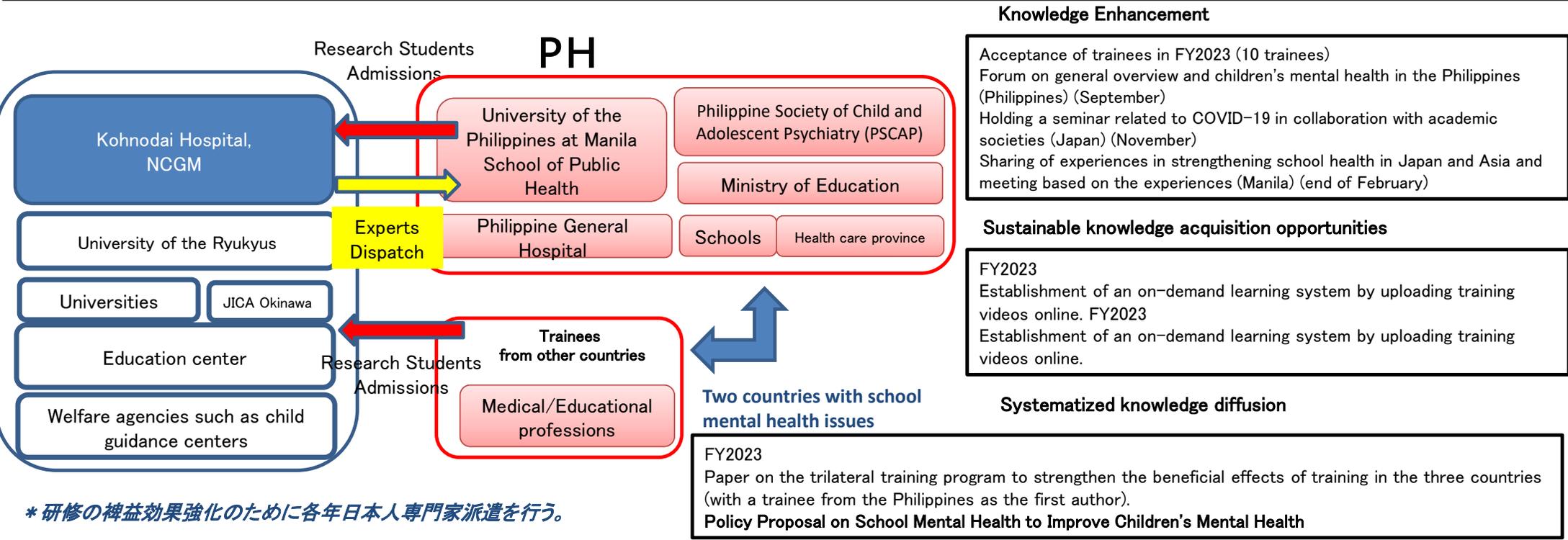


## School Mental Health Project for children and adolescents post the COVID-19 pandemic

- While 16% of children in the Philippines suffer from some mental disorders, there is no prospect of resumption of face-to-face classes in the Philippines due to the impact of COVID-19, and it is assumed that the problem of psychological stress is even greater than in Japan due to strict restrictions on going out. Southeast Asian countries are also in a similar situation, and we would like to conduct multilateral discussions, including trainees from other countries, to consider exit strategies for school mental health in the post-Corona era.
- NCGM Kokodai Hospital, NCNP, and the University of the Ryukyus, in collaboration with the University of the Philippines Manila and other institutions, will hold a workshop on the care of and countermeasures against child and adolescent psychiatric disorders in the context of the spread of COVID-19, based on the training on diagnostic techniques, pharmacotherapy, and psychosocial treatment of child and adolescent-specific psychiatric disorders that has been conducted for medical doctors, teachers and other professions .
- From the use and enhancement of web content in FY2021, FY2021, FY2021, and FY2022, it is expected to promote on-demand learning in collaboration with PSCAP and the Department of Education (for education, welfare, and medical staff via the Department of Education or the Department of Health), improve school mental health in the Philippines, and increase early intervention in children's mental health.



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