

Abstract

This study entitled "*A Center for Health Improvement and Life Development House*" is a project that shelters the indigent patients coming from distant provinces. The said project serves as their temporarily abode while they are on treatment. With CHILD HOUSE, the foundation could uplift the quality of life of the said indigent patients by giving them holistic care, which in turn can make their life longer. But considering the current situation of the foundation at the PCSO (Philippine Charity Sweepstakes Office) compound, they wish to transfer on a more stable place which can accommodate hundreds of indigent patients together with their guardian, to facilitate their treatment and wellness. As they were affected of different political issues, they still were hoping for the brighter side that they can move on and continue for their healing. Even they are encountering obstacles, many of their partners and supporters are still supporting the goal of the CHILD HOUSE.

Currently they rent a house having incomplete amenities to satisfy their daily activities like trainings for guardians, clinic for daily check-up and monitoring, bedrooms to accommodate all the indigent patients and other facilities. The proposal aims to promote a healing place like a real home. Wellness Center, Training Center, Lodging Facilities, Learning Center and Recreational Facility are just some of the visualized spaces.

The prime approach for Architectural design conceptualization shall provide comfortable space that will promote healing. It will focus on a sustainable solution for the patients who will stay in the area, a green design to create an environmental friendly, which can also improve the quality of the building occupant health and the environment. The building design takes advantage of natural day lighting, passive cooling, water conservation, and solar electric energy generation.

Proposed: **C**enter for **H**ealth **I**mprovement and **L**ife **D**evelopment **H**ouse

