



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
CARAGA REGION



October 24, 2022

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

No. 0939 s. 2022

To: SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS
This Region

ADDENDUM TO REGIONAL MEMORANDUM NO. 0890, S. 2022, RE: NATIONAL
TRAINING OF ALS TEACHERS ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE
CONTEXTUALIZED MOST ESSENTIAL LEARNING COMPETENCIES
(MELCS)-BASED ALTERNATIVE LEARNING SYSTEM SENIOR
HIGH SCHOOL (ALS SHS) CURRICULUM-
MINDANAO CLUSTER

1. The field is hereby informed that the final venue for the conduct of the National Training of ALS Teachers on the Implementation of the Contextualized Most Essential Learning Competencies (MELCS)-Based Alternative Learning System Senior High School (ALS SHS) Curriculum-Mindanao Cluster shall be held at the Swiss-Belhotel Blulane, located at 609 Tomas Mapua St., Sta. Cruz, Manila on November 7-12, 2022.
2. Attached is the justification issued by Director Marilette R. Almayda, Head of the ALS Task Force, Bureau of Alternative Education (BAE), for the approval of the attendance and participation of the region's Core of Trainers.
3. The listed teacher participants in RM No. 0890, s. 2022 are required to bring their own laptops and a copy of the MELCs of their assigned core or applied subject during the training.
4. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum to all concerned is desired.


MA. GEMMA MERCADO LEDESMA
Regional Director

Encls.: None

Reference: Regional Memorandum No. 0890 s. 2022

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index

under the following subjects:

ALS CURRICULUM SHS TEACHERS TRAINING
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A D V I S O R Y

October 21, 2022

1. This has reference to OM-BAE-OD-2022-129 dated October 07, 2022 with the subject **National Training of ALS Teachers on the Implementation of the Contextualized Most Essential Learning Competencies (MELCs)-based Alternative Learning System Senior High School (ALS SHS) Curriculum-Mindanao Cluster** on November 7-12, 2022.
2. The participants are hereby informed that the venue of the said training is **Swiss-Belhotel Blulane** located at **609 Tomas Mapua St., Sta. Cruz, Manila**.
3. Likewise, the National Core of Trainers listed in Attachment No. 1 (Letter F) are also instructed to come to the venue one day before the activity (November 6, 2022).
4. Teaching and non-teaching personnel attending the said workshop may be granted service credits pursuant to the guidelines specified in **DepEd Order No. 53, s. 2003** (*Updated Guidelines on Grant of Vacation Service Credit of Teachers*) and Compensatory Time-Off (CTO) per **CSC-DBM Joint Circular No. 2, s.2004** (*Non-Monetary Remuneration for Overtime Services*), whichever is appropriate and applicable.
5. Regional ALS Focal Persons are advised to prioritize formal or ALS Senior High School teachers to attend and participate in the said training. Furthermore, the concerned school heads are strongly directed to institute measures and procedures to ensure that academic activities of the classes of the teacher-participants will continue.
6. In case that the downloaded funds are not sufficient to cover the actual expenses incurred, **Program Support Fund (PSF) FY 2022 or Local Funds** shall be utilized to augment the reimbursement of the said expenses.
7. For any clarifications or concerns, please contact **Mr. Ernie M. Pamor**, *Senior Education Program Specialist (on-detail)*, Bureau of Alternative Education-Program Management and System Development Division (BAE-PMSDD) through email ernie.pamor@deped.gov.ph or phone number (02)-8636-3603.
8. Please be guided accordingly.

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JUSTIFICATION

October 21, 2022

This is to provide justification on the attendance and participation of the field participants in the conduct of **National Training of ALS Teachers on the Implementation of Contextualized Most Essential Learning Competencies (MELCs)-based Alternative Learning System Senior High School (ALS SHS) Curriculum** on November 7-12, 2022 at the National Capital Region (NCR).

The participation of field personnel in the said national training is necessary and urgently needed for the following reasons:

1. Teachers play a vital role in the curriculum implementation process, particularly in translating the curriculum into actual classroom delivery. The nation-wide implementation of ALS SHS program requires training of teachers considering that the curriculum is the heart of instruction. This will allow them to: (1) develop a deep understanding, familiarization, and appreciation of the curriculum; (2) gain skills on the learning delivery and contextualization process of learning competencies in ALS context; and (3) demonstrate knowledge and skills gained in the training through demonstration teaching to ensure the effective and efficient implementation in their respective regions, schools divisions, schools and/or community learning centers.
2. The teacher-participants will also serve as Core of Regional Trainers for the expansion of ALS SHS program in their respective regions. As practiced, trained teachers on the national level are maximized as trainers in region and division-initiated trainings as well.
3. Regional ALS Focal Persons are the counterparts of the Bureau of Alternative Education (BAE) in the implementation of ALS programs in their respective regions. Thus, their attendance and participation in this activity will allow them to get familiarized with the new curriculum and design implementation plan for the region-wide roll-out and training of ALS implementors.

For your kindest consideration.

MARILETTE R. ALMAYDA
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MEMORANDUM

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TO : **REGIONAL DIRECTORS**
Regions IV-A, IV-B, V, VI, VIII, IX, X, XI, XII, Caraga, & NCR

FROM : **G.H. S. AMBAT**
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SUBJECT : **NATIONAL TRAINING OF ALS TEACHERS ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE CONTEXTUALIZED MOST ESSENTIAL LEARNING COMPETENCIES (MELCS)-BASED ALTERNATIVE LEARNING SYSTEM SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL (ALS SHS) CURRICULUM - MINDANAO CLUSTER**

DATE : October 07, 2022

The Bureau of Alternative Education (BAE) in coordination with the Bureau of Curriculum Development (BCD) and in partnership with the Asian Development Bank (ADB), developed the Contextualized MELCs-based ALS SHS Curriculum. In preparation for the nationwide implementation of the newly developed curriculum, the BAE will conduct the **National Training of ALS Teachers on the Implementation of the Contextualized Most Essential Learning Competencies (MELCs)-based Alternative Learning System Senior High School (ALS SHS) Curriculum - Mindanao Cluster** on November 7-12, 2022 at National Capital Region *(the venue shall be communicated in a separate issuance).*

This activity aims to:

1. develop deep understanding, familiarization, and appreciation on the Contextualized MELCs-based ALS SHS Curriculum among ALS teachers;
2. train and equip the ALS Regional Core of Trainers with the skills needed on the delivery and contextualization process of learning competencies in ALS context; and
3. conduct demonstration teaching of select teacher-participants as preparation for the implementation of the Contextualized MELCs-based ALS SHS Curriculum in their respective regions, schools divisions, schools and/or community learning centers.

Particular attention is invited to *Attachment No.1 (Letters A-F)* for the List of Participants and *Attachment No. 2* for the Training Matrix. The listed teacher-

participants are required to bring their own laptops and copy of the MELCs of their assigned core or applied subject during the training.

The participants are also requested to comply with all COVID-19 Alert Level System protocols set by the national and local Inter-Agency Task Force for the Management of Emerging and Infectious Diseases (IATF), as well as the most recent DepEd rules and/or policies.

The concerned school heads are strongly directed to institute measures and procedures to ensure that there will be no disruption of classes on the duration of the training.

Transportation expenses, board and lodging, other expenses for supplies and materials, and other incidental expenses incurred for this activity shall be charged against the 2022 FLO-ALS Continuing Fund, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations. Travel and other incidental expenses of the participants were downloaded to the Regional Offices and shall be paid in full upon submission of the travel documents, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

Regional ALS Focal Persons are advised to facilitate the most convenient means on the reimbursement of expenses of the participants for this activity. **Downloading of funds to the respective schools divisions of the participants is highly encouraged**, when deemed necessary and applicable.

In case that the downloaded funds are not sufficient to cover the actual expenses incurred, **Program Support Fund (PSF) CY 2022 or local funds** shall be utilized to augment the reimbursement of the said expenses.

Should there be queries or clarifications, please contact **Mr. Ernie M. Pamor, Senior Education Program Specialist, (on-detail)**, Bureau of Alternative Education-Program Management and Systems Development (BAE-PMSDD) through email at ernie.pamor@deped.gov.ph.

Immediate dissemination of and strict compliance with this Memorandum is directed.