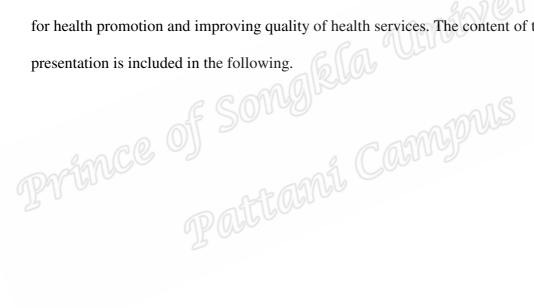
3.2 International Conference on Health Promotion and Quality in Health Services (IHPQS)

This conference is an international conference. The institute of Hospital Quality Improvement and Accreditation (HA-Thailand) and the Medical Association under the Royal Patronage and the Ministry of Public Health co-organized this conference which was held in the first time in Thailand on 19-20 November 2008. There were about three thousand participants, including about 500 non-Thai participants. We submitted our paper to this conference because results from our study could be useful for health promotion and improving quality of health services. The content of the oral presentation is included in the following.





The International Conference on Health Promotion and Quality in Health Services (IHPQS)

Bangkok Convention Centre at Central World November 19-21, 2008 Bangkok, Thailand Website www.ihpqs2008.org E-mail: secretariat@ihpqs2008.org

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November 8, 2008

Dear Director.

Subject: 1th "International Conference on Health Promotion and Quality in Health Services"

19-21 November 2008: CentralWorld, Bangkok

In 1995, Thailand established the accreditation system to encourage continuous quality improvement and quality assurance in hospitals, followed by the integration of health promoting hospital standards into the existing quality system. Currently, the knowledge and experience growing in Thailand has reached a stage suitable for the standards. Thus, the institute of Hospital Quality Improvement and Accrediation (HA-Thailand), The Medical Association under the Royal Patronage and The Ministry of Public Health will co organize the International Conference on Health Promotion and Quality in Health Services (IHPQS) in the year 2008.

The International Conference on Health Promotion and Quality in Health Services (IHPQ5) will be held in Bangkok, Thailand during November 19-21, 2008 at Bangkok Convention Center at CentralWorld. The event expects to draw 800 healthcare planners locally as well internationally.

On behalf of the scientific committee, We would like to inform you, Dr.Apiradee Lim's abstract has already been accepted to present as **Oral presentation** in the coming conference, the details are as follows:

Topic: VARIATION IN LENGTH OF HOSPITAL STAY FOR INPATIENTS DYING IN SOUTHERN THAILAND

Abstract ID : IO-029 Room: Lotus 11

Date: Thursday, 20 November 2008 Time: 13.00-14.30 hrs.

Allocated Time: 12 minutes. (completely presented within 10 minutes and followed by 2 minute)

Sincerely yours,

Chanika Tuchinda, MD

Professor, Chairman of Scientific Committee 10th Asian Congress of Pediatric Nephrology

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