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CHEDRO8 lauds topnotch nurses

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Commission on Higher Education Regional Office VIII congratulates the Bachelor of Science in Nursing graduates who are among the top performers in the November 2014 Nurse Licensure Examination (NLE).

Janelle Joy F. Ponferrada of St. Scholastica's College Tacloban placed second with 86.60% rating while Cheryl C. Ymas of San Lorenzo Ruiz College of Ormoc with 86.20% rating and Kelvin Kenn B. Magdaraog of the University of Eastern Philippines with 86% rating landed third and fourth, respectively. Graduates of

San Lorenzo Ruiz College of Ormoc also earned the seventh and eight places. Carmel Jane C. Cobacha got 85.40% rating while Ma. Luiela P. Arcenal got 85.20%. Vanessa Laarni A. Meniano of St. Scholastica's College Tacloban placed tenth with 84.80% rating.

Meanwhile, the Remedios Trinidad Romualdez Medical Foundation (RTRMF), together with three other HEIs in the Philippines, ranked first in the Top Ten Performing Schools with 50 or more examinees and with at least 80% passing percentage. All 108 (100%) examinees of

RTRMF passed the said NLE.

Three other Eastern Visayas institutions offering BSN program posted a 100% passing percentage. These are Colegio de Sta. Lourdes of Leyte Foundation in Tabontabon, Leyte (30 examinees), Samar State University Main Campus in Catbalogan City (18 examinees) and UP Manila School of Health Sciences in Palo, Leyte (14 examinees).

The national passing percentage is 57.29 or 15,292 out of 26,690 examinees passed.

Top Performing Nursing Schools in November 2014 NLE

Rank	Higher Education Institution	Passers/Examinees	Passing %
1	Remedios T. Romualdez Medical Foundation	108/108	100%
	Saint Paul University-Boilo	50/50	100%
	Saint Paul University-Tuguegarao	66/66	100%
	Xavier University	157/157	100%
2	Pamantasan ng Lungsod ng Maynila	103/105	98.10%
3	MSU-Iligan Institute of Technology	113/116	97.41%
4	Mindanao State University-Marawi City	92/95	96.84%
5	San Pedro College-Davao City	215/224	95.98%
6	Mariano Marcos State University-Davao	114/120	95.00%
7	Cebu Doctors University	112/119	94.12%
8	Central Philippine University	262/282	92.91%
9	Saint Mary's University	100/108	92.59%
10	University of San Agustin	143/155	92.26%