



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
CARAGA REGION

March 19, 2026

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM
No. 0267, s. 2026

To: Schools Division Superintendent
All Others Concerned

VIRTUAL COORDINATION MEETING AND PRE-WORK CONFERENCE FOR THE
CONDUCT OF THE COMPREHENSIVE SEXUALITY EDUCATION (CSE)
IMPACT EVALUATION STUDY

1. In reference to Regional Memorandum No. 0198, s. 2026, regarding the conduct of the Comprehensive Sexuality Education (CSE) Impact Evaluation Study, this Office, through the Curriculum and Learning Management Division (CLMD), in partnership with the Commission on Population and Development (CPD) – Caraga, shall conduct a Virtual Coordination Meeting and Pre-Work Conference on 23 March 2026, 9:00 a.m. onwards, via <https://meet.google.com/drw-sgmj-yuk>.

2. This activity aims to ensure the efficient implementation and prompt administration of the research study titled **“Measuring the Impact of DepEd’s Comprehensive Sexuality Education Program on Adolescent Reproductive Health Indicators in Caraga Region.”** The meeting shall primarily focus on harmonizing the data collection process and the administration of the research instrument across all participating divisions and districts.

3. The following personnel are directed to attend the virtual meeting:

SDO	Participant/s	
	Division Level	School Level
Agusan del Norte	Division CSE Focal Person	3 School Heads (Secondary)
Agusan del Sur	Division CSE Focal Person	2 School Heads (Secondary)
Bislig City	Division CSE Focal Person	2 School Heads (Secondary)
Surigao del Sur	Division CSE Focal Person	3 School Heads (Secondary)
Surigao del Norte	Division CSE Focal Person	2 School Heads (Secondary)
Dinagat Islands	Division CSE Focal Person	2 School Heads (Secondary)
Butuan City	Division CSE Focal Person	2 School Heads (Secondary)
Cabadbaran City	Division CSE Focal Person	3 School Heads (Secondary)
Bayugan City	Division CSE Focal Person	2 School Heads (Secondary)
Surigao City	Division CSE Focal Person	2 School Heads (Secondary)
Tandag City	Division CSE Focal Person	2 School Heads (Secondary)
Siargao	Division CSE Focal Person	1 School Head (Secondary)

4. The **Division CSE Focal Person shall be responsible for identifying the school-level participants** indicated above to ensure proper representation and alignment with the objectives of the study.

5. For more information, refer to the enclosed communication letter from the Commission on Population and Development (CPD) – Caraga Regional Office.
5. For further inquiries, contact Mr. Leowenmar A. Corvera, Education Program Supervisor, Curriculum and Learning Management Division (CLMD), at clmd_caraga@deped.gov.ph.
6. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is highly desired.

MARIA INES C. ASUNCION

Director IV
Regional Director



Encl.: As stated

Reference: Regional Memorandum No. 0198, s. 2026

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index under the following subjects:

RESEARCH OR STUDIES

SEXUALITY EDUCATION

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March 17, 2026

MARIA INES C. ASUNCION, CESO IV

Regional Director

Department of Education – Caraga

Capitol Avenue, Butuan City

Attention : MR. LEOWENMAR A. CORVERA
Education Program Supervisor

Dear **Director Asuncion**:

Warm greetings.

In connection with the research study entitled, *"Measuring the Impact of DepEd's Comprehensive Sexuality Education Program on Adolescent Reproductive Health Indicators in Caraga Region: A Quantitative Policy Evaluation under RA 10354 and SDG Alignment,"* may we respectfully request the assistance of your good office in the **systematic identification and selection of participating public secondary schools** across the Caraga Region.

The determination of the sample size for each respondent group is guided by statistical computation, geographic representation, and the program implementation structure of the region. This ensures adequate representation across the five provinces (Agusan del Norte, Agusan del Sur, Surigao del Norte, Surigao del Sur, and Dinagat Islands) and six cities (Butuan, Cabadbaran, Bayugan, Surigao, Tandag, and Bislig), including urban, rural, and geographically isolated and disadvantaged areas.

To facilitate this, we respectfully request your office to:

1. **Identify and endorse approximately 25 public secondary schools** across the region, ensuring representation from provinces and cities, as well as urban, rural, and GIDA settings;
2. **Coordinate with Schools Division Offices** to nominate the following respondents per selected school:
 - o School Head (1 per school)
 - o CSE-trained Teachers (2-3 per school)
 - o Student respondents (approximately 25 per school, Grades 7-12, to be randomly selected)
3. **Identify and include relevant CSE Coordinators** at the district, division, and regional levels; and
4. **Assist in disseminating the invitation** to the concerned officials and participants.





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In line with the above, and as requested by Mr. Corvera, we respectfully invite the concerned Schools Division Superintendents, District Supervisors, School Principals, CSE Coordinators, CSE Teachers, and selected student representatives to an **online coordination meeting** on:

Date and Time: March 23, 2026, starting 9:00AM

Platform: Google Meet

Meeting Link: <https://meet.google.com/drw-sgmi-yuk>

We believe that a coordinated approach will ensure a smooth, transparent, and efficient implementation of the study. Your support in convening and guiding the concerned offices is essential to the success of this undertaking.

We look forward to your continued partnership in advancing adolescent health and development in the Caraga Region.

Thank you very much.

Respectfully yours,

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Regional Director

