



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

December 6, 2024

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM
 CLMD-2024- 1575

**PARTICIPATION IN THE WORKSHOPS ON THE REFINEMENT
 OF SPECIAL NEEDS EDUCATION POLICES AND
 CONSULTATION WITH STAKEHOLDERS**

To: Schools Division Superintendent } Division of Eastern Samar
 All Others Concerned

- Attached is DM-CT-2024-467 dated November 25, 2024 directing the Regions to send participants who will attend the abovementioned workshops which will be held on **December 9-12, 2024** at the National Educators' Academy of the Philippines-NCR, 15 Cepeda St., Concepcion 1, Marikina City.
- In view of this directive, the Regional Office, through the Curriculum and Learning Management Division (CLMD), has identified **Mr. Marlon Maestre**, SNED Coordinator, Oras East District SPED Center, Division of Eastern Samar, as the official participant in the activity.
- Board and lodging and travel expenses of the participants shall be charged against the 2023 or 2024 SNED Program Support Funds. In case the downloaded funds are not sufficient to cover all expenses for reimbursements, other sources of funds like the local funds of the respective participants may be used, subject to the applicable accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
- Other details about the activity are stipulated in the attached DepEd Memorandum.
- Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum are desired.


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 Regional Director

Enclosures: As stated
 References: As stated

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

CONSULTATION INCLUSIVE EDUCATION POLICY

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OFFICE OF THE UNDERSECRETARY FOR CURRICULUM AND TEACHING

MEMORANDUM

DM-CT-2024- 467

TO : REGIONAL DIRECTORS
SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS
CONCERNED SCHOOL HEADS OF PUBLIC ELEMENTARY
AND SECONDARY SCHOOLS

FROM : *Alma Ruby C. Torio*
ALMA RUBY C. TORIO
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SUBJECT : WORKSHOPS ON THE REFINEMENT AND CONSULTATION
WITH STAKEHOLDERS OF SPECIAL NEEDS EDUCATION
(SNED) RELATED POLICIES

DATE : 25 NOVEMBER 2024

This is in reference to the implementation of the provisions of Republic Act (RA) 11650 otherwise known as "Instituting a Policy of Inclusion and Services for Learners with Disabilities in Support of Inclusive Education Act." The Bureau of Learning Delivery-Student Inclusion Division (BLD-SID) will conduct **Workshops on the Refinement and Consultation with Stakeholders of Various Special Needs Education (SNED) Related Policies**, on December 9-12, 2024, at National Educators Academy of the Philippines (NEAP) National Capital Region (NCR), 15 Cepeda Street, Concepcion 1, Marikina City.

The refinement of key policies related to the education of Learners with Disabilities is crucial to ensure their alignment with the Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of RA 11650. By aligning these policies with the law, all learners, regardless of their abilities, are ensured and provided with equitable opportunities to thrive in their educational journey. Moreover, consultation with stakeholders will facilitate the identification of gaps, challenges, and inconsistencies in the current policies. This will ensure that policy guidelines and frameworks are practical, comprehensive, and reflective of the lived experiences and needs of the intended beneficiaries.

Annent to these, this Office requests the participation of representatives from select regions, indicated in Annex A. Participants are experienced supervisors or school heads with a strong background in the implementation of disability-inclusive practices. Their contributions will be invaluable to the success of the said workshop.



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The first meal is breakfast on December 9, 2024, and the last meal is an afternoon snack on day 3, December 12, 2024. All traveling expenses will be charged against SNED Funds in compliance with internal accounting and auditing procedures.

Moreover, in order to achieve the objectives of the activities, all participants are requested to:

- bring their laptops, to be used during the workshop proper;
- fully commit themselves to the activities; and
- have an additional source of internet connection to secure uninterrupted connectivity throughout the duration of the activities.

Attached are the indicative activity matrices, for reference.

Should there be queries or clarifications, please contact the Bureau of Learning Delivery-Student Inclusion Division (BLD-SID), attention: Mr. Vic Emerson Danao at email addresses: bld.sid@deped.gov.ph and vic.danao@deped.gov.ph.

Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

Copy furnished:

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Annex A. Number of Representatives per Region

REGION	NUMBER OF REPRESENTATIVES
1	2
2	2
3	2
4A	2
4B	2
5	2
6	2
7	1
8	1
9	1
10	1
11	1
12	1
NCR	2
CAR	2
CARAGA	1
TOTAL	25