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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
REGION IV-A CALABARZON
Gate 2, Karangalan Village, Cainta Rizal



REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

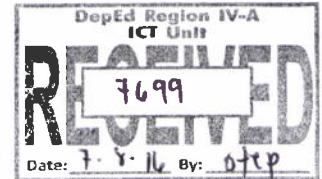
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TO : ALL SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS
DIVISION AND SCHOOL DEWORMING COORDINATORS

FROM : DIOSDADO M. SAN ANTONIO
Director IV

SUBJECT : CLARIFICATIONS ON THE DEWORMING GUIDELINES FOR JULY 2016

DATE : 7 July 2016



As per DepEd Order No. 51 s. 2016 "Implementation of the School-Based Feeding Program for SY 2016-2017" Enclosure Section 9 Complementary Activities states that "beneficiaries undergo deworming prior to feeding in order for them to get the full benefit of the food nutrients."

Furthermore, in support of the Department of Health's Memorandum No. 2016-0212 "Harmonized Schedule and Combined Mass Drug Administration for the Prevention and Control of Lymphatic Filariasis, Schistosomiasis, and Soil-Transmitted Helminthiasis", and after the series of consultation/orientation with the Divisions last June 2016, this office issues the following clarifications:

1. The deworming activity shall cover all public school enrolled learners for SY 2016-2017 from Kinder to Grade 6, Grade 7-11 and SPED in the Region.
2. Objective is to deworm 85% of the above target/eligible population.
3. Private Schools participating in the Mass Deworming Activity (MDA) are encouraged to coordinate with the respective Local Government Units for the drug supply, monitoring, recording and reporting.
4. The Division Coordinator/s for Private Schools are to assist the Private Schools in the orientation, monitoring and reporting.
5. The Public School District Supervisors are to assist the Public Schools in their respective area in the orientation, monitoring and reporting.
6. The Division and School Deworming Coordinators shall coordinate with the Local Government Units' Rural Health Unit/ City Health Office Personnel for supervision of the activity and monitoring/back referral of any adverse events.





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7. Referral of cases of adverse events should utilize government hospitals.
8. July is designated as Deworming month. Deworming can be done on the most convenient agreed day of the parties involved. However, it is encouraged that a One- Day Synchronized Deworming be done, to allow 4 weeks observation period for any Adverse Events from Dengvaxia vaccination and deworming.
9. Last day of deworming is July 28, 2016 Thursday.
10. **Initial Text reporting by the Division Coordinators** to Regional Coordinator at 0917 811 0690 is due on **August 1, 2016 (Monday) by 3 PM** following this format:
Division Elementary/# enrolled/# dewormed; Division High School/# enrolled/#dewormed
Example: Antipolo Elementary/20,000/15,000; Antipolo High School/15,000/7,500
11. **Final Report by the Division Coordinators** to Regional Coordinator at ess_calabarzon@yahoo.com and pearloliveth@yahoo.com is due on **August 8, 2016 (Monday) by 3 pm** using the attached excel format. Please email the excel file and also a scanned document illustrating the signatories.
12. For any clarifications, Dr. Pearl Oliveth S. Intia Medical Officer IV can be contacted at 0917 8110690.

For immediate dissemination and compliance.



ANNEX C: Form 4b Division Level Reporting Form

Region	Province	Division	Grade Level	No. of Enrolled Children	Children Reversed			Committed to dispensing (as indicated in consent form)	Refused dispensing (as indicated in consent form)	No consent form returned	Preliminary Measures (Form 4b, with additional information for children with dispensing drug (attach B WIAAF Guide B1 page 14)	Adverse Event Reported (Type and no)	
					0-4's	5-12's	Total 4 yr's + less 0-4's						
Antigua			Kindergarten										
			Grade 1-5										
			Grade 7-10										
			Grade 11										
			TPEB										
TOTAL				0	0	0	0	0	0	0			

Accomplished by:

Certified by:

Approved by:

Coordinator
Date:

Chief, DCOB
Date:

School Division Superintendent
Date: