



Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**  
 REGION VIII - EASTERN VISAYAS

May 17, 2022

**REGIONAL MEMORANDUM**

No. **465** s. 2022

**ONLINE END OF PROJECT CONVERGENCE ON THE IMPLEMENTATION PHASE OF  
 #MERONAKO PROJECT LEARNING PACKAGE IN REGION VIII**

To: Assistant Regional Director  
 Schools Division Superintendents  
 All Others Concerned

1. Cognizant to Regional Memorandum No. 496, s. 2021 re: *Online Orientation Workshop for Regional Implementation of the #MeronAko MHM Learning Package*, this Office, through the Field Technical Assistance Division (FTAD) in coordination with the Education Support Services Division-Health and Nutrition Unit (ESSD-HNU), CLMD, UNICEF and CHSI Philippines will conduct an Online End of Project Convergence dubbed as **"Stories of Change"** on Implementation Phase of #MeronAko MHM Learning Package in Region VIII on May 25, 2022 at 9 am-12 pm via Zoom.

2. This activity aims to:

- a. gain insights on the realities and the challenges that can be encountered and the opportunities that can be harnessed in scaling up #MeronAko (community space);
- b. share and discuss the findings of the KwenTuruan Success Stories and KwenTuruan Feedback Meeting (community space);
- c. agree on how a minimum package of MHM learning delivery tools (or KwenTuruan as a practice-based resource) can be better incorporated into existing WASH in Schools programmes and CSE (policy space);
- d. get the commitment of the SDOs to expand the use of KwenTuruan for teaching MHM under a blended learning approach (programmatic space);  
and
- e. define the pathway in scaling up the #MeronAko approach, including the identification of the process and/or mechanism that worked and the roles played by the different actors who were involved in the process.



3. The participants to this activity are the SDSs, ASDSs, CID & SGOD Chiefs, WinS-MHM Focal Persons, PSDSs, of the 13 SDOs, WinS-RAC Members, Chiefs and EPSs of CLMD, ESSD and FTAD, UNICEF and CHSI.

4. Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum are desired.

  
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Regional Director 

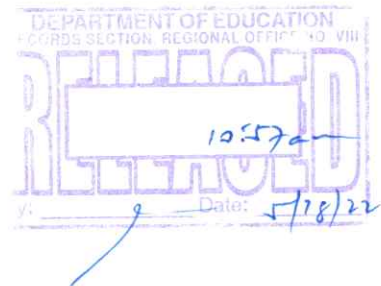
Enclosures: Program of Activities

References: RM No. 496, S. 2021

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index under the following subjects:

CONVERGENCE MHM ONLINE

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Enclosure to Regional Memorandum No. 465

**Online End of Project Convergence on the Implementation of #MeronAKO MHM  
Learning Package in Region VIII**

May 25, 2022

Prepared by:

<b>Time/Day</b>	<b>Program of Activities</b>
8:30 am – 9:00 am	<b>Online Registration</b>
9:00 am – 10:00 am	<b>Opening Program</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• National Anthem -AVP</li> <li>• Prayer- AVP</li> <li>• DepEd Hymn-AVP</li> <li>• Introduction/ Overview/Icebreaker: <b>Ms Ada Marie Tayao-CHSI</b></li> <li>• Opening Remarks: <b>Jon Michael Villasenor- UNICEF</b></li> <li>• Acknowledgement of participants <b>Mr. Cesar P. Verunque</b></li> <li>• Statement of Purpose: <b>ARD Bebiano I. Sentillas</b></li> <li>• Inspirational Message: <b>RD Evelyn R. Fetalvero</b></li> </ul>
10:00 am-10:20 am	<b>KwenTuruan Success and Challenges (Stories of Change)</b>  Faustina Molina-Viriña- CHSI
10:20 am – 10:50 am	<b>KwenTuruan Feedback Meeting</b>  Cris Gonzales-CHSI
10:50 am – 11:00 am	Health Break
11:00 am – 11:30 am	<b>Activity 1: Identifying key components/main sections of an issuance</b>  Rea Uy Epistola- CHSI
11:30 am – 11:50 am	<b>Activity 2: Commitment-setting Expect to see: Most feasible result Like to see: Potentially feasible result Love to see: Least feasible result</b>  Ada Marie Tayao-CHSI
11:50 am – 11:55 am	<b>Summary</b>  Ada Marie Tayao-CHSI
11:55 am – 12:00 pm	<b>Closing Remarks- UNICEF</b>