



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
DIGOS CITY DIVISION

Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

DIVISION MEMORANDUM

SGOD-2024-701

To : Joel B. Gomito, RN- Disease Surveillance Focal Person
Hazel Marie Latasa-Escabillas, RN- Mt. Apo District Nurse
Irene P. Dandoy, RN- Digos South District Nurse
Radee King Corpuz, RN- Secondary Nurse-DiCNHS
Jasmine A. Asarak, DMD- Dentist II
Myracel J. Dalope, DMD- Dentist II

Subject : **SCHOOL-BASED SURVEILLANCE ORIENTATION**

Date : May 16, 2024

This has reference to the letter dated May 8, 2024 from Provincial Health Office of Davao del Sur regarding the conduct of the **SCHOOL-BASED SURVEILLANCE ORIENTATION**.

The Provincial Health Office thru the Provincial Epidemiology and Surveillance Unit is committed in the implementation of the Republic Act 1132, also known as "Mandatory reporting of Notifiable Diseases and Health Events of Public Health Concern Act" which mandates reporting of notifiable diseases and health events of public health concern to ensure the timely and effective response to public health threats.

With the recent health events that occurred in different public schools in the Province of Davao del Sur, the Provincial Health Office ensures that the all entities and personnel adhere to RA 11332.

In line with this, the following personnel from the Health and Nutrition Unit-Digos City Division are requested to attend the **School-Based Surveillance Orientation** to be held at **Megan Function Hall on May 16, 2024, 8 AM**.

1. Joel B. Gomito, RN- Disease Surveillance Focal Person
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Transportation and other incidental expenses shall be charged to local funds subject to usual accounting and auditing rules and regulation.

Immediate and wide dissemination of this memorandum is desired.

Davao Schools Division of Digos City
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Schools Division Office-Superintendent
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Ma'am,

Good day!

The Province of Davao del Sur is committed in the implementation of the Republic Act RA 11332, also known as the "Mandatory reporting of Notifiable Diseases and Health Events of Public Health Concern Act". The law mandates reporting of notifiable diseases and health events of public health concern to ensure the timely and effective response to public health threats. Under RA 11332, health professionals, laboratories, healthcare facilities, schools, workplaces, and other entities are required to report notifiable diseases and health events to the Department of Health (DOH) and the concerned local health authorities. These reports are crucial for disease surveillance, outbreak response, and the implementation of public health interventions.

The Provincial Health Office through the Provincial Epidemiology and Surveillance Unit implements the provisions of RA 11332 within the province, ensuring that all entities and personnel adhere to the law. With the recent health events that occurred in the different public schools in the Province of Davao del sur, we would like to request the presence of **Ten (10) Nurses, from the Department of Education – Digos City at our upcoming SCHOOL-BASED SURVEILLANCE ORIENTATION**. The Orientation is scheduled to take place at **Megan Function Hall on May 16, 2024 at 8am.**

We are committed to ensuring a productive and informative orientation that will benefit our school community. Their expertise and insights will be invaluable in strengthening our surveillance activities and improving our preparedness for future health events.

Thank you for considering our request. We look forward to your positive response. Should you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact **Ms. Riza R. Dacalos, RN, MPH, Disease Surveillance Coordinator at contact number 0912-492-3520.**

Respectfully yours,


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