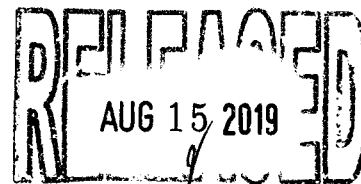


0017, 0811 164

Republika ng Pilipinas
Kagawaran ng Edukasyon
Tanggapan ng Pangalawang Kalihim



DEPED-CAR _____

OUR MEMO 12-0819 - 0284

MEMORANDUM

12 August 2019

For: **Regional Directors and BARMM Minister for Education
Schools Division Superintendents**

Subject: **SEARCH AND DESTROY MOSQUITOES' BREEDING PLACES
ACTIVITIES (SABAYANG 4 O' CLOCK HABIT PARA DENG-
GET OUT) IN SCHOOLS**

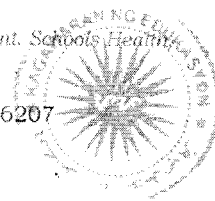
Due to the increasing number of dengue cases reported from January to June 2019, a National Dengue Epidemic has been declared by the Department of Health (DOH) last 6 August 2019. Joining the Department of Health in its fight against dengue, a *Search and Destroy Mosquitoes' Breeding Places Activities (Sabayang 4 o' clock Habit para Deng-Get Out)* is implemented in all schools nationwide.

All DepEd offices and schools are enjoined to participate and perform the following activities:

- Search and Destroy mosquitoes' breeding places around the school premises every after flag ceremony.
 - a. All DepEd personnel and learners are enjoined to participate in the activity.
- Conduct of Sabayang 4 o' clock Habit para Deng-Get Out activity every Friday.
 - a. At exactly 4 o' clock, a bell/siren must be rung (4) four times in schools.
 - b. All DepEd personnel and learners must get out of their offices/classrooms once the bell/siren is ringing and join in the search and destroy activity.
- The Sabayang 4 o' clock Habit para Deng-Get Out activity shall include, but not limited to, the following tasks:

Office of the Undersecretary for Administration

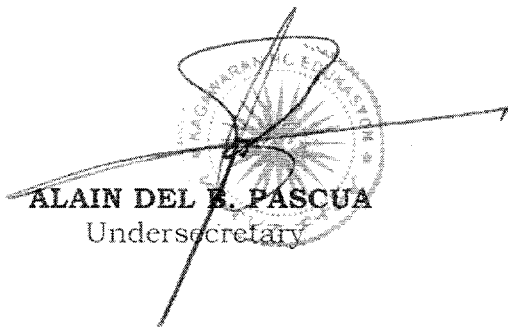
(Administrative Services, Information and Communications Technology, Disaster Risk Reduction and Management, Schools Health, Youth Formation, Baguio Teachers' Camp, Education Facilities/School Buildings)
Department of Education, Central Office, Meralco Avenue, Pasig City
Room 519, Mabini Building; Mobile: +639260320762; Landline: +6326337203, +6326376207
Email: usec.admin@deped.gov.ph; Facebook/Twitter @depeditayo



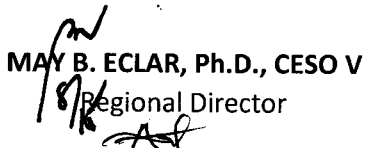


- a. Search for stagnant water and destroy breeding places.
- b. Make sure that all water sources are flowing.
- c. Overturn/Drain containers that can hold stagnant water such as discarded tires, vases, dish racks, pails, bottles, buckets, cans, coconut husks, etc.
- d. Cover clean water containers such as drums, buckets, pails, bottles, etc.
- e. Scrub thoroughly the surfaces of water containers once a week.
- f. Don't let water go stagnant in untended pools, birdbaths, rain gutters, plastic wading pools, etc.
- g. Clean stagnant canals. Remove garbage and waste that can clog the drainage.
- h. Clean the gutters of the facility/building.
- i. Declutter/dispose junk, garbage and plastics properly.
- j. Maintain the cleanliness of the surroundings.

To achieve the whole of community approach, all DepEd personnel and learners are enjoined to participate in this activity. The Regional and Division DRRM Coordinators in coordination with the School Health Unit in regions and divisions and the School DRRM Coordinator in schools shall lead and ensure the implementation of this activity.

For widest dissemination.


ALAIN DEL B. PASCUA
 Undersecretary

	Republic of the Philippines DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION CORDILLERA ADMINISTRATIVE REGION Wangal, La Trinidad, Benguet	
August 15, 2019		
To: Schools Division Superintendents		
For compliance and widest dissemination.		
ABG/epm	 MAY B. ECLAR, Ph.D., CESO V Regional Director	