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Department of Education

Region XI

SCHOOLS DIVISION OF DIGOS CITY





DIVISION MEMORANDUM

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BLINDNESS CONTROL AND PREVENTION OF BLINDNESS PROGRAM ORIENTATION

TO: ELEMENTARY PUBLIC SCHOOLS DISTRICT SUPERVISORS **ELEMENTARY SCHOOL HEADS**

- 1. In reference to the letter of DR.JONNA A. MASONGSONG, Provincial Health Officer II of the Province of Davao Del Sur, all public schools kinder teachers are hereby directed to attend the Blindness Control and Prevention of Blindness Program Orientation on August 16, 2019 at Hotel de Crisbelle, Rizal Avenue, Digos City.
- 2. This activity aims to orient and train school kinder teachers on eye screening process and to assess and detect early impaired vision of school children.
- 3. Travel and other incidental expenses to the attendance shall be charged to local funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
- 4. For information and compliance.

WINNIÉ E./BATOON, EdD. Officer-In-Charge

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Dear Sir.

According to WHO estimates there are approximately 314 million people worldwide with low vision and blindness, and it is said because of uncorrected refractive errors (nearsightedness, farsightedness and astigmatism, in which in most cases, it can be corrected with the right eyeglasses.

The Department of Health in collaboration with the Provincial Health Office through it's Blindness Control and Prevention Program is celebrating Sight Saving Month every August of each year. This year we target to orient kinder teachers as our participants, for we believe that the early the child will be screened the greater the chance it will be treated and corrected by providing good management

In view of this, we would like to invite at least 70 kinder teachers to be our participants this coming August 16,2019 at Hotel de Crisbelle, Rizal Avenue, Digos City.

Hoping for your kind consideration on this matter.

Sincerely yours,

JONNA A. MASONGSONG, MD, FPSMS, MAHA, MPH

Provincial Health Officer II /