

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PGH COVID-19 Daily Report

A daily update on the number of confirmed, probable, suspect and recovered/improved cases

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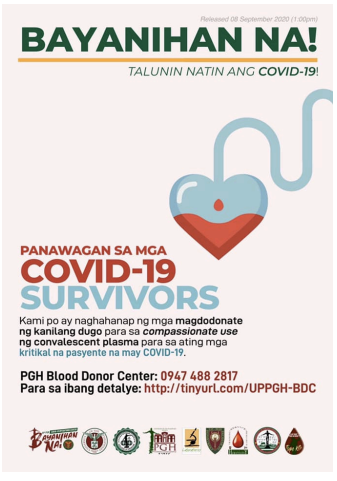
66	PGH	Epilepsy Lay Forum (September 4)	A webinar that discusses epilepsy and how one may manage people with epilepsy during the time of a pandemic.	https://www.facebook.com/philippinegeneralhospitalofficial/photos/pcb.3544080632289817/3544076595623554/			
67	PGH	40th Anniversary Lecture Series: Maximizing Mentorship Opportunities (September 11)		https://twitter.com/fredtingmd/status/1300577243664732160/photo/1	Department of Medical Oncology		

CU Involvement in COVID19-Related Research/Technology in the Development or Call for Donation Stages

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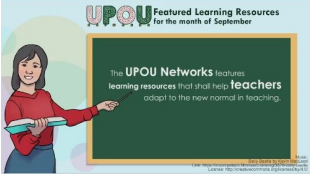
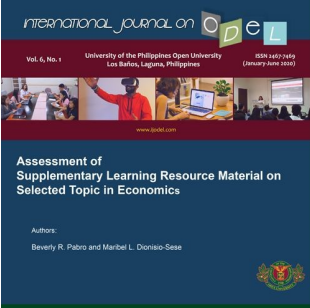
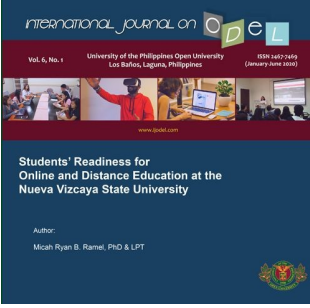
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1	Open University	Kaagapay+ sa Pag-Aaral ng Iskolar ng Bayan sa UP Open University (September 1)	UPOU-Kaagapay+ is an expansion of the Kaagapay sa Pag-aaral ng Iskolar ng Bayan or #KaagapayUP program spearheaded by the UP System. UPOU-Kaagapay+ aims to help address the different and yet unique needs of the UPOU students.		Office of Student Affairs		Anyone can donate directly to the UP Open University Foundation, Inc. through the Bank of the Philippine Islands, Los Banos Branch, Account Number: 0911 0656 14.
2	Baguio	“Kaagapay UP Baguio”	Following the “Kaagapay sa Pag-aaral ng mga Iskolar ng Bayan Fundraising and Resource Generation Campaign” or Kaagapay UP initiated by the UP System administration, UPB organized “Kaagapay UP Baguio” with the same objective to help support the remote learning needs of needy and deserving students, specifically those enrolled in UPB.	https://www.facebook.com/Official-UPB/photos/a.1813371532290746/2403284586632768/?type=3&theater	Office of the Director for Student Affairs		http://www.baguiomid-landcourier.com.ph/city.asp?mode=archives%2F2020%2Faugust%2F8-9-2020%2Fcity10-UPB-calls-for-donations.txt&fbclid=IwAR33ti5rVEYtH-Da1Hcr2BxaSrpq3j7-JEuhUJDI5tHsz1R-r1POy2fHvBG14c

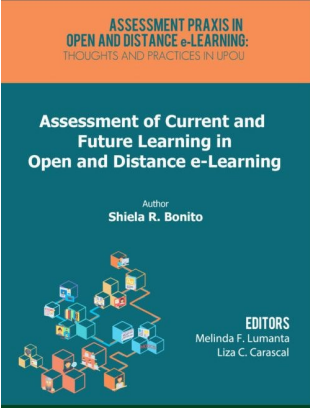

3	Baguio	Kindness is Contagious: FUNdemic Covers for a Cause (September 5)	A benefit homemade Music Jam Session for UP Baguio students needing computers and internet access for the incoming school year.	https://www.facebook.com/up-baguioCS/photos/a.601877197088873/658892951387297/	College of Science	 <p>KINDNESS IS CONTAGIOUS #MicTestingNow FUNdemic COVERS FOR A CAUSE</p> <p>DEPARTMENT OF BIOLOGY and UP BIOLOGY SOCIETY COLLEGE OF SCIENCE UNIVERSITY OF THE PHILIPPINES BAGUIO</p> <p>FOR DONATIONS: ACCOUNT NAME: ROSEMARY M. GUTIERREZ</p> <p>INTERNATIONAL PayPal Account: paypal.me/rosemarymgutuzPB</p> <p>LOCAL UNIONS BANK Union Bank Savings Account Number: 1034-2222-4022</p> <p>BDO BDO Savings Account Number: 0231-3000-4943</p> <p>GCash GCash Account Number: 0789541078</p>	
4	Baguio	CRESCEND O: Healing in Harmony (September 1)	Fundraising online concert	https://www.facebook.com/OfficialUPB/posts/2421151118179448		 <p>Healing in Harmony CRESCENDO A BAGUIO DAY CONCERT</p> <p>STREAMING LIVE FROM UP BAGUIO TEATRO AMIANAN SEPTEMBER 1, 2020 - 5:00 PM</p>	
5	Cebu	Abag sa Pagtungha (September 6)	A fundraising campaign for the UP Cebu students.	https://www.sunstar.com.ph/article/1869400/Cebu/Opinion/Editorial-Connecting-learners			https://www.facebook.com/upcebuofficial/posts/2956236564481930

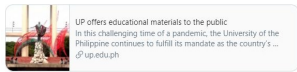


6	PGH	Call for Blood Donations (September 8)	A call for blood donations appealing to COVID-19 survivors to donate.	https://www.facebook.com/philippinegeneralhospitalofficial/posts/3561844600513420	PGH Blood Donation Center		
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CU Involvement in COVID19-Related Coping Mechanisms (for students, faculty, researchers, staff, and community/residents)


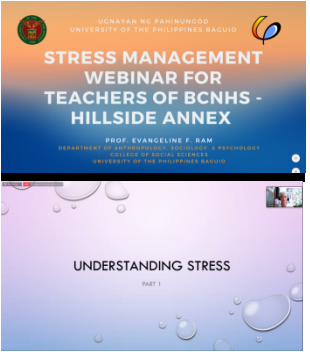
Provision for IEC materials							
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1	Diliman	The Isko/Iska Guide for Remote Learning (September 8)	A video that aims to give fool-proof study guides for UP students to help them adjust to remote learning.	https://www.facebook.com/watch/?v=3282324551848913	UP Diliman Committee on Remote Learning		
2	Visayas	Infographics on UPV's Learning Management System (LMS) (September 11)	A infographic that contains relevant information on UPV's learning management system, or UPV's virtual learning environment, an online system to deliver and manage courses.	https://www.upv.edu.ph/index.php/news/what-is-upv-learning-management-system	UPV Administration		https://www.facebook.com/U.P.Visayas.Official/posts/1690595747746357

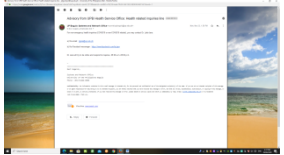

3	Open University	Featured Learning Resources for Teachers (September 1)	<p>Uploaded on 01 September 2020</p> <p>The UPOU Networks featured various learning materials that can help guide teachers as they adjust and adapt to the new normal in teaching and learning.</p>	<p><u>Featured Learning Resources for Teachers</u></p>	UPOU Multimedia Center		
4	Open University	Assessment of Supplementary Learning Resource Material on Selected Topic in Economics (September 4)	A research paper written by Beverly R. Pabro and Maribel L. Dionisio-Sese that focuses on "Assessment of Supplementary Learning Resource Material on Selected Topic in Economics."	<p><u>Assessment of Supplementary Learning Resource Material on Selected Topic in Economics</u></p>	UPOU Multimedia Center		<p>Link to <u>Facebook post</u></p> <p>This research paper is one of the articles included in the June 2020 edition of IJODEL</p>
5	Open University	Students' Readiness for Online and Distance Education at the Nueva Vizcaya State University (September 7)	A research paper written by Micah Ryan B. Ramel that focuses "Students' Readiness for Online and Distance Education at the Nueva Vizcaya State University."	<p><u>Students' Readiness for Online and Distance Education at the Nueva Vizcaya State University</u></p>	UPOU Multimedia Center		<p>Link to <u>Facebook post</u></p> <p>This research paper is one of the articles included in the June 2020 edition of IJODEL</p>


6	Open University	Assessment of Current and Future Learning in Open and Distance e-Learning (September 11)	New Featured Book Chapter entitled "Assessment of Current and Future Learning in Open and Distance e-Learning" by Dr. Shiela R. Bonito	<u>Assessment of Current and Future Learning in Open and Distance e-Learning</u>	UPOU Multi-media Center		<p>Link to <u>Facebook post</u></p> <p>This research paper is one of the articles included in the June 2020 edition of IJODEL</p>
7	Open University	Reflections from R&D Managers (September 11)	The UPOU Faculty of Management and Development Studies (FMDS) provided free e-copies of a book on Research and Development Management (R&D).	<u>Reflections from R&D Managers</u>	UPOU Multi-media Center and FMDS		<p>Request access to the book through this link.</p> <p>Link to <u>Facebook post</u></p> <p>The book is intended for both aspiring and incumbent R&D managers, students/learners of R&D management, and to all those who are interested to know how S&T based information transform into tangible products and technologies from the reflections of the R&D managers.</p>

8	Open University	UPOU offers Educational Materials to the Public (September 3)	03 September 2020 A social media post about the educational materials produced by the UP System which are made available to the public	<u>UPOU offers Educational Materials to the Public</u>	Office of Public Affairs		
9	Open University	Access hundreds of FREE Educational Resources made available by UP Open University (September 9)	A social media post about the free educational resources made available by UPOU through the UPOU website page.	<u>OERs made available by UPOU</u>	Office of Public Affairs		<u>Link to website post</u>
10	Baguio	General guide to the UP Baguio Virtual Learning Environment (September 9)	A series of infographic that aims to guide students to the virtual learning environment of UP Baguio	https://www.facebook.com/OfficialUPB/photos/?tab=album&album_id=2428824900745403			



11	PGH	Epilepsy and Safety During the COVID-19 Pandemic	A series of infographic that includes a guide on what to do with a person with epilepsy during the pandemic	https://www.facebook.com/philippinegeneralhospitalofficial/posts/3544073708957176	UP PGH		
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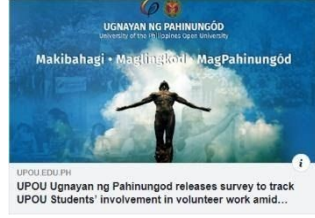

Provision for Psychosocial Support							
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1	Open University	The OSA Psychosocial Online Support Hub	OSA Psychosocial Online Support Hub is an initiative of the Guidance and Counseling Program (GCP), Office of Student Affairs (OSA) of the Office of the Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs (OVCAA).	The OSA Psychosocial Online Support Hub	Office of Student Affairs		
2	Baguio	Stress Management Webinar for Teachers of BCNHS-Hillside Annex	UPB Professor Evangeline F. Ram conducted a stress management webinar for public school teachers of the Baguio City National High School-Hillside Annex last Sept. 4, 2020.	https://www.facebook.com/pahinungod.upbaguio/photos/pcb.648142389169241/648142062502607/	UPB Ugnayan ng Pahinungod		

3	Baguio	Advisory from UPB Health Service Office: Health related inquiries line	UPB Doctor Laila Jara conducts online medical consultation and responds to non-emergency health inquiries (COVID19 or non-COVID19 related via email: lgjara@up.edu.ph and via Facebook messenger: https://www.facebook.com/lai.jara	https://mail.google.com/mail/u/0?ik=ee83d5d41f&view=pt&search=all&permthid=thread-f%3A1661933389040460161&simpl=msg-f%3A1661933389040460161	UPB Health Service Office		https://www.facebook.com/lai.jara
4	Baguio	HSO request for Information: PUM/PUI	To provide proper assistance to PUM or PUI's of UPB	https://mail.google.com/mail/u/0?ik=ee83d5d41f&view=pt&search=all&permthid=thread-f%3A1662327850610422230&simpl=msg-f%3A1662327850610422230	UPB Health Service Office		

Provision for PPEs							
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1	Visayas	Donation of Powered air-purifying respirator (September 12)	Donation of 10 complete sets of PAPR and 11 hoods to West Visayas State University	https://www.facebook.com/photo/?fbid=10216982382247579&set=a.1836234341420	UP IAmUPhi and UPAA		

Provision for new work arrangements							
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1	Visayas	HSU Video - Return to Work Guidelines	A video discussing the return to work guidelines of UP Visayas Health Service Unit	https://www.facebook.com/watch/?v=604832726826045	UP Health Service Unit		

2	Baguio	Work resumes at UPB with "extreme caution" vs COVID	<p>UPB faculty, staff, and employees continue to observe health protocols: wearing of face masks and face shields, frequent handwashing or sanitizing, and physical distancing as they continue to report for work.</p> <p>Vulnerable personnel are still advised to work-from-home.</p> <p>The administration also provides shuttle services for UPB employees.</p>	<p>https://www.facebook.com/Official-UPB/photos/pcb.2337226859905208/2337226009905293/?type=3&theater</p>	Office of the Chancellor	 	<p>https://www.facebook.com/Official-UPB/photos/pcb.2334357143525513/2334353646859196/?type=3&theater</p> <p>http://www.baguio-midlandcourier.com.ph/city.asp?mode=archives/2020/may/5-24-2020/city7-Work-resumes-at-UPB.txt</p>
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Other initiatives							
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1	Los Baños	Tulong KKK (September 15)	It is a project which aimed to assist the UPLB students with free internet connectivity through Tulong Konek, gadgets through Tulong Kompyuter, and wellness support through Tulong Kagalingan.	https://uplb.edu.ph/all-news/uprhs-class-95-partners-with-globe-and-accenture-to-assist-in-remote-learning/	Class '95 and UPRHS Alumni Association		
2	Open University	Pahinungod Survey for UPOU Students	A survey form developed by the Ugnayan ng Pahinungod UPOU to document UPOU students' volunteer work and activities during the COVID-19 pandemic.	Pahinungod Survey for UPOU Students	Ugnayan ng Pahinungod UPOU		Link to Facebook post
3	Baguio	Food for UPB cats	The Animal Welfare Committee continues to attend to the basic needs and care for the resident felines of UP Baguio campus.	https://www.facebook.com/OfficialUPB/photospcb.2328971597397401/2328968754064352/?type=3&theater	Prof. Jennifer In-overo, UPB Animal Welfare Committee		

COVID-19 Cases

Number of Suspect Cases	Number of Probable Cases	Number of Confirmed Cases
		118 (UP Diliman)

Data on Students, Faculty, Frontline Healthcare Workers, and other UP community members

Number of Students Stranded in Dormitories and On-Campus Residences	Number of Professor Emeriti or Retired Faculty Members who may need help	Number of Frontline Healthcare Workers in Health Service Units	Other UP Community Members who need urgent assistance (e.g. custodial workers, security personnel, janitorial staff, etc.)