## MAGALLANES HAVEN DESTINATION COMPLEX: AN ECO-FRIENDLY ENVIRONMENT THROUGH WELLNESS ARCHITECTURE

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## **ABSTRACT**

The proposed Magallanes Haven Destination Complex: An Eco-friendly Environment Through Wellness Architecture is a study that focuses on the improvement of well-being. It promotes harmonic balance between physical, emotional, cognitive, and spiritual welfare. The study aims to provide the following; the status of Medical Tourism in Sorsogon Province, the facilities and amenities present, the different laws and ordinances, and the best architectural solution that will enhance the tourist potential of the place.

The proponents used architecture used descriptive research. To accomplish the goals and objectives, a proactive and recommendation construction of the summary of all the studies, literature review, and concepts presented in the preceding chapters are establishes which came up with the following findings; the type of Medical Tourism that is practiced in Sorsogon Province is Domestic Medical Tourism. This project will be composed of main buildings such as administration buildings, exhibit building, mix-used building, spa, processing center, and rentable spaces. The different building laws and ordinances must be complied. The wellness architecture approach is being used in this project since the study focuses on well-being.

Therefore, it is necessary to have this destination. This will help the local community and enhance the tourism in Sorsogon Province. It is important to educate people about the Medical Tourism and provide easy access towards the place as well as parking areas in the port of Magallanes. The design of facilities shall be typhoon resilient since it is located on coastal area and implement accommodating drainage patterns to protect aquatic life during construction.

**Keywords:** Wellness architecture, Medical tourism, Typhoon-resilient design, Sustainable tourism, Sorsogon Province

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