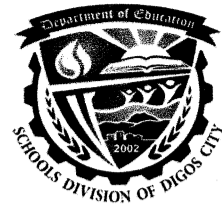




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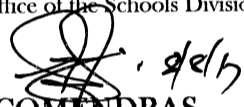
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TO: PUBLIC SCHOOLS DISTRICT SUPERVISORS
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ATTN : ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS GUIDANCE TEACHERS
JUNIOR AND SENIOR HIGH SCHOOLS GUIDANCE
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FROM: WINNIE E. BATOON, Ed. D.
Officer In-charge
Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

For and in the absence of the OIC of the Office of the Schools Division Superintendent:


FRANCIS JUDE D. ALCOMENDRAS
Administrative Officer VI

SUBJECT: ANNUAL ASSEMBLY AND CONFERENCE-WORKSHOP OF
DAVAO ASSOCIATION OF GUIDANCE COUNSELORS (DAGCO)


DATE: August 7, 2017

Herewith is the Memorandum from the Regional Office inviting all the Guidance Counselors and advocates to the Annual Assembly and Conference-Workshop at the Ateneo de Davao University, Jacinto Campus, Davao City on August 30-31, 2017.

The conference-workshop fee is Php 3,200 for DAGCO members and Php 3,500 for non-members which include the workshop kit and materials, Certificate of Participation, two (2) lunch and four (4) snacks.

Details and other information of the said conference-workshop are attached in this Memorandum. You may contact the Schools Division Guidance Coordinator for the reservation of slots.

Attending Counselors and Guidance Advocates shall be considered on Official Time.

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MEMORANDUM

To: Schools Division Superintendents
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School Heads, Public and Private Elementary & Secondary Schools

Subject: **Annual Assembly and Conference-Workshop of the Davao Association of Guidance Counselors (DAGCO)**

Date: July 25, 2017

Herewith is the communication dated June 10, 2017 from **Dr. Gina R. Lamzon**, President, Davao Association of Guidance Counselors (DAGCO), inviting guidance counselors and advocates to its Annual Assembly and Conference-Workshop at the Ateneo de Davao University, Jacinto Campus, Davao City on August 30-31, 2017.

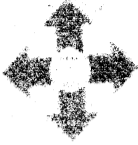
Details and other information about the contest are attached in this Memorandum.

Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

ATTY. ALBERTO T. ESCOBARTE, CESO III
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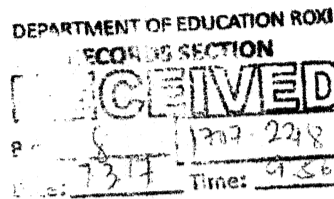


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Philippine Guidance and Counseling Association Davao Chapter
(DAGCO – PGCA Davao Chapter)**



June 10, 2017

ATTY. ALBERTO T. ESCOBARTE
Regional Director
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F. Torres St., Davao City



Dear Atty. Escobarte,

Greetings from the Davao Association of Guidance Counselors (DAGCO), the local chapter of the Philippine Guidance and Counseling Association!

We are very pleased to announce that the association shall convene for its **Annual Assembly and Conference-Workshop** at the Ateneo de Davao University, Jacinto Campus, Davao City, on **August 30 and 31, 2017**. With the theme, **"Towards Understanding the Body-Mind-Spirit Connection: Recreating Counseling Tools and Techniques"**, the conference-workshop aims to retool the counselors with research-informed techniques to better equip them as they respond to clients' unique and varied concerns.


We are cordially inviting the guidance counselors in all basic education schools in the region to attend the conference-workshop. In this regard, may we kindly request your office to issue a memorandum endorsing the activity and encourage the school administrators to send their guidance counselors on official business.

We are working for the accreditation of the conference-workshops for CPD units of registered guidance counselors with the PRC.

Attached is the letter of invitation to the participants, the program of activities and the description of the workshops to be conducted.

Thank you for your support to all DAGCO-PGCA Davao activities in the past and we look forward to your favorable support to our forthcoming conference-workshop.

In the spirit of DAGCO-PGCA Davao,


GINA R. LAMZON, PhD, RGC, RPm
President



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**DAGCO 48th Annual Assembly and Conference – Workshop
“Towards Understanding the Body-Mind-Spirit Connection:
Recreating Counseling Tools and Techniques”
August 30 and 31, 2017**

PROGRAM OF ACTIVITIES

DAY 1 – August 30, 2017

AM SESSION

8:00 – 9:00
9:00 – 9:30

REGISTRATION

Prayer and National Anthem

Welcome Remarks

President's Address: **Gina R. Lamzon, Ph.D, RGC, RPh**
DAGCO-PGCA Davao Chapter President

9:30 – 9:35
9:35 – 10:20

Introduction of Keynote Speaker:

Keynote Address: **Sheila Marie G. Hocson, PhD., RGC., RP**
PGCA President

10:20 – 10:30

HEALTH BREAK

10:30 – 11:00
11:00 – 12:00
12:00 – 1:00

Update from PRC/PRBGC
Business Meeting
LUNCH BREAK

PM SESSION

1:00 – 5:00

Workshop 1

Utilizing Test and Non-Test Assessment Tools in Counseling
Speaker: **Dr. Sheila G. Hocson, RGC, RPsy, RPh**

DAY 2 – August 31, 2017

AM SESSION

8:00 – 12:00

Workshop 2

The Basics of Emotional Freedom Technique (EFT)
Speaker: **Dr. Gina Lamzon, RGC, RPh**

12:00 – 1:00

LUNCH BREAK

PM SESSION

1:00 – 5:00

Workshop 3

Spirituality in Counseling Relationship
Speaker: **Mr. Miguel Dailisan, RGC**

Program Emcee: **Mr. Carlo D. Guiang, RGC**

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WORKSHOP ABSTRACTS

UTILIZING TEST AND NON-TEST ASSESSMENT TOOLS IN COUNSELING
Sheila Marie Hocson, PhD, RGC, RP, RPs

Assessment through a variety of quantitative and qualitative procedures play a vital role in serving our counselees effectively most especially for information, understanding this information, integrating it to make a judgment, intervening to facilitate solution, for planning, formulating and evaluating intervention programs and counseling plan and for evidenced based research of a 21st century guidance counselor. It is a must for all guidance counselors to be equipped in knowing how to do accountable and efficient assessment all for the welfare of our clients and our profession.

THE BASICS OF EFT TAPPING (EMOTIONAL FREEDOM TECHNIQUE)
Gina Ruelo Lamzon, PhD, RGC, RPs

This workshop introduces the participants to the basics of Emotional Freedom Technique (EFT). EFT is relatively a new technique in alleviating emotional challenges and consequently physical pains associated with those emotions. Essentially, it applies the principles of acupuncture/ acupressure therapy and the techniques of cognitive and behavioural therapies. By gently tapping into specific acupressure points, emotional challenges can be released; thus, the individual gains freedom from those challenges. With the regained freedom, physical pains are consequently alleviated and relieved. Researches have shown that compared to most talk therapies, EFT provides faster emotional relief and, thus, offers counselors more effective tools not only in helping their clients but also in helping themselves gain emotional freedom.

SPIRITUALITY IN COUNSELING RELATIONSHIP
Miguel P. Dailisan, MAGC, RGC

The integration of spirituality in the field of counseling has recently received much attention. It has been observed that some practitioners in the counseling profession has expressed limitations in handling counseling cases using spirituality as an approach. This workshop therefore will address issues in counseling pertaining to spirituality. Integrating spirituality in counseling and likewise help counselors become bearers of hope in this challenging and dynamic world. Furthermore, the workshop will impart the importance of holistic wellness with great emphasis on the dimension of spirituality. In the end, it is hoped that the participants will understand that spirituality and counseling are indivisible and that both are fundamental elements of hope and wellness.

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