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CORONA VIRUS DISEASE 2019 (COVID-19)
Department of Education Caraga Situational Report (SitRep) No. 19
As of August 18, 2020

<p><u>DepEd Caraga data as of August 18, 2020</u></p> <p>Learners Affected by Class Suspension: (100 %) for both public and private</p> <p>Confirmed Case: 393 Probable Case: 224 Suspect Case: 318 (cumulative) Expired: 3</p> <p>*based on DOH Situational Report No. 187 as of August 18, 2020</p>	<p>Issuances:</p> <p>The Department of Education Caraga issues Policy Directive to provide, among others, measures for the prevention and control of the COVID-19 in Basic Education School and DepEd Offices; the formation/activation of DRRM Teams to combat the virus; and safety precautions and protocols and reporting templates. Prevention and control measures include placing travel limitations and restrictions and guidelines for DepEd Regional/Division Activities.</p> <p>The Inter-Agency Task Force on Emerging Infectious Diseases (IATF-EID) issued Resolution No. 63, dated August 17, 2020, that placed all the provinces in Caraga Region under Modified General Community Quarantine (MGCQ) until August 31, 2020.</p>	
<p><u>Latest Issuances and Advisories:</u></p> <p>*All COVID-19 related issuances, reports and advisories, including collaterals, can be accessed thru cagara@deped.gov.ph and https://www.deped.gov.ph/covid-19 for DepED CO.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DepEd Order No. 18, s. 2020- Policy Guidelines for the Provision of Learning Resources in the Implementation of the Basic Education Continuity Plan, issued July 20, 2020 • DepEd Order No. 17, s. 2020- Additional Provisions to DepEd Order No. 013, s. 2020 (Readiness Assessment Checklist for Learning Delivery Modalities in the Learning Continuity Plan of Private Schools), issued July 17, 2020 • DepEd Memorandum-OUF-2020-0321-Directives on the Processing of Payroll and Remittances for the Month of July 2020. • DepEd Memorandum 058, s. 2020 – Orientation for Regional and Schools Division Offices on Mental Health and Psychosocial Support Services in the Time of COVID-19 for Learners and DepEd Personnel, issued July 1, 2020. • DepEd Order No. 16, S. 2020-Guidelines On Eligibility and Application for the Senior High School Voucher Program for School Year 2020-2021, issued June 25, 2020 • DepEd Order No. 015, s. 2020-Supplementary Guidelines on Managing Maintenance and Other Operating Expenses Allocation for Schools to Support the Implementation of Basic Education Learning Continuity Plan in the Time of COVID-19 Pandemic, issued June 25, 2020. • DepEd Order No. 014, s. 2020- Guidelines on the Required Health Standards in Basic Education Offices and Schools, issued June 25, 2020. • DepEd Order No. 013, s. 2020 – Readiness Assessment Checklist for Learning Delivery Modalities in the Learning Continuity Plan of Private Schools, issued June 19, 2020 	<p>Regional Memoranda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • RM NO. 327, S. 2020 – ISSUANCE OF SUB-ALLOTMENT RELEASE ORDER (SUBARO) FOR THE AUGMENTATION OF FUNDS TO COVER TRANSPORTATION EXPENSES OF HEALTH PERSONNEL • RM NO. 329, S. 2020 – ANNOUNCEMENT FOR THE APPROVED SPECIAL ORDER TO SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL GRADE 12 LEARNERS ELIGIBLE FOR GRADUATION, SY 2019-2020 • RM NO. 330, S. 2020 – GUIDELINES ON THE USE OF TABLETS PCS DISTRIBUTED TO THE DIVISION OFFICES 	<p>Highlights</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This office announces the release of Sub-Allotment Release Order (Sub-ARO) for augmentation of funds to cover transportation expenses of Health Personnel under OSEC-13-20-0910 dated July 28, 2020. • This to inform the field the approval of the Special Orders of Private Schools/Colleges and Technical-Vocational Institutions of their Senior High School Grade 12 Learners. • The Regional Office thru the Information and Communication Unit will distribute Tablet PCs to Division Offices to be lent to its staff for official use during this COVID-19 pandemic subject to guidelines.



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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DepEd Order No. 012, 2020 – Adoption of the Basic Education Learning Continuity Plan for School Year 2020-2021 in the Light of the COVID-19 Public Health Emergency, issued June 19, 2020 • DepEd Order No. 11 s. 2020-Revised Guidelines on Alternative Work Arrangements in the Department of Education During the Period of State of National Emergency Due to COVID-19 Pandemic, issued on June 15, 2020. • DepEd Memorandum No. 56, s. 2020 – Advisory On the Extension of Deped Memorandum No. 054, s. 2020 (Reiteration of Advisory on Work Arrangements in the Department of Education in Light of Recent Developments in the COVID-19 Situation), issued June 6, 2020 • DepEd Memorandum No. 054, s. 2020-Reiteration of Advisory on Work Arrangements in The Department of Education in Light of Recent Developments in The Covid-19 Situation, issued May 29, 2020 • DepED Order No. 009, s. 2020-Construction Safety Guidelines for The Implementation of Deped Infrastructure Projects During the Covid-19 Public Health Crisis, issued on May 30, 2020 • DepED Order No. 008, s. 2020- Guidelines for Enrollment for the School Year 2020-2021 in the Context of the Public Health Emergency due to COVID-19 • DepED Order No. 007, s. 2020 – School Calendar & Activities for SY 2020 – 2021, issued on May 11, 2020 • DM No. 52, s. 2020 – Advisory on Work Arrangements in the Department of Education in Light of Recent Developments in the CoVid-19 Situation, issued on May 17, 2020 • Republic Act No. 11469 or the “Bayanihan to Heal as One Act”, issued on April 21, 2020. • DepED Task Force CoVid-19 Memo No. 37, s. 2020 Reporting of DepED Facilities Being Used as Alternative Facility for Any CoVid-19 Related Activity using the DepEd Mobile App issued on April 21, 2020 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • RM NO. 331, S. 2020 – PROCEDURE ON ENROLEMENT ON THE SPECIAL PROGRAM IN THE ARTS (SPA) AND SPECIAL PROGRAM IN SPORTS (SPS) FOR SCHOOL YEAR 2020-2021 IN THE LIGHT OF COVID-19 PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cognizant to DepEd Order No. 12.s, 2020 and in order to provide clear guidance to all stakeholders, DepEd has developed a Basic Education Learning Continuity Plan (BE-LCP) designed to ensure the health, safety and well-being of the learners, teachers and personnel of the Department.
<p>Actions Taken by DepED Caraga</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Implementation of fifty (50%) percent work arrangement and stiff screening of clients • Launched Revolutions of Solutions: Pasundayag sa mga Binag-ong Paagi sa Pagtuon sa Panahon sa Pandemya • Regular conduct of Regional Management Committee Teleconference with all SDOs • Regular conduct of Teleconference with RO • Functional Division Offices • Continuous close monitoring of health status of learners, personnel, and monitoring of school sites • Alternative measures for continuous delivery of services implementation • 50% skeleton work force following protocols and standards of social distancing • Disinfection of offices • On-going development of ADMs • Processing and issuance of Special Order for SY 2019-2020 • LCP adopted and implemented 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • RM NO. 332, S. 2020 – ISSUANCE OF SUB-ALLOTMENT RELEASE ORDER (SUB-ARO) FOR THE DELIVERY OF PROCURED LEARNING RESOURCES 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This office announces the release of Sub-Allotment Release Order (Sub-ARO) to cover funding requirements for the delivery of Procured Learning Resources under OSEC No. 13-20-0931 dated August 3, 2020.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • RM NO. 334, S. 2020 -SUBMISSION OF LEARNING DELIVERY MODALITY (LDM1) RATING FOR SCHOOL LEADERS 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This office hereby informs the twelve Schools Division Offices of DepEd Caraga on the submission of the Learning Delivery Modality (LDM1) Rating for School Leaders on or before August 20, 2020.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • RM NO. 336, S. 2020 – ONLINE TRAINING OF GRADES 3 AND 9 RECEIVING TEACHERS ON SPECIAL EDUCATION CONTENT AND PEDAGOGY 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Bureau of Learning Delivery through the Student Inclusion Division will conduct an Online Training of Grades 3 and 9 Receiving Teachers on Special Education Content and Pedagogy on August 17-21, 2020.



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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provision of Transportation facilities to Regional Office personnel on-site (OM 06-107 s. 2020) Conducted virtual press conference on the opening of classes and DepEd Learning Continuity Plan (LCP) <p>Reported Activities of Schools Division Offices</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Schools from the 12 SDOs conducted dry runs of the different modalities, five of which were presented during the launching of Revolutions of Solutions: Pasundayag sa mga Binag-ong Paagi sa Pagtuon sa Panahon sa Pandemya Schools conducted Parent's Orientation and Dry Run/Simulations for online, modular and blended Learning Delivery Modalities Regular Conduct of Division Management Committee Meeting Assist each LGUs in the distribution of food packs to community Continuous disinfection of SDOs and schools Continuous close monitoring of health status of learners and personnel, and monitoring of school sites Alternative measures for continuous delivery of services implementation Initiate measures of unified work arrangements depends on LGUs declaration on status of community under Covid-19 pandemic Supports Bayanihan to Heal as One program of the government using several initiatives. Distribute food packs, snacks and PPEs to frontliners Provide assistance to SDO JO/COS personnel Paid PBB for School Based Personnel Paid Cash Allowance/Incentives to Teachers Completion of school credentials for graduates of SY 2019-2020 On going preparation of Learning Continuity Plan (LCP) at SDO level Requests for the issuance of Approved Special Order for SY 2019-2020 Adapting online modality on the processing of RQA of the teacher applicants. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> RM NO. 337, S. 2020 – CONDUCT OF COLLABORATIVE MEETING THROUGH TELECONFERENCE TO ALL SDO'S SGOD CHIEF, PRIVATE SCH COORDINATOR, AND M&E SPECIALIST 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> This office hereby informs the field in the conduct of collaborative meeting through video tele conferencing with all SDOs SGOD Chief, private schools coordinators and M&E Specialist on August 19, 2020 at 9:00am.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> RM NO. 341, S. 2020-ANNOUNCEMENT OF SCHOOLS WITH APPROVED PERMIT TO OPERATE EFFECTIVE SY 2020-2021 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pursuant to DepEd Order No. 40, s. 2014 and DepEd Order No. 21 s. 2014, this office announces the public schools in Caraga Region with newly approved Provisional Permit to Operate for this Calendar Year 200.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> RM NO. 342, S. 2020 – MENTAL HEALTH INTERVENTION AND PSYCHOSOCIAL SUPPORT SERVICES (MHPSS0 FOR ALL LEARNERS IN THE OPENING OF CLASSES 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> This office reiterates the importance of conducting mental health intervention and psychosocial support services for learners focused in the 1st 2 weeks of the opening of classes.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> RM NO. 343, S. 2020 – SUBMISSION OF WEEKLY STATUS REPORT ON PRINTING AND DELIVERY OF CENTRAL OFFICE PROVIDED SLMs AND LOCALLY-DEVELOPED SLMs BY SDOs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> This is to request the submission of the Division Weekly status report of the printing and delivery of Central Office Locally developed SLMs to ensure availability of the said learning resources in your respective divisions.

REPORTED CASES PER DIVISION AS OF AUGUST 18, 2020

1 Learner identified as confirmed case in Butuan City Division, while there was NONE found in other 11 Schools Division Offices.



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REQUEST FOR USE OF SCHOOLS BY LGUs as of August 18, 2020

Division	Number of Schools	Nos. of Classrooms
Agusan del Norte	11	99
Agusan del Sur	5	31
Bislig City	1	12
Butuan City	1	14
Bayugan City	2	21
Cabadbaran City	2	25
Dinagat Islands	10	60
Surigao del Norte	7	112
Siargao Islands	10	65
Surigao City	-	-
Surigao del Sur	27	303
Tandag City	5	58

*from the Office of the Regional Director's database on the Requests of LGU on the use of DepED Schools as Quarantine Area/Isolation Area
Status on the Release of Salaries and Benefits of both RPSU and Division paid personnel of DepED Caraga as of August 11, 2020.

Division Office	August Salary			
Agusan del Norte	released			
Agusan del Sur	released			
Bayugan City	released			
Bislig City	released			
Cabadbaran City	released			
Butuan City	released			
Dinagat Islands	released			
Siargao islands	released			
Surigao del Norte	released			
Surigao del Sur	released			
Tandag City	released			
Surigao City	released			
RO Proper	released			

Updates On On-Going Enrollment as of August 18, 2020

YEAR LEVEL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL
Kindergarten	25,063	23,627	48,690
Elementary	178,621	166,597	345,218
Junior High School	100,147	100,987	201,134
Senior High School	34,915	37,573	72,488
GRAND TOTAL			667,530

Source: Policy, Planning, and Research Division (PPRD) Quick Count as of August 18, 2020

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