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2011 NATIONAL SCHOOL HEALTH AND NUTRITION CONGRESS

To: Bureau Directors
Regional Directors
Regional Secretary, ARMM
Schools Division/City Superintendents
Heads, Public and Private Elementary and Secondary Schools

1. The Department of Education (DepEdD), through the Health and Nutrition Center (HNC) will hold the **National School Health and Nutrition Congress** with the theme *“Bridging the Gaps Between Health and Education Through the Strengthened Integrated School Health and Nutrition Program (ISHNP)”* on December 5-9, 2011 to be held at the Benitez Hall, Teachers Camp, Baguio City.

2. The Congress aims to:

- a. present the current health and nutrition status of the school children in public elementary and secondary schools;
- b. identify and develop solutions to bridge the gaps between health and education;
- c. discuss the Strengthened Integrated School Health and Nutrition Program 2011-2016; and
- d. enhance the participants’ capacities on school health and nutrition promotion through interactive sessions and sharing of best practices.

3. Cognizant of the benefits which the health and nutrition personnel will gain from the Congress, the following officials shall attend the Congress **on official business**:

- a. Regional Level
 1. Chief, Health and Nutrition Unit
 2. Medica/ Officers in Regions VI, VII and VIII
 3. Regional Supervising Dentist
 4. Nutritionist-Dietitians I and II
 5. Other health personnel detailed in the region
- b. Division Level
 1. Head, Health and Nutrition Section
 2. Dentist in-charge
 3. Nurse in-charge
 4. Dental Aide in-charge
- c. Divisions with no health personnel may send their Education Supervisors (ES-I) on Health and/or Nutrition

4 Each participant will be charged Three Thousand Five Hundred Pesos (PhP3,500.00) as payment for registration fee to cover expenses for foods, handouts, kits and workshop supplies and materials. The transportation expenses and other incidental expenses of participants shall be charged to local funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations. Any proceeds for registration fee shall be used for the honoraria of guests speakers, facilitators, moderators, and working committees, and other expenses relative to the conduct of the congress. Lodging will be charged to the HNC (A.II.e.I) funds provided in the Government Appropriations Act (GAA) subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

5. The participants are expected to check in after lunch on **December 5** and check out after breakfast on **December 9, 2011**. The first meal to be served is dinner on **December 5, 2011**. Enclosed is the program of activities.

6. It is requested that each region shall submit the list/names of participants to the HNC on or before **November 23, 2011**.

7. For more information, please contact **Dr. Maria Corazon C. Dumlao**, Officer-in-Charge (OIC), HNC, DepEd Central Office, 5/F Mabini Building, DepEd Complex, Meralco Avenue, Pasig City at telephone nos.: (02) 637-5504, (02) 638-8525, (02) 470-1582 and mobile phone no.: 0917-812-0166 or send a message through e-mail address: mariaorazonmd@yahoo.com and dothienunez65@yahoo.com.

8. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.


BR. ARMIN A. LUISTRO FSC
Secretary

Encl.:

As stated

References:

DepEd Memorandum: Nos. 187 and 34, s. 2008

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THE 2011 NATIONAL SCHOOL HEALTH AND NUTRITION CONGRESS
Teacher's Camp, Baguio City
 December 6-8, 2011

PROGRAM AT A GLANCE

TIME	DEC. 5 (DAY 0)	DEC. 6 (DAY 1)	DEC. 7 (DAY 2)	DEC. 8 (DAY 3)	DEC. 9 (DAY 4)
8:00-9:00	Arrival of Delegates Exhibit set up Setting up of Poster Presentation	Innovation Flag Raising Ceremony	Primary Session Beuter Hall	Break Out Session Quezon Hall (2 nd Floor)	Post Congress Meeting
9:00-9:30	Executive Committee Meeting	Opening of Exhibits	Panel Discussion: Showcasing EHCIP EXPERIENCES	Workshop: Identification of solutions to bridge the gaps between health and education	
9:30-10:00	Committee Meetings	OPENING PROGRAM Keynote Speaker: Dr. ARMIN A. ESTRO, ENG. Secretary Department of Education	HEALTH BREAK Snack Presentation, Tea, Treats and Baking Ms. JENNIFER COLLEORNE	OPEN FORUM	
10:00-12:00					
12:00-1:00	Registration and Settling-in of Participants	Bridging the Gaps Between Health and Nutrition and Education Dr. YOLANDA S. OJEDA <i>Undersecretary for Programs & Projects</i>	HEALTH BREAK Climate Change Adaptation: Implication on Health and Nutrition Sec. LUCILLE SRENG <i>Climate Change Commissioner</i>	(For EHCIP Implementors only) SCHOOL-BASED MANAGEMENT EHCIP Monitoring Group Work	Proposed Rationalization Plan
2:00-3:00		Strengthened Integrated School Health and Nutrition Program (SISNHP) Dr. MARINA CORAZON DE MELO <i>OIC: Health & Nutrition Center</i>	Food Safety in Schools Dr. LUCY AP. RABONKO <i>ETP/PH</i>	Group Work	OPEN FORUM
3:00-3:15			HEALTH BREAK		
3:15-4:00		Preaching Health and Nutrition Service Delivery through School Based Management (SBMD) Dr. RIZALINO RIVERA <i>Undersecretary for Regional Operations</i>	Non-communicable Diseases c/o Balin		Presentation of Evaluation Results & Resolution
4:00-5:00		Institutionalizing Student Tracking System Assoc. JES S. MATEO <i>Assistant Secretary</i>	DepEd School Information System Mr. ABRAHAM ARYANI		Wrap Up Activities CLOSING PROGRAM
5:00-6:00		OPEN FORUM Election of DENMOA, DEDA, DENNA, DENDA and SHNPAP	OPEN FORUM		
6:00-7:30			DINNER		
7:30-10:00		FELLOWSHIP NIGHT/SOCIALS	AWARDS & RECOGNITION RITES	PRESIDENT'S NIGHT	