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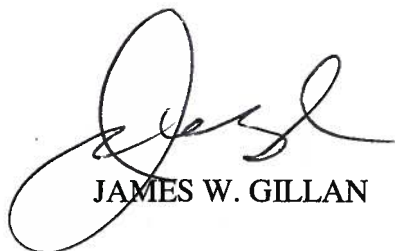
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The Department of Public Health and Social Services is pleased to announce that the STD/HIV Program Public Information Campaign "So Smart. So Safe. Prutehi Hao!" will premier at the First Guam International Film Festival (GIFF) on Saturday, October 1, 2011 at 5:45 p.m. at the Micronesia Mall Stadium Theatres. It will also premier at the 2011 Urban Mediamakers Film Festival on October 14-16, 2011 at the Red Clay Theatre in Duluth, Georgia.

Messages to promote STDs and HIV/AIDS awareness, safer behaviors and responsibilities are performed by compelling spoken-word artists and dancers. One message is performed in Chamorro with English subtitles. The dance sequences are performed by an outstanding company of young dancers whose energetic moves are enhanced by dynamic and high-powered music tracks. The STD/HIV Program is honored to have worked with so many young, local, talented people who contributed in the making of this vital public health public service announcement under the guidance of Films by Youth Inside filmmaker, Alex C. Munoz.

For additional information on STDs and HIV, please contact Vince Aguon at 735-7166 or 734-AIDS (2437), Bernadette P. Schumann at 735-3604 or visit the Prutehi Hao website at www.prutehihao.org.



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