



## DIVISION MEMORANDUM No. \_\_\_\05\_\_\_\_\_s. 2018

TO:

Chief Education Supervisors CID-SGOD

Public/Private Elementary and Secondary School Heads

All Others Concerned

This Division

FROM:

EDILBERTO L. OPLENARIA, CESO VI

Schools Division Superintendent

DATE:

February 5, 2018

SUBJECT: DISSEMINATION OF REGION MEMORANDUM NO. 68 S. 2018 RE:

14th NATIONAL DENTAL HEALTH MONTH CELEBRATION

1. Pursuant to the herein Region Memorandum No. 68 s. 2018 re: 14<sup>th</sup> National Dental Health Month Celebration, this Office hereby informs the field that the DepEd Region X will celebrate the 14<sup>th</sup> National Dental Health Month this February 2018 with the theme "Ngiting Inaruga Mula Pagkabata, Malusog na Ngiti Baon sa Pagtanda" in accordance with Presidential Proclamation No. 559, dated February 24, 2004.

- 2. For the information and guidance of all concerned, this Office reiterates paragraph 2, "The month-long celebration aims to create awareness of the primary role of the schools to promote oral health that affects the general health and well-being toward improving academic performance and reducing absenteeism of the learners. All schools are encouraged to conduct related activities anchored on this year's theme on the importance of oral health among pupils and students.
- 3. Widest dissemination of this memorandum is enjoined.

Encl.:

As stated

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REGION MEMORANDUM No. 49, s. 2018

## 14th NATIONAL DENTAL HEALTH MONTH CELEBRATION

To: Schools Division Superintendents This Region

- 1. In consonance with Presidential Proclamation No. 559 dated February 24, 2004, the Department of Education (DepEd) Region X will celebrate the 14th National Dental Health Month this February 2018 with the theme "Ngiting Inaruga Mula Pagkabata, Malusog na Ngiti Baon sa Pagtanda."
- 2. The month-long celebration aims to create awareness of the primary role of the schools to promote oral health that affects the general health and well-being towards improving academic performance and reducing absenteeism of the learners. All schools are encouraged to conduct related activities anchored on this year's theme on the importance of oral health among pupils and students.
- 3. All school health and nutrition personnel, especially the school dentist, are expected to take the lead in the conduct of the aforesaid activities. All public school dentists are also advised to coordinate with the Philippine Dental Association (PDA) local chapters on the activities scheduled during the month-long celebration. Reports on accomplishments must be submitted to the Education Support Services Division (ESSD), DepEd Regional Office X, on or before March 8, 2018.



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- 4. Relative to the celebration, the DepEd Mobile Dental Vehicle (MDV) will be utilized by some divisions for the delivery of dental services on first-come, first-serve basis. Dental materials for fluoride application and tooth extraction are available for the learners. The division/school dentist shall accompany and spearhead all MDV operations. Division Offices shall take care of the fuel of the vehicle when used within their jurisdiction. For booking of schedules, please contact Dr. Rey Ignacio B. Cagang 09172501393.
- 5. Immediate and wide dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum are desired.

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Director IV