

### Republic of the Philippines

### Department of Education

NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION



March 6, 2025

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

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To: Schools Division Superintendents

All Others Concerned

# REITERATING THE REACTIVATION OF SCHOOL DENGUE BRIGADES AND IMPLEMENTATION OF THE INTEGRATED VECTOR CONTROL (IVC) ACTIVITIES TO ALL PUBLIC AND PRIVATE ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS IN THE NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION (NCR)

- 1. This is in reference to the attached letter from Department of Health-Metro Manila Center for Health Development (DOH-MMCHD) dated February 25, 2025, regarding to all public and private elementary schools in the National Capital Region reiterating the reactivation of School Dengue Brigades and Implementation of the Integrated Vector Control (IVC) Activities in collaboration with the City Health Offices (CHOs).
- 2. In this connection, reactivation of School Dengue Brigades and Implementation of the following Integrated Vector Control (IVC) Activities.
  - a. Search and Destroy or Source Reduction
  - b. Installation of Ovi.Larvi (OL) Traps
  - c. Preventive Space Spraying as identified by the CHOs
  - d. Targeted Indoor/Outdoor Residual Spraying
  - e. Installation of Insecticide Treated Screens (ITS)
- 3. For any queries or clarification, please contact Ms. Chimmy Dawn Aquino at 09227929086 or telephone no. 8531-0037 loc. 107 or email at <a href="mailto:idclhsd@gmail.com">idclhsd@gmail.com</a> or chimmydawn@ncro.doh.gov.ph.
- 4. For information and guidance of all concerned.

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## Republic of the Philippines DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH Manila Center for Health Developmen



Metro Manila Center for Health Development

February 25, 2025

#### DIR. JOCELYN DR. ANDAYA

Regional Director Department of Education – National Capital Region 6 Misamis St., Bago Bantay, Quezon City

Dear Dir. Andaya,

Based on the Morbidity Week 7 Report of the Regional Epidemiology and Surveillance Unit (RESU) of the Metro Manila Center for Health Development (MMCHD), there were 8,469 dengue cases admitted at the different reporting institutions in the National Capital Region (NCR) from January 1- February 15, 2025. This is 183% higher compared to the same period in 2024 and surpassed the Epidemic Threshold. There were 27 deaths reported in the region and the most affected age group was 10-14 years old.

To control the increase of dengue cases and deaths in Metro Manila, may we request your good office to release a memorandum to all public and private elementary schools in the National Capital Region reiterating the reactivation of School Dengue Brigades and implementation of the following Integrated Vector Control (IVC) Activities in collaboration with the City Health Offices (CHOs).

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- 2. Installation of Ovi/Larvi (OL) Traps
- 3. Preventive Space Spraying as identified by the CHOs
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We are looking forward to your positive response regarding this matter.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

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