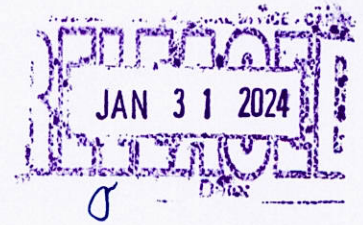




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CARAGA REGION



January 31, 2024

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

No. 0072, s. 2024

To: SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS
This Region

OBSERVATION OF THE 20th NATIONAL ORAL HEALTH MONTH

1. Relative to Presidential Decree No. 559 declaring the month of February as National Oral Health Month, DepEd Caraga through the Education Support Services Division -Health and Nutrition Unit along with the Division Schools Governance and Operations Division Health and Nutrition Section has prepared activities for the month-long celebration.
2. The objectives of the activities are the following:
 - a. to promote oral health awareness through the conduct of classroom health talks
 - b. promote good oral hygiene by practicing the daily habit of toothbrushing in schools;
 - c. deliver dental health services to learners, teaching and non-teaching personnel;
 - d. capacitate dental health personnel of the division; and
 - e. renew the spirit of bayanihan and strengthen partnerships among the internal and external stakeholders.

3. The following are the schedule of activities:

Week / Date	Activity	Participants
First Week:	Putting up of SBCC Materials (tarpaulins, etc) in strategic areas	All SDOs & Schools
Second Week: February 5, 2024 (Monday at 8:00 o'clock in the morning)	Join the simultaneous toothbrushing activity; " Sang Milyong Sipilyo, Sabayang Pagsisipilyo "	All learners of Public Elementary and Secondary Schools
Third Week: February 13-14, 2024	Oral examination & services to Division Non-Teaching	All 12 SDOs and Regional Office

Fifth Week: February 26-27, 2024 at the Gold Room, NEAP RO	Retooling of all Division Dental Health Personnel and Dental Coordinators *Conduct of tooth fillings to identified learners of learners at the Clinic Hubs of Butuan CES, FR Sibayan ES, Butuan West CES, Ong Yiu CES, JT Domingo CES & Alviola CES	All Dental health personnel, Dental Aide designates & Dental Coordinators of the 12 Divisions *Identified learner of identified schools, all participants of the capacity building & 1 RO Driver
March 7-8, 2024	Regional Dental Mission at Socorro, Bukas Grande, Surigao del Norte	*Learners of Del Pilar ES, Socorro and Nueva Estrella CESs; *4 Nurses of Siargao Division *Division Dentists of Surigao City, Surigao del Norte, Cabadbaran City, Agusan del Norte, Butuan City & Bislig City *Dental Aides of Surigao del Norte, Agusan del Norte, Surigao del Sur & RO HP

4. Participants to the Socorro Dental Mission:

Division	Participants	Position/Designation
Agusan del Norte	Dr. Christy Pueblo	Dentist II
	Gilbert Barete	Dental Aide
Bislig City	Dr. Ruby Mae Paculaba	Dentist In Charge
Butuan City	Dr. Charley Hubert Tamargo	Dentist II
Cabadbaran City	Dr. Marian Joy Sahay	Dentist In Charge
Siargao	All Nurses	
Surigao City	Dr. Famela Grace Felicio	Dentist In Charge
	Dr. Maniville Pertacorta	Dentist II
Surigao del Norte	Dr. Princess Arellano	Dentist In Charge
	Dr. Faith Elumba	Dentist II
	Elmer Piao	Dental Aide
Regional Office	Dr. Jumer C. Carlon	OIC Chief ESSD Medical Officer IV
	Dr. Anna Liza A. Lerio	Regional Dentist
	Rena Grace Tul-id	Nutritionist Dietician II
	Jimlyn Ligtas	Dental Technician

5. Participants to the Retooling of all Dental Health Personnel:

Division	Participants
Agusan del Norte	2 Dentists and 2 Dental Aides
Agusan del Sur	Sheila Acopiado -Dental Coordinator Maria Ivy Dael
Bayugan City	Jean Franco-Dental Coordinator
Bislig City	1 Dentist and 1 Dental Aide designate
Butuan City	2 Dentists and 2 Dental Aides designate
Cabadbaran City	1 Dentist and 1 Dental Aide designate
Dinagat Islands	1 Dental Aide Designate
Siargao	Andresa Pomoy- Dental Coordinator
Surigao City	2 Dentists and 1 Dental Aide
Surigao del Norte	2 Dentists and 1 Dental Aide
Surigao del Sur	1 Dentists and 1 Dental Aide
Tandag City	Gina Boniao-Dental Coordinator

6. Provision of instruments, portable dental unit for tooth fillings preparation, supplies and PPEs are expected for every Dentist for the Dental Mission in Socorro, Surigao del Norte.

7. A preliminary assessment to the learners needing immediate dental treatment and tooth fillings shall be conducted among the Nurses of Siargao Division. Signed Parent's consent shall be attached to the individual health record of the identified learners and shall be presented to the assigned Dentists before the conduct of the needed dental procedure.

5. Travelling expenses and per diem of all the participants shall be charged against the Division/Regional MOOE/Local Funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

3. For your information and dissemination.

MARIA INES C. ASUNCION
Director III
Officer In-charge
Office of the Regional Director

Encl/s.: As stated

Reference/s: OUOPS No. 2024-09-00586 Celebration of the 20th NDHM

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index

under the following subjects:

CAPACITY BUILDING CELEBRATIONS
DENTAL SERVICES OKD PROGRAMS

ESSD/all
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ITENERARY, ASSIGNMENTS AND ACTIVITIES

I. Dental Mission at Socorro, Bucas Grande, Surigao del Norte

Date & Time	Destination / Venue	Person's Involved	Activities
March 7, 2024 @ 4 am	Regional Office to Hayanggabon, Claver SDN Port Hayanggabon Pier	All identified participants	Land travel
7:00 am – 7:30 am	Claver Port to Socorro		Breakfast
8:00 am – 8:30 am	Socorro Pier to Del Pilar Elem. School		Sea Travel
9:00 am-11:45 am 1:30 pm-4:30 pm	Del Pilar Elem. School & Atoyay NHS (learners) Venue: Del Pilar ES	Dr. Anna Liza Lerio Dr. Christy Pueblo Dr. Famela Felicio Dr. Marian Sahay Dr. Faith Elumba Dr. Maniville Pertacorta Dr. Princess Arellano Dr. Ruby Mae Paculaba Dr. Charley Tamargo with PDA SDN Chapter members	Tooth Fillings Fluoride Varnish Tooth Sealants Tooth Extraction of OUT cases
March 8, 2024 6:30 am-7:30 am	Team A: Socorro CES	Dr. Anna Liza A. Lerio Dr. Faith Elumba Dr. Ruby Mae Paculaba Dr. Charley Tamargo Dr. Rose Carduza – PDA	Breakfast Tooth Fillings Fluoride Varnish Tooth Sealants Tooth Extraction
8:00 am-11:30 am	Nueva Estrella CES	Dr. Christy Pueblo Dr. Famela Felicio Dr. Maniville Pertacorta Dr. Princess Arellano Dr. Marian Sahay Dr. Heidie Gelsano – PDA	Tooth Fillings Fluoride Varnish Tooth Sealants Tooth Extraction
12:00 nn-1:00 pm 1:30 pm-2:00 pm	Venue school – Pier Socorro – Hayanggabon Claver – Butuan City Claver – Surigao City	All Participants	LUNCHBREAK Sea Travel Land Travel

II. Retooling of all Division Dental Health Personnel

Date & Time	Activities	Responsible Person
DAY 1: February 26, 2021 Monday		
7:30 – 8:00 am	Registration	Agusan Del Norte Dentists
8:00 – 8:30 am	Opening Program	EMCEE: Dr. Florida Wahing
	Phil. National Anthem	Video
	Prayer	Ms. Jean Franco
	Acknowledgement of Participants	Dr. Anna Liza A. Lerio
	Opening Remarks and Statement of Purpose	Dr. Jumer C. Carlon, MD OIC Chief, ESSD
	MESSAGE	MARIA INES C. ASUNCION OIC Regional Director
8:30 – 8:40 am	Pre Evaluation Test	
8:40 – 9:40 am	Topic 1: -School Dental Health Care Program Policies & Guidelines	Dr. Anna Liza A. Lerio Regional Dentist
9:50 – 10:20 am		
10:20 – 11:30 am	Working Morning Snacks Topic 2: - Orientation of different Forms and Workshop *Individual Health Record *Class consolidated statistical form *EBEIS consolidated form *Regional Quarterly Dental Statistical Consolidated Form *OKD Quarterly Dental statistical form *Parents Consent Form	Dr. Christy Pueblo
11:30 – 12:00 am		
12:00 – 1:00 noon	Topic 4: Orientation and Review of Key Result Areas (KRA's) and Expected Output of Dentist II & Dental Aides and Review of Division Targets	Dr. Famela Grace Felicio
1:05 – 2:30 pm	Lunchbreak	
	Topic 5: Communicating, Partnering and How to make Memorandum of Agreement, Memorandum of Understanding and Letter of Agreement	Dr. Adrilene Mae J. Castanos Program Development Officer IV
2:30 pm – 5:00 pm	Topic 6: Orientation and Review of the different dental instruments, Filling Materials,	Dr. Anna Liza A. Lerio



DAY 2: February 27, 2021 Tuesday 6:30 – 7:30 am 8:00 – 8:30 am 8:30 – 12:00 noon 12 noon – 1:30 pm 1:40 – 5:00 pm	dental supplies and its indication Practicum among Dental Aides on the following: a. Preparation of instruments by cases • prophylaxis, • Class 1 tooth fillings using Glass Ionomer/ART material • Class III/IV anterior filling • Class II filling • Extraction of Upper anterior teeth • Extraction of lower anterior teeth • Extraction of Upper right 1st molar • Extraction of Upper left 2nd molar • Extraction of lower molars b. Oral examination and charting c. Filling up of EBEIS form School Assignments to be posted at the venue Breakfast Travel Time to assigned Schools - Courtesy Call - Conduct of Health Talks - Oral Examination - Distribution of Parents consent to learners needing treatment - Hands on application of Fluoride Varnish, Conduct - tooth preparation and fillings using Composites Lunchbreak (back at the venue) Closing Program Post Test *Insights of the 2-day activity and expected Technical Assistance from the Regional Office to improve the delivery of dental services in the SDOs	All Participants By Division Division Dentists of Butuan City is responsible for coordinating with the School Heads of the selected schools for practicum; checking up of the functionality of the dental chairs and units Dentists Group – Dr. Faith Elumba, Dentist II SDN Division Dental Coordinator- Sheila Butiong, RN Rosario District Nurse / ADS Dental Aide Group – Cabadbaran Division PEDRO T. ESCOBARTE, JR. CESO V Assistant Regional Director
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February 1-2	*Words of Inspiration	Dr. Jumer C. Carlon Dr. Anna Liza A. Lerio
	*Distribution of Certificates by Division	Dr. Charlie Yul Tamargo Dentist II, Butuan City Div.
February 6-8	*Closing Prayer	EMCEE: Dr. Marian Joy Sahay DIC Cabadbaran City Division
	ADVANCE PREPARATION OF SCHOOL VENUES -Checking of dental chairs/units -Assessment of Learners and distribution of Parent's Consent	Dr. Charley Hubert Tamargo & Mr. Jimlyn Ligas Dr. Jennifer Anog and Dr. Charley Yul Tamargo