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A. The Annual Outstanding Residents awarding was held in January 11, 2010 coinciding with the 50th Anniversary of the UERM Hospital. I was unable to attend the occasion. Due to my travel schedule, we arrived in the Philippines later than the above date.

B. Dean Alfaretta Reyes was kind enough to fill me in with the informations

1. The committee in the Philippines is composed of Drs. Maribeth delos Santos, Andy Borromeo, Lily L. Sia Vargas, Grace Brizuela with Dean A. Reyes sitting with them to finalize the selection of the awardees. Dr. M. delos Santos, the Chief of Clinics, is the chairman. We communicate with her and Dr. A. Borromeo pertaining to this award.
2. The above committee discusses with the respective departmental Residents Training Officer the policies, procedures and criteria for searching the best residents.
3. Five Outstanding Residents were chosen from the field of candidates for this year.
 - a)- Dr. Jasmin T. Jo -- Clinical Neurosciences, section of Neurology
 - b)- Dr. Helen L. Dy-Eduvas – Medicine
 - c)- Dr. Arthur Jason S. Go – Medicine
 - d)- Dr. Mylah R. Seroje – Obstetrics and Gynecology
 - e)- Dr. Jose Nicanor P. Del Rosario III – Clinical neurosciences, Section Neurosurgery

C. The AFUSA-RAC received the following acknowledgements from:

1. Chief of Clinics receiving \$1000 on 12/22/09

2. The UERM Cashier- Collector receiving \$500 on 3/19/10
3. The five Resident Awardees receiving \$100 each with their remarks and short thank you notes.

D. RAC will clarify with the AFUSA-Treasurer the transfer of funds.

E. Recommendations:

1. As discussed before, we want some input from the representative of the undergraduates in the selection process of the Outstanding Residents. We will request Dr. Borromeo to implement this.
2. There should be a better communication between the two Committees here and in the Philippines, at least inform the Committee here in the USA the list of the chosen awardees and date of the ceremony. In so doing, we can finalize the award, inform our treasurer for the funds, and probably make arrangements if possible to attend the ceremony. Also, for the committee here to be able to submit a complete report to the Foundation.
3. The AFUSA-RAC should be allowed to uniformly increase the award to each recipient within the budget, if there are fewer awardees chosen for that year.

Finally, we hope that these awards will be incentives to improve the quality of our resident graduates and their relation with their undergraduates.

Respectfully Submitted by:

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