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Subject : 13th National Convention of the Integrated Professional Counselors Association of the Philippines

Date: August 17, 2016

Please be informed of the attached DepEd Advisory No. 182, s. 2016 entitled 13th National Convention of the Integrated Professional Counselors Association of the Philippines


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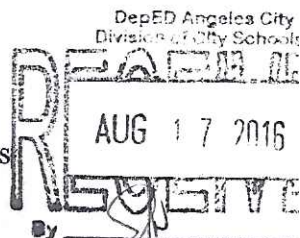
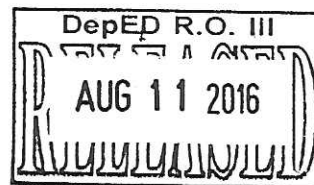
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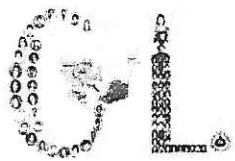
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Malcolm S. Garma, CESO V
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July 13, 2016

In compliance with DepEd Order No. 8, 2013,
this Advisory is issued for the information of DepEd officials,
personnel, staff, as well as the concerned public.
(Listed in the DepEd gazette)

**13th NATIONAL CONVENTION OF THE INTEGRATED PROFESSIONAL
COUNSELORS ASSOCIATION OF THE PHILIPPINES INC**

The Integrated Professional Counselors of the Philippines (IPCAP) Region IV-A will hold its 13th National Convention with the theme *Shifting Gear: Becoming Effective Millennial Counselors* from September 21 to 23, 2016 at the Tanza Oasis Hotel and Resort, Km. 31 A, Sorsogon Highway, Barangay Capipisa East, Tanza, Cavite.

The Convention aims to:

1. provide the participants with essential concepts, skills and knowledge on safe and competent practice of discipline;
2. advance their professional credentials through qualitative research;
3. enable them to strengthen their counseling goals with the use of psychological assessment;
4. help them acquire new skills in counseling documents;
5. advance their skills through career counseling and program development; and
6. broaden their knowledge and application of counseling techniques and strategies.

The target participants are the guidance counselors and or practitioners from both public and private elementary and secondary schools.

Participation of both public and private schools shall be subject to the no disruption of classes policy stipulated in DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 entitled *Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time on Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith*. This is also subject to the no-collection policy as stated in Section 3 of Republic Act No. 5546, *An Act Prohibiting the Sale of Tickets and, or the Collection of Contributions for Whatever Project or Purpose from Students and Teachers of Public and Private Schools, Colleges and Universities (Gonzales Law)*.

More information may be inquired from:

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August 2, 2016

DR. MALCOLM S. GARMA
Director III
Officer-In-Charge
Office of the Regional Director
Department of Education Region III

Greetings from the Integrated Professional Counselors Association of the Philippines (IPCAP)!

We are in high spirits to announce that our 13th National Convention, organized by IPCAP Region IV-A, will be on September 21-23, 2016 at Tanza Oasis Hotel and Resort, KM 41 A, Soriano Highway, Barangay Capipisa East, Tanza, Cavite with the theme "**Shifting Gear: Becoming Effective Millennial Counselors**".

We will showcase plenary sessions, workshops and paper presentations in this event. This will surely provide participants with essential concepts, skills, and knowledge on safe and competent practice of the discipline; advance their professional credentials through qualitative research; strengthen counseling goals using psychological assessment; acquire new skills in counseling documentation; advance the K-12 counselors' skills through career counseling and program development; and lastly, broaden knowledge and application of counseling techniques and strategies.

In connection with this, we invite **ALL GUIDANCE & COUNSELING PRACTITIONERS** (non-registered and registered guidance counselors) and **EVERYONE INTERESTED** in the field of Guidance and Counseling to join us in upgrading the quality of our professional services as we work with the millennial generation.

You may submit your qualitative researches relevant to the theme and get the chance to present them in the convention. Please submit entry to myhbersoto@gmail.com on or before **September 10, 2016**.

As for the details of the registration fees


Details of the Registration Fees				
Registration	Transient Participants		Checked In Participants	
	Member	Non-Member	Member	Non-Member
Early Birds	Php5,000.00	Php5,575.00	6,000.00	6,575.00
Onsite Registration	Php5,500.00	Php6,000.00	Make your arrangement and reservation with the Hotel's Guest Services & Reservation Desk.	
Note: Transient Participants are those who attend the convention but do not avail of the Hotel and Resort 3 days and 2 nights accommodation. Checked-In Participants enjoy 3 days and 2 nights Hotel and Resort accommodation with breakfast.				

Registration fees will include lunch for 3 days, am and pm snacks, kits and certificates. **Early bird registration can be availed until August 10, 2016.** Cash payment may be deposited to **MARIA TERESA S. MEDINA, BDO Robinsons Lupa Branch**, under the **Account No. 005670213654** while bank check payable to **IPCAP** may be deposited to **Integrated Professional Counselors Association of the Philippines, Inc., BDO E. Rodriguez Ave. Quezon City Branch**, under the **Current Account No. 220-084-661**. Once payment has been settled, scan the validated deposit slip with your full name, school, email address and mobile number and send to von.gonzales@dlsu.edu.ph for payment enlistment and acknowledgment.

Interested Registered Guidance Counselors who would like to become a member of the organization may pay P500.00 for individual membership. Attached is the programme and topic descriptions for your reference. Should you have questions, you may contact the undersigned at von.gonzales@dlsu.edu.ph or at mobile number 0949-836-8012

Thank you very much. We are hoping to see your presence in this worthwhile endeavor!

Sincerely,


Mr. VON KARLO N. GONZALES, RGC
Convention Chair


Dr. MYRA A. BERSOTO, RGC, Rpm
President, IPCAP Region IV-A


Ms. REMEDIOS C. MOOG, RGC, Rpm
Chair, IPCAP

assessment. In addition, participants will also learn the current trends in ethical use of psychological tests in counseling.

The Experience: Simulation in Case Documentation, Exposure to Several Formats, Skills Building in Case Conceptualization/Formulation, Exposure to Select Materials, Exposure to Sample Psychological Reports, Sharing of Best Practices

The Take Away: Knowledge in Case Conceptualization/Formulation Confidence in the Use of Assessment Results in the Practice, Skills in Evaluating Psychometrics Property, Knowledge in Creating Individualized Assessment Battery

Integrating Skills into Practice: Creating Breakthroughs in career Guidance Program Management

The K-12 Education is in full swing in the country. While the Academic Unit of every institution have tried to implement transition plans and find ways to address challenges post by this new system, the Student Services/Guidance and Counseling Unit continues to build capacity and strengthen programs in response to the currently emerging needs of the students in the new system. The School Counselors' (or Practitioners) skills in Career Counseling and in K-12 Guidance Program Development have received tremendous focus and emphasis in various conventions. This workshop develops the participants' skills in Career Guidance focusing attention on best practices in Career Counseling and School Career Programs.

The Experience: Retooling of Counselor's Career Counseling Skills, Conceptualizing of Career Guidance Programs

The Take Away: Reviewed Individual Career Guidance Program

Polishing the Counselor's Expertise: Responding to Critical Incidents in Counseling

Counseling whether in school, community, workplace, and in clinical setting thrives to uphold the principle of ethical, safe, and effective practice. Clients avail of the professional services of the Counselor because they are in the situations where they experience the notion of "*nobody understands, even me*". The Counselor gets in, help, and exercise his knowledge and skills working with clients in several critical incidents. This workshop serves the participants with up-to-date information in the practice of counseling techniques and psychotherapy. It gives participants with the rundown of safe techniques that are operative in common critical incidents

The Experience: Exposure to Potentially Hazardous Therapy, Retooling of the Counselor's Expertise in Counseling Techniques, Sharing of Ethical and Best Practices

The Take Away: Examined Skill Set in Counseling, New Knowledge for Ethical Practice, Desire to Learn More

IPCAP 13th National Convention

Von Karlo Gonzales <von.gonzales@clsu.edu.ph>
to me, Rem, MYH

1:15 PM (17 minutes ago)

Dear Dr. Garma:

Greetings!

May I present to you the attached documents regarding the details of the IPCAP 13th National Convention that will be held at Tanza Cavite come September 21-23, 2016. Together with the invite and programme I also attached the issued DepEd Advisory for your perusal. In behalf of the Board of Officers we are requesting for your kind endorsement of this matter.

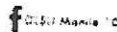
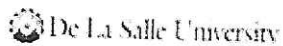
Thank you and hoping for your favorable response.

Yours truly,

Mr. Von Karlo Gonzales
Convention Chair
VP for Region IVA

Mr. Von Karlo N. Gonzales
Guidance Counselor

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IPCAP 13th National Convention

Organized by IPCAP Region IV-A

Shifting Gear: Becoming Effective Millennial Counselors

September 21-23, 2016

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WORKSHOPS

Beginning Your Journey:

RA 9258 and Ethical Standards for Guidance Counselors

This workshop is for young practitioners in the discipline of Guidance and Counseling. It aims to induct participants on the essential concepts, skills, and knowledge on safe and competent practice of the discipline. The workshop may also serve as refresher course for the practitioners who would like to further enhance their skill set and update themselves on ethical practice.

The Experience: Simulation Games on Skills Building, Sharing of Best Practices

The Take Away: Fresh Ideas about the Practice, The Practitioner's Confidence, Personal Career Plans in Advancing in the Practice

Priming Writing Skills in Counseling Report:

Best Practices in Counseling Documentation and Strengthening Your Counseling Goals with Psychological Assessment

Counseling Case Documentation is one of the foundations in the practice of Counseling that must be standardized. The practitioners must have a common knowledge on the elements of Case Documentation so as to create ease in the referral between practitioners and agreement in the assessment of each individual case. A well-prepared counseling document provides a better picture of what have transpired during sessions and what will be considered in the next sessions while maintaining a common language that is comprehensible to all in the field of counseling practice. The workshop will expose participants in the importance of counseling documentation, the different elements in writing a case document, and the common formats used in compliance with standards set by international organizations.

Individual Psychological Test results have been considered important in the practice of counseling. Psychological Tests Results are comparable to Medical Laboratory Test Results that will provide a practitioner with a clear view of the client's functioning (or a patient's medical condition, in medical practice). The movement for the advancement of evidence-based counseling gave rise to the proper and safe use of psychological test results in counseling. This workshop aims to provide participants on the concept of evidence-based practice. It helps participants to identify top-caliber psychological test materials and in creating a very reliable battery of test in individual



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Shifting Gear: Becoming Effective Millennial Counselors
September 21-23, 2016

PROGRAMME

Day 1

7:00 AM – 8:00 AM **Registration**

8:00 AM – 8:45 AM **Opening Ceremonies**

Invocation

National Anthem

Welcome Remarks

Ms. MYRA ALDAY-BERSOTO, Ph.D., RGC, RPm
President, IPCAP Region IV-A

Chair's Message

Ms. REMEDIOS C. MOOG, RGC, RPm
Chair, IPCAP

Presentation of Participants,
Guests, IPCAP Board of Trustees
and Region IV-A Officers

Mr. VON KARLO N. GONZALES, RGC
Vice President, IPCAP Region IV-A
Convention Chair

Overview of the Convention

Ms. JOANA FE PANGANIBAN, RGC
Professional Development Officer,
IPCAP Region IV-A

8:45 AM – 11:15 AM **Keynote Address**

Introduction of the Keynote Speaker

Ms. MARIA TERESA S. MEDINA, RGC
Treasurer, IPCAP Region IV-A

Keynote Speaker

Dr. JOHN ADDY S. GARCIA, RGC

Full Professor, Counseling and Educational Psychology Department
Dean, Br. Andrew Gonzalez College of Education (May 2013 – August 2016)
De La Salle University - Manila

Awarding of Keynote Speaker

11:15 AM– 12:15 PM **Business Meeting**

Presentation of Constitution & By-laws

Ms. REMEDIOS C. MOOG, RGC, RPm
Chair, IPCAP

12:15 PM – 1:00 PM **Health Break**

1:00 PM – 3:00 PM **Plenary**

Guidance and Counseling in the Philippines: Updates, Recent Changes, and New Directions

Dr. ELENA V. MORADA, RGC

Member, Professional Regulatory Board of Guidance Counseling, Professional Regulatory Commission

Open Forum

Awarding of Speaker

3:00 PM – 3:15 PM **Health Break**

Crossing the Crossroad:

Advancing Your Professional Credentials through Qualitative Research

The improvement of every field and profession lies in its strong research background. This also stands true for the advancement and indispensability of the person practicing the profession. Research may have been labeled as a daunting professional endeavor, but if one learns the skills in conceptualizing and writing research one may find the joys and satisfaction in indulging in this activity. This workshop encourages participants to fully grasp the role of qualitative research in Guidance and Counseling. It will simplify the important processes and steps in conceptualizing and writing qualitative research while safeguarding its purpose as an academic, professional, and scientific undertaking.

Counselors' Wellness

This 13th Convention of the Integrated Professional Counselors Association of the Philippines, Inc. is not only delighted in giving participants with new skill sets and retooling of acquired knowledge in the field, but also provides venue for all to experience wellness. The choice of venue and accommodation package does not only guarantee a breathing space for relaxation and wellness. This is also a very timely opportunity to learn how to take care of ourselves as helping professionals. This presentation will encourage participants in writing personal wellness plans incorporating mind, body, and spirit. This will aid Guidance Counselors in recharging their selves combating stress, burnout feelings, and job strains.

3:15 PM – 5:00 PM **Plenary**

Meeting the Millennial: Elucidating Our Understanding of Who They Are

Dr. LEO J. CAPEATING, RGC

University Guidance Counselor, Guidance and Counseling Program,
Office of Student Affairs, University of the Philippines - Manila

Open Forum
Awarding of Speaker

Day 2

8:00 AM – 12:00 NN **Concurrent Workshops**

1:00 PM – 5:00 PM **Concurrent Workshops**

- I. Beginning Your Journey: RA 9258 and Ethical Standards for Guidance Counselors by
 Dr. SHEILA MARIE G. HOCSON, RGC, RP
- II. Integrating Skills into Practice: Creating Breakthroughs in Career Guidance Program
 Management by **Mr. ANGELBERT Z. HERNANDEZ, MA, RGC, Rpm**
- III. Priming Writing Skills in Counseling Report: Best Practices in Counseling Documentation and
 Strengthening Your Counseling Goals with Psychological Assessment by
 Ms. MARIFLOR J. GATCHALIAN, RP, CSAP
- IV. Polishing the Counselors' Expertise: Responding to Critical Incidents in Counseling by
 Dr. GARY DY, RGC, Rpm
- V. Counselor as Coach or Both? by
 Dr. MONICA H. WALET, RP, MSPS

12:00 NN – 1:00 PM **Health Break**

Day 3

8:00 AM – 10:30 AM **Plenary**

Crossing the Crossroad: Advancing Your Professional Credentials through Qualitative Research

Mr. JOHN JAMIR BENZON R. ARUTA, RGC

Lecturer, Counseling and Educational Psychology Department, De La Salle University - Manila

Open Forum
Awarding of Speaker

10:30 AM – 10:45 AM **Health Break**

10:45 AM – 11:30 AM **Paper Presentation**

11:30 AM – 12:30 NN **Health Break and Socialization**

12:30 AM – 2:30 PM **Plenary**

Counselors' Wellness

MS. ERLINDA I. PAYNO, RGC

Licensed Family and Psycho Spiritual Counselor, Miriam College Quezon City

Counselor as Coach or Both?

Counselors are successful if they achieve results; and counselors achieve results by working through and with people. They need to be able to equip themselves with better skills and behavior and to facilitate change to others. Counselors must also be able to manage themselves professionally and at the same time remain relevant to the needs of their clients. The millennial clients may need counseling but maybe, coaching is a better alternative? This workshop aims in providing participants with the skills and tools to coach and counsel and be a more successful practitioner who optimizes the potential of clients. At the end of the course, participants should be able to: (1) appreciate the importance of coaching as alternative technique in counseling clients, (2) acquire the skills to conduct coaching and counseling sessions, (3) apply coaching techniques in helping clients achieve results using latest tools in the industry, and (4) optimize the potential of co-counselors in working as team (Walet, M.H., 2016).

As participant finished the workshop, he will bring with him the feeling of being an inspiration to clients and peers to excel and achieve results; paired with the capacity to achieve outcomes in influencing change and empowering others (Walet, M.H., 2016).

PLENARY SESSIONS

The Philippine Guidance Counseling: Updates, Recent Changes, and New Directions

Being one of the very young professions in the Philippines, the Guidance Counseling discipline dynamically improves steadily. It grows, develops its own identity, and strengthens integrity in practice to serve the Filipino and international clientele with high standards and pride. With the dramatic changes around society brought by time and human person himself, the discipline must keep abreast with it. These current updates, recent changes, and new directions in the field must be delivered and heard by each and every professional practicing Guidance and Counseling.

Meeting the Millennial: Elucidating Our Understanding of Who They Are

The term millennial has been used widely in various forms. They were the young adults of today and have been embarking in several milieus like in the world of work, family and marriage, career advancement, migration and even more. This presentation will give participants of who the millennial are, how they live their lives, how they create their marks on the world, and most especially how they rear their children and expect them to become in the future. With this understanding, the Guidance Counselors of today will learn new skills in working with them – not only the millennial but also their children who in one way or the other are also starting to get in the Counselors' sphere of expertise.

2:30 PM

Open Forum
Awarding of Speaker
Closing Ceremonies

Closing Remarks

REV. FR. BERNARDO R. COLLERA, SVD, RGC
IPCAP Ex-Officio

Awarding of Certificates

MS. ANGELI BUSTILLO, RGC & MR. RICKY LAWAS, RGC
IPCAP Board of Trustees
Master of Ceremonies