

LUMS & LORMA CATARACT MISSION

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SAN FERNANDO, LA UNION – La Union Medical Society and Lorma Medical Center has once again partnered in a noble project of providing free cataract surgery and laser treatment to indigents.

The recipients for cataract surgery were Leonila Labador Padilla, Nelson Bargas Macagba and Carmelita Ordoño Peralta. Carlos Mayo was a recipient for laser treatment. All indigents were screened through DSWD.

Lorma Medical Center waived patient fees for the use of the operating room, its Phaco machine and laser facility, whereas LUMS specialists provided their free eye services, intraocular lenses and waived fees for instruments used.

Dr. Reynaldo Espinueva, LUMS President, and Mr. Robert Kaiser, Jr., Lorma's EVP and Hospital Administrator, plan to carry on this mission annually, not only because of corporate social responsibility to the public, but also to alleviate the continued surge of blindness resulting from cataracts.

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