

### Republic of the Philippines

## Department of Education

REGION III
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF ANGELES CITY



June 25, 2025

DIVISION MEMORANDUM No. 191s. 2025

#### Learners' Health Assessment and Screening for School Year 2025-2026

**To:** SGOD Chief Education Supervisor CID Chief Education Supervisor Heads of Public and Private Elementary and Secondary Schools

- 1. Pursuant to **DepEd Memorandum No. 50, s. 2025** and in support of the Department of Education's (DepEd) **5-Point Reform Agenda**—which emphasizes the protection and promotion of learners' physical and mental well-being—the Department is committed to providing accessible, quality medical, dental, nursing, nutrition, and mental health services. These services aim to support learners in achieving their full educational potential.
- 2. A key component of these health services is the Learners' Health Assessment and Screening (LHAS), implemented through the Oplan Kalusugan sa DepEd (OK sa DepEd) program and conducted and/or coordinated by School Health and Nutrition (SHN) Personnel.
- 3. LHAS shall be conducted for all learners from Kindergarten to Grade 12, including those enrolled in the Alternative Learning System (ALS). The screening is **non-diagnostic** and designed to identify learners who may need further evaluation or health interventions. The assessment includes the following components:
  - a. Master Listing
  - b. Nutritional Assessment
  - c. Health History and General Head-to-Toe Assessment
  - d. Vision and Hearing Screening
  - e. Oral Health Assessment
  - f. Universal Mental Health and Psychosocial Screening and Assessment
- 4. The Department will collect relevant health and medical information solely for the purposes of tracking, providing appropriate health interventions, and supporting educational outcomes. All information will be processed in compliance with **DepEd's Data Privacy Policies** and relevant provisions of the **Data Privacy Act** and **Basic Education Act**. Data will be kept confidential and may only be shared with other government agencies or third parties under formal **data sharing agreements** and with due regard to data privacy requirements.









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- 5. In line with this, **parental or guardian consent** is required before any screening activities are conducted. A signed **consent form** must be secured for each learner.
- 6. **Widespread dissemination and full compliance** with the contents of this memorandum are hereby enjoined.

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Reference: Civil Service Commission Memorandum Circular No. 17, s. 1989
Regional Memorandum No. 76 s. 2005
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LEARNERS' HEALTH
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