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IndonesiaÃ?Â pledges nationwide coverage of advanced image-guided therapy for cardiac, stroke and cancer care

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In collaboration with Philips, Indonesia expands the provision in all 38 provinces



The Indonesian Ministry of Health and Royal Philips have announced plans to deploy state-of-the-art image-guided therapy systems nationwide as part of their signed agreements, as part of the Strengthening Indonesia's Healthcare Referral Network (SIHREN) project. They are a global leader in health technology..

The landmark agreements combine cutting-edge treatment technology, services and training to strengthen Indonesia's health infrastructure. The initiative aims to transform the country's treatment for heart disease, stroke and cancer – Indonesia's leading causes of death – by expanding access to cutting-edge technologies and care in all 38 provinces, from Aceh to Papua. This initiative is set to benefit millions of patients across Indonesia.

The SIHREN project is an ambitious effort jointly funded by the World Bank and other multilateral development banks to support Indonesia's health transformation agenda by significantly improving referral healthcare.

The initiative will establish a nationwide network of advanced image-guided therapy rooms, dramatically expanding access to minimally invasive treatments across hundreds of hospitals in all 38 provinces. The Ministry of Health has made a long-term commitment to delivering nationwide coverage of the Azurion platform, aligned to local hospital infrastructure and patient population needs.

"Minimally invasive care is life-changing for patients, unlocking treatment options that were once unimaginable. With small incisions, such targeted treatments can mean shorter hospital stays, fewer complications and quicker recoveries for patients," said Carla Goulart Peron, Chief Medical Officer at Philips. "From opening heart-attack-causing blockages, to treating strokes and targeting cancer tumors, image-guided, minimally invasive therapy will be a game-changer for NCD care in Indonesia."