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Department of Education
REGION IV-A CALABARZON




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Regional Memorandum
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INVITATION TO THE PHILIPPINE NURSING CONGRESS 2025

To: **Schools Division Superintendents**

1. In reference to Memorandum DM-OUHROD-2025-0551¹, this Office, through Education Support Services Division - School Health Section, disseminates the invitation to the Philippine Nursing Congress 2025 on June 25-27, 2025, at the Grand Men Seng Hotel, Davao City.
2. The congress aims to:
 - a. Empower school nurses to implement and advocate for programs that promote the physical, mental, and emotional well-being of students and staff, fostering a healthy school environment;
 - b. Offer nurses professional development to stay updated on nursing practices, health trends, and school health initiatives; and;
 - c. Strengthen school nurses' readiness in handling emergencies, disasters, and crises, ensuring effective first aid and health response coordination.
3. The Nurses of the DepEd Region IV-A CALABARZON may choose to attend the activity, provided their participation does not interfere with their regular functions and responsibilities. The use of DepEd funds is subject to the approval of the respective offices contingent upon fund availability and adhering to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
4. Attached is the aforementioned Memorandum and letter from the Philippine Nursing World Congress Organizing Committee.
5. For clarifications kindly contact Pearl Oliveth S. Intia MD, Medical Officer IV at pearl.intia@deped.gov.ph.
6. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.


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¹ Invitation to the Philippine Nursing Congress 2025



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MEMORANDUM
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TO : Regional Directors
Schools Division Superintendents
All Others Concerned

FROM : WILFREDO E. CABRAL
*Undersecretary for Human Resource and
Organizational Development*

MALCOLM S. GARMA
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Office of the Undersecretary for Operations*

SUBJECT : INVITATION TO THE PHILIPPINE NURSING CONGRESS 2025

DATE : 28 February 2025

The **Philippine Nursing World Congress 2025** will be conducted on **June 25-27, 2025**, at the **Grand Men Seng Hotel, Davao City**. The theme of this year's Congress is ***Bridging Cultures, Elevating Care: The Global Impact of Filipino Nurses***.

This event will serve as an excellent opportunity to bring together nursing professionals, educators, and healthcare leaders from across the globe. This will also serve as an avenue for the participants to gain valuable insights, participate in skills-building sessions, and contribute to discussions that aim to improve patient care and elevate the standards of nursing practice nationwide.

DepEd nurses may opt to attend the activity subject to the following conditions:

- compliance with the applicable provisions of DepEd Order No. 046, s. 2022 titled the Amendment to DepEd Order No. 43, s. 2022 (*Omnibus Travel Guidelines for All Personnel of the Department of Education*) and Other Appropriate Orders and Guidelines on Travel;
- secure approval from respective authorities;
- participation shall not interfere with regular functions and responsibilities; and
- use of DepEd funds strictly adheres to the usual budgeting, accounting, and auditing rules and regulations.

For more details, please visit this link: philnursingworldcongress.com.

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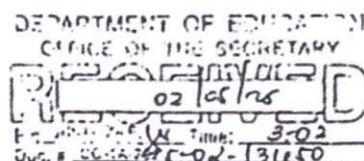
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February 8, 2025

Hon. Juan Edgardo M. Angara
Secretary, Department of Education
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Pasay City



Subject: Request for Issuance of Circular on Attendance at Philippine Nursing World Congress 2025

Dear Hon. Angara,

I hope this message finds you well.

On behalf of the organizing committee of the Philippine Nursing World Congress 2025, I respectfully request your support in issuing a circular that would allow government-employed nurses to attend the Congress on official time. The event is scheduled to be held at the Grand Men Seng Hotel, Davao City, from June 25-27, 2025. The Congress, under the theme "Bridging Cultures, Elevating Care: The Global Impact of Filipino Nurses," will bring together nursing professionals, educators, and healthcare leaders from across the globe. It is an excellent opportunity for our dedicated nurses to gain valuable insights, participate in skills-building sessions, and contribute to discussions that aim to improve patient care and elevate the standards of nursing practice nationwide.

We believe that enabling government-employed nurses to attend this event on official time will not only enhance their professional development but also positively impact the quality of care provided in public healthcare settings. Your support in this regard is essential, and we are confident that your endorsement will further strengthen the capabilities of our Filipino nurses.

Please find attached the detailed document outlining the Congress agenda and the intended benefits of the circular.

We are happy to provide any additional information or clarification if needed. Thank you very much for considering our request. We look forward to a favorable response and to the continued support of the Department of Health in advancing nursing excellence in the Philippines.

Respectfully,

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