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 REGION IV-A CALABARZON



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Regional Memorandum

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VIRTUAL MEETING ON FOOD HANDLING GUIDELINES FOR THE CONDUCT OF RAAM 2026

To **Schools Division Superintendents**
All others concerned

1. Relative to the conduct of the 2026 Regional Athletic Association Meet (RAAM), set to take place from March 4 to March 14, 2026, to be hosted by the Schools Division of Batangas City, the Education Support Services Division hereby announces the conduct of the **Virtual Meeting on Food Handling Guidelines for the Conduct of RAAM 2026** via online MS Teams on January 26, 2026 at exactly 1:00 PM, onwards.
2. Specifically, the meeting aims to achieve the following objectives:
 - a. To ensure that all food service providers and health personnel are correctly oriented and aligned with existing DepEd, DOH, and LGU food safety and sanitation policies and guidelines,
 - b. To establish standardized protocols, precise coordination, mechanisms, and strict compliance with food safety and health regulations,
 - c. To ensure that all participants will manifest compliance with the guidelines presented.
3. The participants in this activity are the Medical Officers, Food Safety Officers, and Catering Services Providers, if there are, from 25 School Division Offices.
4. For clarifications and other concerns, you may contact Dr. Eduarda M. Zapanta, Chief Education Supervisor, and/or Mr. Ramil G. Ginete, Regional Sports Officer, Education Support Services Division, or email at essd.calabarzon@deped.gov.ph
5. For immediate dissemination to all concerned.


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