

Republic of the Philippines

Department of Education

DIGOS CITY DIVISION

Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

September 28, 2022

DIVISION MEMORANDUM

No. 584, s. 2022

STRINGENT IMPLEMENTATION OF THE HEALTH AND SAFETY STANDARDS IN SCHOOLS

To

Public Schools District Schools Supervisors

Health and Nutrition Personnel

Public School Heads Secondary Nurse All Others Concerned

- The Department of Education has released various issuances to guide schools and offices on ensuring the health, safety, and well-being of personnel and learners, especially in the context of the resumption of face-to-face classes amid the pandemic.
- In light of the ongoing face to face classes with gathering of teachers and learners in classrooms just like in other offices, Covid-19 transmission is expected. Therefore, stringent monitoring of schools in terms of the implementation and observation of minimum health standards set by DepEd and IATF.
- Stringent implementation in the classrooms of the Enclosure No. 4 to DepEd Memorandum No. 15, s. 2020. Re Operationalizing the Preventive Alert System in Schools (PASS). The Preventive Alert System in Schools (PASS) is based on DepEd Order No. 34, s. 2003, is a systematic relay information on a child's or teacher's state of health status to appropriate personnel and/ or agencies in the locality. The consolidated report per classroom will be reflected to the daily and weekly monitoring health status of learners and personnel.
- Thus, all personnel and learners shall be regularly reminded to strictly monitor themselves for possible symptoms of Covid -19 before reporting to work or school. Those with flu-like symptoms, regardless of vaccination status, will not be allowed to report onsite but will be advised to stay at home, switch to distance learning (for learners) or avail sick leave credits (for personnel), as may be applicable. (DepEd Order No. 39, s. 2022 on Covid-19 Response and Management).
- Due to the increasing number Covid-19 cases, all Public School Heads are requested to create an Infectious Disease Control Plan in Schools with the growing cases of COVID 19. In the plan shall include the following:
 - implementation of PASS and consolidation of daily and weekly health status;
 - management of Covid-19 cases in your respective school;



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- coordination with SDO-Health and Safety Team in terms of close contact reporting/ contact tracing;
- referral system (see attached as reference);
- regular monitoring of the number of vaccinated and unvaccinated learners;
- counseling activities for the unvaccinated learners;
- strategies to recognize newly vaccinated learners; and
- management of teachers who will not undergo 1st booster dose. (at least three (3) doses as per DO 39, s. 2022).
- Submission of the Infectious Disease Control Plan shall be on or before October 21, 2022 and monitoring will start on October 24, 2022 onwards.
- Attached herewith is the template to be used for the Vaccinated Personnel. As per instruction by the focal person, to be submitted in soft copy thru Himsog GC.
- The Health and Nutrition Section shall provide technical assistance to schools and monitor their compliance with the provisions of all DepEd Orders stated relevant to the functions of the said section.
- For information and **STRICT COMPLIANCE**. 8.

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Schools Division Superintendent

Raped Schools Division of Digos City RECORDS SECTION

Enclosed: As stated.

Reference: DM 15, s. 2020, DO 34, s. 2003,

DO 39, s. 2022

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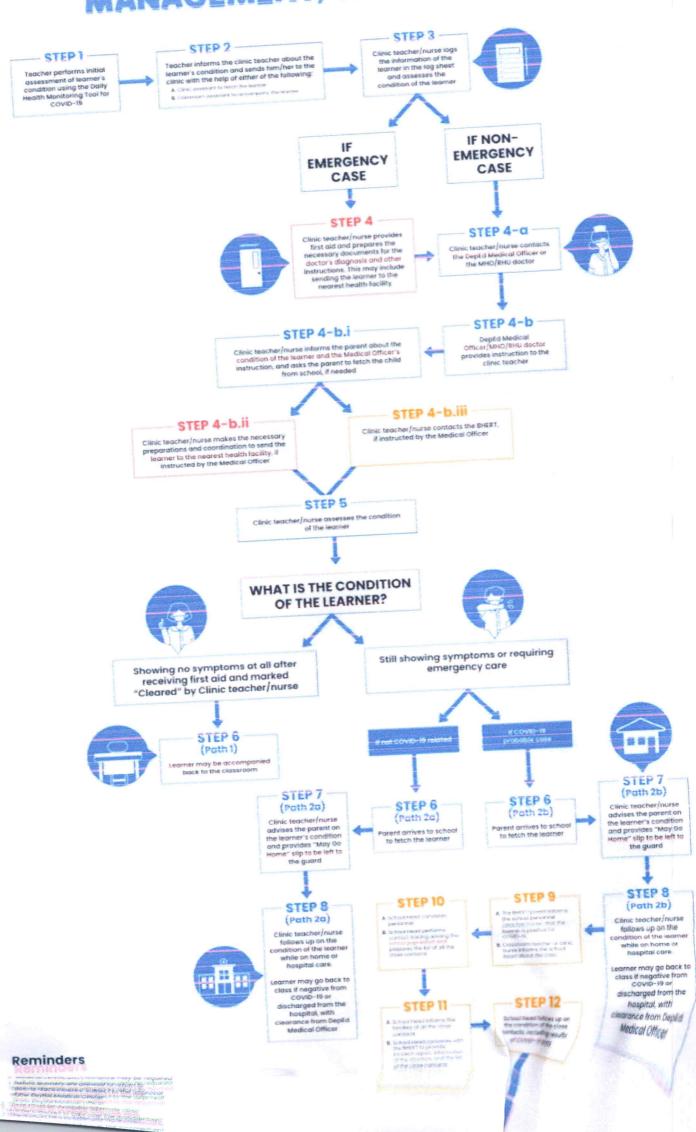
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PROCEDURE FOR REPORTING, MANAGEMENT, AND REFERRAL





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SCHOOLS DIVISION OF DIGOS CITY

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Vaccinated Personnel as of

September

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