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Department of Education
REGION V - BICOL
SCHOOLS DIVISION OFFICE OF CATANDUANES

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DIVISION MEMORANDUM

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**CASCADING OF THE NATIONAL LEARNING CAMP PLUS: CAPACITY BUILDING
OF TEACHERS FOR ENSURING LEARNING READINESS THROUGH GUIDANCE
COUNSELLING AND PSYCHOLOGICAL FIRST AID (PFA)**

To: CID Chief

Education Program Supervisor in EsP
Public Schools District Supervisors
Elementary & Secondary School Heads
All Others Concerned

1. DepEd Order No. 55, s. 2021 defines counselling as a well-planned, goal-oriented and short-term intervention that helps learners manage and overcome issues and concerns that mar their attainment of success. While, referral is one of the guidance services where learners are facilitated to avail other assistance or services that address their mental health or other concerns.
2. Corollary to this, this SDO had conducted two series of training along Guidance Counselling and Psychological First Aid (PFA) which must be cascaded to the school level during LAC Sessions and INSETs. It aims to strengthen the guidance counselling and referral system in the schools as stipulated in the abovementioned DepEd Order.



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3. As mandated by D.O 9, s. 2005, engaged time-on tasks should be undertaken to address the deteriorating quality of education. Hence, all schools which are not done yet in cascading the said CapBuild are advised to conduct it on Saturdays/holidays.
4. In addition, all personnel who will attend the aforementioned activity shall be eligible for the granting of service credits pursuant to D.O. No. 53, s. 2003 and CSC Circular No. 21, s. 1991.
5. For your information, guidance, and compliance.


SOCORRO V. DELA ROSA, CESO V
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Encl.:

References:

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index

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