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CAPACITY BUILDING OPPORTUNITIES FOR SCHOOL

The Department of Education (DepEd) recognizes the critical role of school health and nutrition personnel, especially in the midst of the public health emergency that the country is facing. As such, it is important to equip them with new and relevant knowledge to help them perform their duties in the new normal.

In line with this, the Bureau of Learner Support Services-School Health Division (BLSS-SHD) disseminates the information below on **capacity building** opportunities for DepEd's school health and nutrition personnel:

## I. Public Health in the Time of COVID-19 and the New Normal

This webinar series for public health workers is offered by the British Embassy Manila and the University of the Philippines College of Public Health (UP CPH). Interested participants may register at <a href="https://bit.ly/BEMUPCPHWebinar">https://bit.ly/BEMUPCPHWebinar</a>. As per the UP CPH, Continuing Professional Development (CPD) units are applied to Medicine, Nursing, Sanitary Engineering, and Physical Therapy. The webinar topics are as follows:

| Session Date     | Topic   |
|------------------|---|
| 3 December 2020  | Building Hope Amid Uncertainty: Mental Health<br>Promotion During the COVID-19 Pandemic |
| 17 December 2020 | Important Communicable Diseases: HIV/AIDS,<br>Hepatitis                                 |
| 14 January 2021  | Parasitic Neglected Tropical Diseases: Are We Ready for Elimination?                    |
| 28 January 2021  | (5)   |





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| Session Date     | Topic                                      |
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| 11 February 2021 | Occupational Health and Healthy Workplaces |
| 25 February 2021 | Maternal and Reproductive Health           |
| 11 March 2021    | Child Health (Stunting)                    |
| 25 March 2021    | One Health                                 |

Questions about the webinar series may be raised to the UP CPH at https://www.facebook.com/UPCPH.

## II. Department of Health (DOH) Academy Platform

As announced by the DOH, this is "an open source e-learning platform accessible at learn.doh.gov.ph providing practical and beneficial training to all healthcare workers that is accessible anytime, anywhere with the use of tablets, cellular phones, and laptops."

The platform currently offers CPD-accredited courses on the Universal Health Care and COVID-19.

Questions about the platform may be raised to the Health Human Resource Development Bureau E-Learning Team of the DOH, at trunkline number (02) 88651 7800 local 4250 or email at concerns.dohacademy @gmail.com .

For future queries regarding this memorandum, please contact Mr. Gian Erik M. Adao of BLSS-SHD, through (+632) 8632-9935 and email at okd@deped.gov.ph.

For wide dissemination.

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