



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION VII – CENTRAL VISAYAS
Division of City Schools – Tagbilaran City

**Office of the Schools Division
Superintendent**

DIVISION MEMORANDUM

NO. 048 s. 2020

February 10, 2020

16th NATIONAL DENTAL HEALTH MONTH CELEBRATION AND AWARENESS

To : Public Elementary School Heads
Public Secondary School Heads
All Other Concerned

1. For the information and guidance of all concerned, enclosed is a copy of Regional Memorandum No. 0096, s. 2020 dated February 10, 2020 , with the subject, " 16th National Dental Health Month Celebration and Awareness ".
2. The month of February in every year is a Dental Month Celebration and Awareness with the theme " Tamang Edukasyon, Impormasyon at Serbisyo sa NGITing toDOH Tungo sa Kalusugan Pangkalahatan. The theme focuses on the advocacy and right information for the attainment of Zero Cavity program and giving dental services among school populace. School children should be properly oriented and be well motivated as to the importance of a clean healthy mouth. There shall be dental activities to be conducted at the School Level in coordination with the participation of different partners and stakeholders at later date as Regional Advisory was issued on the avoidance of crowding of learners to prevent spread of the Novel Coronavirus. All dental activities can be done at respective classrooms only. School Health Unit shall coordinate at the school level.
3. Activities related to the conduct of classroom dental awareness shall be documented and pass to the division office on the 1st week of March, 2020.
4. Immediate dissemination of this memorandum is desired.

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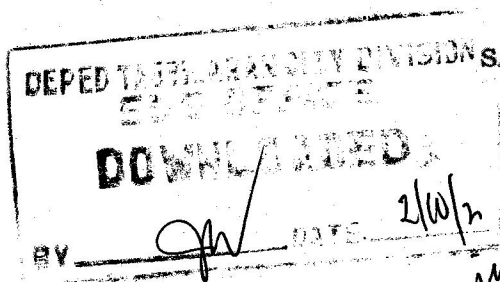
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Regional MEMORANDUM
No. **0096**, s. 2020

16th NATIONAL DENTAL HEALTH MONTH CELEBRATION AND AWARENESS

To: Schools Division Superintendents
Assistant Schools Division Superintendents
All Others Concerned

1. The month of February in every year is a Dental Month Celebration and Awareness Campaign nationwide pursuant to Republic Act 9484 or the Philippine Dental Act of 2007 under Proclamation NO. 559. In partnership with the Department of Health (DOH) this year celebrates the **16th National Dental Health Month Awareness** with the theme **"Tamang Edukasyon, Impormasyon at Serbisyo sa NGITing toDOH Tungo sa Kalusugan Pangkalahatan"**
2. In this regard, this year's theme focuses on the advocacy and right information for the attainment of Zero Cavity program and giving dental services among the school populace. School children should be properly oriented and be well motivated as to the importance of a clean healthy mouth. There shall be dental health activities to be conducted at your Schools Division Office in coordination with the participation of different partners and stakeholders.
3. In line with this, all Schools Division Office (SDO) are enjoined to have their own launching program and conduct activities related to the campaign. Launching program shall be spearheaded by the School Health Unit.
4. For immediate dissemination and compliance to this MEMORANDUM.



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