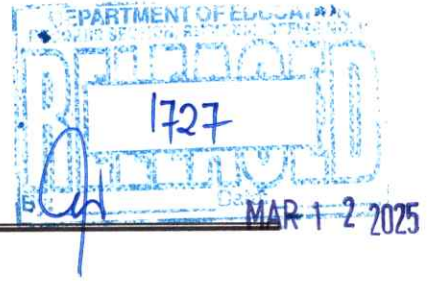




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**Office of the Regional Director**

March 11, 2025

**REGIONAL MEMORANDUM**  
 ESSD-2025-108

**PROGRESS MONITORING ON THE SELECTED OPLAN SA KALUSUGAN  
 SA DEPED FLAGSHIP PROGRAM 2025**

To: **Schools Division Superintendents**  
**Dapitan City**  
**Dipolog City**  
**Zamboanga del Norte**  
 This Region

1. With reference to OUOPS-2025-08-01108, this Office, through the Education Support Services Division-School Health and Nutrition spearheaded by the Bureau of Learner Support Services-School Health Division (SHD) announces the conduct of progress monitoring on **March 17-20, 2025** on the selected schools division offices.
2. In lieu with this, all concerned Schools Division Offices and their respective School Health and Nutrition Units are requested to coordinate closely with the Regional Office School Health and Nutrition Unit to ensure proper planning and preparation of the monitoring.
3. Attached is the list of the Regional Monitoring Team along with the Program of Activities for the entire duration of the program.
4. Meals and accommodation shall be charged against PSF of SBFP/WinS/GPP of the respective division office while travelling and other incidental expenses shall be charged against the program support funds of the Regional Office, subject to usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
5. For more clarification, you may contact Sheila Rose B. Apiag, Chief ESSD on her mobile number 09193529158 or Shulamite Grace A. Blanco SBFP regional focal person with mobile number 0951-1628-383
6. For the information, guidance and compliance of all concerned.

*Ruth L. Fuentes*  
**RUTH L. FUENTES, CESO III**  
 Regional Director

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**Annex A.**

**List of Regional Monitoring Team**

Name	Designation
1. Dr. Jay E. Perey	Dentist III
2. Shulamite Grace Amores-Blanco	Nutritionist-Dietitian II

**Annex B.**

**Program of Activities**  
**March 17-20, 2025**

**Suggested Flight:**  
**Arrival at Dipolog City Morning flight**

<b>Day 1 (March 17, 2025)</b>		
<b>AM</b>	07:00am- 08:00am	Arrival of the Monitoring Team
	08:00am- 09:00am	Breakfast
	09:00am-10:00am	Going to SDO-ZDN
	10:00am-10:30am	Courtesy Call to SDS-ZDN
	10:00am-10:30am	Going to APMAC
	10:30am-12:00nn	<b>APMAC-Plant Visit (PCC)</b>
	12:00nn-01:00pm	LUNCH
<b>PM</b>	01:00pm-02:30pm	Going to Dapitan
	02:30pm-03:00pm	Courtesy Call to SDS- Dapitan City
	03:00pm-03:30pm	Going to School-Dapitan City
	03:30pm-05:30pm	Visit School DAPITAN CITY
		<b>Barcelona Central School</b>
	05:30pm-06:30pm	Discussion with School and SDO Personnel
DINNER		
Accommodation in Dapitan City		

<b>Day 2 (March 18, 2025)</b>		
<b>AM</b>	06:00am-9:00am	Going to Labason
	09:00am-11:00am	Visit School ZDN
		<b>San Isidro ES, Labason, ZDN</b>
	11:00am-12:00nn	Discussion with SDO Personnel
	12:00nn-01:00pm	LUNCH
<b>PM</b>	01:00pm-02:00pm	Going to FQES
	02:00pm-04:00pm	Visit School ZDN



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		<b>Felix Quimbo Memorial ES, Labason, ZDN</b>
	04:00pm-05:00pm	Discussion with School and SDO Personnel
		Going to Dipolog City
DINNER		
Accommodation in Dipolog City		
<b>Day 3 (March 19, 2025)</b>		
AM	08:00am-08:30am	Courtesy Call to SDS-Dipolog City
	08:30am-09:00am	Going to MECS
	09:00am-11:00am	Visit School DIPOLOG CITY
		<b>Miputak East Central School</b>
	11:00am-12:00nn	Discussion with School and SDO Personnel
	12:00nn-01:00pm	LUNCH
PM	01:00pm-5:00pm	<b>Exit Conference with the 3 SDOs</b>
DINNER		
Accommodation in Dipolog City		

**Day 4**

**March 20, 2025**

Departure of the Monitoring Team



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February 13, 2025

**Dr. RUTH L. FUENTES, PhD, CESO III**  
 Regional Director  
 DepEd Region IX  
 Tiguma, Airport Road,  
 Pagadian City

Dear **Director Fuentes**:

This is to inform your good Office that the School Health Division (SHD) under the Bureau of Learner Support Services (BLSS) shall conduct a progress monitoring activity on the selected Oplan sa Kalusugan sa DepEd flagship programs in select SDOs in your region on **March 17-20, 2025**.

The monitoring team shall visit the Regional Office and select SDOs to do the following:

- Interview the key focal persons, review available reports and data, discuss policy and implementation concerns, gather feedback, and provide necessary technical assistance;
- Validate the observations through school visitations (one or two schools only) within the SDO, interview school heads, school focal persons, parents, volunteer groups, beneficiaries, and other stakeholders in select schools to determine their issues and concerns;
- Identify the procurement issues and concerns, best practices, budget utilization, and ensure compliance with nutritional standards;
- Monitor central kitchens and other schools implementing the PanSARAp Project of the Office of the Vice President, School Lunch Project under the Royal Patronage of Her Royal Highness Princess Maha Chakri Sirindhorn;
- Conduct an ocular inspection of Water, Sanitation, and Hygiene (WASH) facilities, manufacturing plants of NFPs, Pasteurized Milk of NDA or PCC as well as school nurseries, seed banks, and different garden technologies like hydroponics and urban gardening, evaluating plot quality, crop variety, and labeling practices by Nutrition and Hygiene Team; and

In this regard, may we request the SBFP focal persons/health personnel from the ROs and SDOs to join the monitoring team and coordinate the activity so that immediate solutions to the concerns will be instituted. Attached is the itinerary of travel with the list of monitors for ready reference. May we also request the RO or SDO staff to arrange



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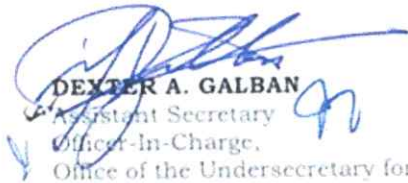
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an exit conference per SDO or cluster of SDOs, to discuss the findings of the monitoring visit.

For further details, Ms. Magdalene Portia T. Cariaga, Senior Education Program Specialist, or Ms. Christine Isabel B. Buenvenida, Health Education Promotion Officer II, or Ms. Ma. Sophia Delos Reyes, Technical Assistant II, will get in touch with your staff, or they may be reached at (+632)8863-9935 or email at sbfp@deped.gov.ph.

Thank you very much for the support extended to the school health and nutrition programs and projects.

Very truly yours,

  
**DEXTER A. GALBAN**  
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