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This is in response to the re-emergence of Polio with the presence of positive samples of Vaccine-derived Poliovirus (VDPV) with four human cases of polio found during surveillance. Hence, immediate action must be taken with the single most effective intervention of providing supplemental vaccination in priority areas. Target population should reach a level of at least 95 percent to protect everyone and halt transmission.

The Regional Office (RO) encourages the support of all Schools Division Offices (SDOs) to intensify the campaign efforts for the expanded program on immunization for public and private schools.

All queries about the activity may be coordinated locally with Ms. Karen Y. Garces of DOH –CHD at 09177102127 or e-mail at epi_rox.doh@gmail.com or at Central Office (CO) with Ms. Loida B. Ramos of the Bureau of Learners Support Services (BLSS) at (02) 8632-9935 or e-mail at loida_ramos12@yahoo.com.

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MEMORANDUM

FOR : **REGIONAL DIRECTORS**
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MINISTER OF BASIC, HIGHER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION
Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao

FROM : **ATTY. SALVADOR C. MALANA, III**
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SUBJECT : **SABAYANG PATAK KONTRA POLIO**

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The Philippines was one of the countries who has successfully eliminated polio in the year 2000. Although certified to be polio-free, polio has re-emerged with the presence of positive samples of Vaccine-Derived Poliovirus (VDPV) through environmental surveillance and two (2) human cases of polio. Immediate action must be taken and the single most effective intervention is the provision of supplemental vaccination in priority areas. Complemented by sustained and intensified advocacy campaigns using various platforms and heightened surveillance survey and practice proper hygiene and environmental sanitation and zero defecation. In the case of polio, coverage of the target population should reach a level of at least 95% to protect everyone and halt transmission.

In view of this, Regional and Schools Division Offices are encouraged to support the anti-polio campaign and intensify efforts to rebuild the trust of the public in the Expanded Program on Immunization (EPI). School nurses are enjoined to support as volunteer health workers.

The following is the schedule of Synchronized Polio Vaccination (SPV) for children under 5 year old:

Rounds	Dates	Areas	
		Luzon	Mindanao
1	November 25-December 7, 2019	Whole of NCR	Whole of Mindanao
2	January 6-18, 2020	Whole of NCR	Whole of Mindanao

For further information and clarification, your office may coordinate directly with Ms. Loida B. Ramos of Bureau of Learner Support Services- School Health Division at (02) 8632-9935 or email at loida_ramos12@yahoo.com

Once again, we are hopeful that together we will be able to win against polio as we have 19 years ago. As one nation we will triumph once again and ensure the health of every Filipino.