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ONE MILLION EGGS MOVEMENT



In commemoration of the Indonesian Dedicated Doctors Day 2015, the Indonesian Medical Association initiates a movement to increase the protein intake specially from eggs for Indonesian children . There are still a high number of malnutrition due to low protein consumption that became the attention of the whole health stakeholder, including the IMA.



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The Indonesian Medical Association, from the National Board down to the province and then the district level distribute about one million eggs to Indonesian school age children.
This event is done in collaboration with Ministry of Social Affair, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Women and Children Empowerment.



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IMA TELEVISION HEALTH CHANNEL



The IMA, together with one of the capital's daily newspaper, opened a special channel in the national television , broadcasted nationwide special for IMA members free. The programs consisted only of health issues, medicine and other IMA organizational issues.



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SMOKE FREE MALLS




Lately, almost in every shopping malls in the country there are signs or announcement which say : “You are in a non-smoking area”.


The IMA district level regularly meet with the Malls’ management to remind them of the hazzards of smoking.




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GRATIFICATION




Indonesia now has a special commission, called the Corruption Eradication Commission, a very powerfull body,against corruption . They work according to report from the public, allegation of bribery etc. In the medical world, it is common knowledge that doctors receive gratification from pharmaceutical companies for prescribing a certain product, or using a certain new instrument. Other mean of corruption that is very common in the medical world is mark up of cost or price in for instance purchasing new equipments, or building a new medical facility, or even only for renovation. So we have to be sure that there is no hint of foul play in a gratification that we receive. The Indonesia Medical Association has worked together with the Commission to define what is true gratification,and what is ‘gratification’ in the medical sector




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ASEAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY



For the coming Asean Economic Community, which will begin at the end of this year, or beginning next year, some conditions in the health sector has been formulated by the government and the Indonesian Medical Association. For instance ability to communicate using the Indonesian language, willing to work in remote areas and has a minimum of five years working experience. But most appreciated are those who come to Indonesia to do a transfer of technology



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INTERNATIONAL




- Attended the 28th CMAAO 2014 congress in Manila
- Attended the Malaysian Medical Association 2015 Assembly Dinner in Kota Bharu, Kelantan, Malaysia.



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