SUPPORTING ESSENTIAL WORKERS AND BUILDING GRATITUDE DURING THE HOUDANS Mabuhay Health Center

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WAYS TO PRACTICE GRATITUDE IN YOUR EVERYDAY LIFE

• GRATITUDE JOURNAL

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 Write in a notebook or make lists of things, people, and events you are grateful for (every day/week)
**You can include this in prayers or make it an activity with others, too!

I'm grateful for: · a roof over my head · friends and family . food and water • internet access · my health · a warm home · music

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SOCIAL MEDIA Post on social media what you appreciate about your life – this can help others practice gratitude as well!

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TELL OTHERS

Call, text, video chat, or write letters to people and share positive memories together that you're grateful for



HEALTH BENEFITS OF GRATITUDE



- Better mood and more happiness
- Stronger relationships with family/friends
- A more positive outlook on life and of yourself
 - More exercise, healthy eating, better sleep, etc.

• HOW CAN WE HELP ESSENTIAL

WORKERS?

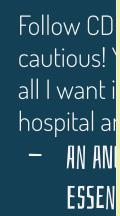
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Protect yourself from all infectious diseases by using these precautions.

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Stay home when you are sick



Wash hands often with soap and water for 20 seconds or longer and dry hands with a clean towel or air dry



Cover your mouth with a tissue or sleeve when coughing or sneezing



Avoid contact with people who are sick



Wear a cloth face cover when going out in public



Clean and disinfect "high touch" surfaces often



Get adequate sleep and eat well-balanced meals



Avoid touching your eyes, nose, or mouth with unwashed hands or after touching surfaces



Call before visiting your doctor



Clean all "high-touch" surfaces every day.



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These are just recommendations of how you can help essential workers, it is best to just ask them directly or through non-profit orgs.

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• How to show gratitude to essential workers in your life

GIVE THEM A GIFT



There are many love languages, and some people feel the most loved when they receive a gift. Think of something your healthcare worker really likes-- food, flowers, etc.-and surprise them!



TELL THEM HOW MUCH You appreciate them

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Being a healthcare worker or a caregiver can be a thankless job. Express your love and appreciation for them by regularly thanking them.

DEAR HEALTH CARE WORKERS & CAREGIVERS, THANK YOU!

Write a Letter or Sign a "Thank You" card!

Think of a frontline worker in your life. Reflect on their hard work during the pandemic.Express your gratitude towards their efforts.Write some words of appreciation.



or

Put yourself in the shoes of a frontline worker. What struggles would you face? What events do you think you'd experience?

Send a letter, sign a card, or send a text!



DEAR HEALTH CARE WORKERS & CAREGIVERS, THANK YOU!





"Thank you for...."

"I appreciate you because..."

"I love when you..."

"I am grateful for you because..."



DEAR HEALTH CARE WORKERS & CAREGIVERS, THANK YOU!

Another way to express gratitude is to...

Say a small prayer or add them to your prayer intentions by saying thanks or asking for a blessing for that person.

Showcasing gratitude is beautiful! We are all one community! KAPWA!







