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DIVISION MEMORANDUM

No. 08, s. 2020

TO: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Chief Education Supervisors, CID and SGOD
Public Elementary and Secondary School Heads
All Others Concerned

FROM: **VICTORIA V. GAZO, PhD, CESO V**
Schools Division Superintendent

DATE: January 6, 2020

SUBJECT: **DISSEMINATION OF REGIONAL MEMORANDUM NO. 818, s. 2019 re:
IMPLEMENTATION OF ABSOLUTE BAN ON DISTRIBUTION, SALE,
OFFERING, AND USE OF E-CIGARETTES AND TOBACCO PRODUCTS
IN ALL DEPED PREMISES AND ACTIVITIES**

1. For the information and guidance of all concerned, this Office hereby disseminates DepEd Memorandum No. 111, s. 2019 re: Prohibiting the Use of E-Cigarettes and other Electronic Nicotine and Non-Nicotine Delivery Systems (ENNDS) along with absolute tobacco smoking ban in all schools and DepEd offices and activities.
2. This Division must continuously remind and monitor all school authorities and teachers to disseminate the dangers of vaping and cigarette smoking through curricular, co-curricular, and extra-curricular activities.
3. Violations of these prohibitions by learners and personnel shall be dealt with in accordance with DepEd Order No. 40, s. 2012 and DepEd Child Protection Policy and DepEd Order No. 49, s. 2006 on Rules and Procedures in Administrative Cases and related Civil Service Issuances.
4. Widest dissemination and compliance to this memorandum is enjoined.
5. Shall there be queries, contact Ms. **MARCOSJULITA K. FULGENCIO**, Dentist II through 0906-796-8794.

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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

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**IMPLEMENTATION OF ABSOLUTE BAN ON DISTRIBUTION, SALE,
OFFERING, AND USE OF E-CIGARETTES AND TOBACCO PRODUCTS
IN ALL DEPED PREMISES AND ACTIVITIES**

To: **Schools Division Superintendents**
This Region

1. The Department of Education (DepEd) Region X is strongly endorsing the full implementation of DM 111s. 2019 Prohibiting the Use of E-Cigarettes and other Electronic Nicotine and Non-Nicotine Delivery Systems (ENNDS) along with absolute tobacco smoking ban in all schools and DepEd offices and activities.
2. Hence, all Schools Division Offices (SDOs) must continuously remind and monitor all school authorities and teachers to disseminate the dangers of vaping and cigarette smoking through curricular, co-curricular, and extra-curricular activities. School Administrators must ensure absolute ban on advertising and promotion of END/ENNDS and tobacco products and absolute ban on sponsorship by e-cigarette and tobacco companies in all activities and premises of DepEd offices and schools.
3. Violations of these prohibitions by learners and personnel shall be dealt with in accordance with DepEd Order No. 40, s. 2012 on DepEd Child Protection Policy and DepEd Order No. 49, s. 2006 on Rules and Procedures in Administrative Cases and related Civil Service Issuances
4. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

[Signature]
DR. ARTURO E. BAYOCOT, CESO III
Regional Director

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FOR: Minister for Basic, Higher, and Technical Education. BARMM
Regional Directors
Schools Division Offices
School heads
All Others Concerned

FROM: JESUS L.R. MATEO
Undersecretary

SUBJECT: Reiteration of DM 111 s.2019 Prohibiting the Use of E-Cigarettes and other Electronic Nicotine and Non-Nicotine Delivery System (ENNDS) and Reiterating the Absolute Tobacco Smoking Ban in Schools and DepEd Offices

DATE: 10 November 2019

A recent report concerning a probable first vaping related lung injury in the country, a 16-year old girl from Central Visayas, has come to the Department's attention. This validates the warnings of health authorities about the serious health risks posed by vaping, which refers to the use of electronic cigarettes, to users and those around them.

In light of this, the Department is reminding all officials and personnel to observe the absolute ban on the distribution, sale, offering, and use of e-cigarettes and tobacco products in all DepEd offices and DepEd activities. This is contained in DepEd Memorandum No. 111 s. 2019 Head "Prohibiting the Use of e-Cigarettes and Other Electronic Nicotine and Non-Nicotine Delivery System (ENNDS) and Reiterating the Absolute Tobacco Smoking Ban in Schools and DepEd Offices."

The Department is also reminding all school authorities and teachers to appropriately inform learners about the dangers of vaping and cigarette smoking through curricular, co-curricular, and extra-curricular activities. Further, school administrators must ensure complete abolition of the sale, use and distribution and promotion of e-cigarettes and tobacco products and co-sponsorship by parents and tobacco companies in the school. Complete ban on e-cigarettes, tobacco smoking during all activities and programs in all DepEd offices and schools.

Violations of this prohibition and related DepEd issuances by learners shall be dealt with on case-by-case basis. DepEd Offices and Schools must strictly follow the DepEd Policy which was communicated during memorandum dated 10/10/19. The DepEd Office and Schools must ensure compliance to administrative Order and ensure proper reporting and documentation.

Immediate and wide dissemination of this memorandum is requested.

Very truly yours,
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