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Department of Education
 Cordillera Administrative Region
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF ABRA

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DIVISION MEMORANDUM
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**CLUSTER TRAINING ON FILIPINO SIGN LANGUAGE CUM MENTAL HEALTH
 AWARENESS AND STRESS MANAGEMENT FOR SPED EDUCATORS**

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
 Chief ES-Curriculum Implementation Division
 OIC-Chief- School Governance and Operations Division
 EPS In-Charge of Special Education
 Public Schools District Supervisors
 Elementary and Secondary School Heads
 Identified Elementary and Secondary Teachers

1. The Department of Education-Cordillera Administrative Region through the Schools Division of Abra will conduct a Cluster Training (*Abra-Apayao*) on Filipino Sign Language cum Mental Health Awareness and Stress Management for SPED Educators on December 9-11, 2022 at Brentwood Apartelle, Brentwood Village, Baguio City.

2. The purposes of this activity are the following:
- Capacitate the participants on the use of Filipino Sign Language;
 - Promote the use of FSL among teachers;
 - Strengthen the use of FSL as the medium of instruction in teaching Deaf or Hard of Hearing;
 - Raise awareness on mental health continuum;
 - Provide skills needed to offer support when educators experience stress; and
 - Develop good rapport, relationship, and self-confidence between and among SPED Educators.

3. Below are the lists of participants, resource speakers and members of the Technical Working Group:

a. List of Participants

No.	Name	School
1	Annaliza C. Wacquisan	Don Rosalio Eduarte ES
2	Floribel B. Tagudar	San Juan Central School
3	Charity G. Cidron	Bagalay Elementary School
4	Mary Jane M. Pacursa	Tangadan Elementary School
5	Miracel S. Lanas	Lumaba Integrated School
6	John Daniel B. Aguilar	Marc Ysrael B. Bernos Memorial NHS
7	Leslei Joye S. Catriz	Cristina B. Gonzales Memorial HS
8	Redo S. Barbosa	Abra High School
9	Dexter J. Daria	Bangued West Central School
10	Jefferson B. Daria	Suyo National High School
11	Rosemarie G. Torres	Nagtipulan Elementary School



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b. List of Resource Speakers and TWG

No.	Name	Station
1.	Pedro B. Talingdan Jr.-Resource Speaker	SDO-Abra
2.	Eden T. Adriatico- Resource Speaker/Process Observer	SDO-Abra
3.	Ariel Babo C. Bangisan-Resource Speaker	Peñarrubia IS
4.	Rynwalter A. Pa-a/Lorna Llaneza- Monitoring and Evaluation	SDO-Abra

4. Expected arrival of participants at the venue will be on December 8, 2022 (Day 0) from 2:00 PM onwards. First meal to be served is dinner of December 8 and last meal is PM snacks of December 11, 2022 (Day 3) for the cluster training.
5. Identified participants and the teacher-resource speaker shall be relieved from their regular tasks during the said activity. However, shall prepare activities to be given to learners.
6. The school heads, head teachers or department heads shall handle the class of the teachers as contingency measure to ensure continuity of learning.
7. Participants, resource speakers and members of the technical working group shall be granted COCs/CTOs or Service Credits for December 8 (regular holiday) and December 10 and 11 (Saturday and Sunday) subject to existing DepED and CSC rules and regulations.
8. Accommodation and Meals for three (3) days shall be charged to the downloaded Special Education Program Funds for Filipino Sign Language while travel and other incidental expenses of the participants shall be charged to School MOOE/Local Funds subject to usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
9. Strict observance of health and safety protocols like wearing of facemasks, physical distancing, disinfection, handwashing, and refrain from going in and out of the venue during the duration of the activity.
10. For any inquiry or concern you may contact the Division SPED Focal Person, Pedro B. Talingdan Jr though Cellular Phone # **09178343163** or email address at **pedro.talingdan@deped.gov.ph**
11. Immediate dissemination of and strict compliance with this memorandum is directed.


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