

Department of Education Region III DIVISION OF CITY SCHOOLS

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DIVISION MEMORANDUM NO. 123 S. 2015

ORIENTATION ON THE IMMUNIZATION OF GRADE 1 AND 7 PUPILS/STUDENTS

To: HEADS OF PUBLIC ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOLS

- The Department of Health (DOH) in collaboration with the Department of Education (DepEd) and Department of Interior and Local Government (DILG) initiated vaccination among adolescents in 2013. Measles-Mumps-Rubella (MMR) and Tetanus—diphtheria (Td) were introduced as an important immunization strategy towards the control of vaccine preventable diseases specifically elimination of measles and maternal-neonatal Tetanus.
- A nationwide adolescent vaccination of Grade 1 and Grade 7 public school
 pupils/students will be conducted on August 01, 2015. Students will be screened and will
 be given (1) one dose of measles containing vaccine and tetanus –diphtheria vaccine.
- 3. In this regard, an orientation on the aforementioned activity shall be conducted by the Department of Education and Department of Health on July 10, 2015 at the Gabaldon Bldg., Jesus St., Pulungbulu, Angeles City from 8:00am to 2 pm.
- 4. It is reiterated that the Division Health and Nutrition Personnel shall only supervise and coordinate with our counterpart making sure that all Grade 1 and Grade 7 pupils/students are ready for mass vaccination. The material will be provided by the Department of Health as agreed upon by both agencies.
- 5. Any questions and clarification may be directed to the Health and Nutrition Section of this Division.
- 6. Immediate and wide dissemination of the Memorandum is desired.

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