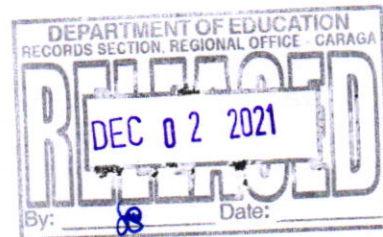




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CARAGA REGION



December 2, 2021

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

No. 986, s. 2021

To: SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS
This Region

CONDUCT OF ORIENTATION ON DEPED-DOH JMC No.1 s. 2021 AND THE
FREE AND PRIOR INFORMED CONSENT (FPIC) CONSULTATIONS
FOR REGIONAL AND DIVISION PERSONNEL INVOLVED IN
PREPARING SCHOOLS LOCATED IN INDIGENOUS
PEOPLES (IP) COMMUNITIES

1. The Indigenous Peoples Education Office (IPsEO) in partnership with the Planning Service shall conduct a virtual orientation on DepEd-DOH JMC No.1 s. 2021 and the FPIC consultations for Regional and Division Personnel involved in preparing schools located in IP communities on December 3 and December 6, 2021.
2. Attached is DM-OUCI-2021-00559 dated November 29, 2021 for your reference.
3. Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum is desired.


MA. GEMMA MERCADO LEDESMA
Regional Director

Encl/s.: Memorandum DM-OUCI-2021-00559
Reference/s: Memorandum DM-OUCI-2021-00559
To be indicated in the Perpetual Index
under the following subjects:

FPIC CONSULTATIONS

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TO : REGIONAL DIRECTORS (CAR, I, II, III, IV-CALABARZON,
IV- MIMAROPA, V, VI, VII, VIII, IX, X, XI, XII and CARAGA)

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EDUCATION, BARMM

SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS OF DIVISIONS
IMPLEMENTING THE INDIGENOUS PEOPLES EDUCATION
PROGRAM

FROM : 
ALMA RUBY C. TORIO
Assistant Secretary
Curriculum and Instruction

SUBJECT : Conduct of Orientation on DepEd-DOH JMC No. 1 s. 2021 and the
Free and Prior Informed Consent (FPIC) Consultations for
Regional and Division Personnel Involved in Preparing Schools
Located in Indigenous Peoples (IP) Communities

DATE : November 29, 2021

1. Pursuant to Department Memorandum 71 s. 2021 or *Preparations for the Pilot Face to Face, Expansion and Transition to New Normal* that provides guidance for the preparation of schools in implementing face-to-face learning modality, including the conduct of free and prior informed consent (FPIC) consultations in schools located in Indigenous Peoples (IP) communities, the Indigenous Peoples Education Office in partnership with the Planning Service will conduct an orientation on the DepEd -DOH Joint Memorandum Circular No. 1 s. 2021 and other pertinent documents for DepEd personnel involved in the FPIC consultations.
2. Also to be discussed are the FPIC consultation process itself and cultural considerations that may be encountered during the consultation process with IP communities.

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3. Personnel to be involved in the FPIC consultations and other concerns of IP communities as specified in succeeding issuances on FPIC consultations are as follows:
- Regional Office:** Regional IP Education Focal Person; Representative from the Education Support Services Division
 - Schools Division Office:** IP Education Focal Person, Social Mobilization and Networking Section Senior Education Program Specialist, Health and Nutrition Section Medical Officer, Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Project Development Officer, and the Division Engineer
4. To complement previous orientation sessions on the JMC that have been conducted, the following table summarizes the participants and schedules of the sessions:

Topic	Participants	Date And Time of Session
DepEd -DOH JMC No. 1 s. 2021	Regional Office • IPed Focal Person • ESSD Representative	December 3, 2021 8:30 am to 12:00 noon
School Safety Assessment Tool	Schools Division Office • IPed Focal Person • Social Mobilization and Networking Section Senior Education Program Specialist	(session room will be open 15 minutes before the session)
Cultural Considerations of IP communities	Regional Office • IPed Focal Person • ESSD Representative	December 6, 2021 1:30 pm to 4:30 pm
FPIC Consultation Process	Schools Division Office • IPed Focal Person • Social Mobilization and Networking Section Senior Education Program Specialist • Health and Nutrition Section Medical Officer • Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Project Development Officer • Division Engineer	(session room will be open 15 minutes before the session)

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5. Registration shall be on the day itself and the link to the session shall be provided one hour before the session.
6. As an initial step in the preparations for the sessions, Division IPed Focal Persons are to prepare the list of schools implementing IPed and/or located in ancestral domains. Additional guidance on this shall be provided through Regional IPed Focal Persons.
7. For clarifications or queries, please contact the Indigenous Peoples Education Office (IPsEO) at ipseo@deped.gov.ph or 09778421007.
8. For your appropriate action.

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