



Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**  
REGION VII – CENTRAL VISAYAS  
Schools Division of negros oriental

**Office of the Schools Division  
Superintendent**

DIVISION MEMORANDUM  
No. **499**, s. 2023


**18 JUL 2023**

**ONLINE SYMPOSIUM ON DISASTER PREPAREDNESS  
(HYDROMET, VOLCANO, EARTHQUAKE AND TSUNAMI HAZARDS)**

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendents  
Chiefs, CID and SGOD  
Public Schools District Supervisors / District-In-Charge  
All Others Concerned

1. Enclosed is a copy of the RM 0484 s. 2023 titled **ONLINE SYMPOSIUM ON DISASTER PREPAREDNESS (HYDROMET, VOLCANO, EARTHQUAKE AND TSUNAMI HAZARDS)** on 17 July 2023 (9:30AM – 3:00PM) via MS Teams, for immediate dissemination and appropriate action.
2. Link will be forwarded before the scheduled time through DRRM Facebook groups.
3. Participants in this online symposium are all School DRRM Team Members of Public and Private Elementary and Secondary Schools. Participants must register at this link: **<https://bit.ly/DisasterPreparednessSymposiun2023>**.
4. **All PSDS/District In-charge and District DRRM Coordinators (Elementary and Secondary) are requested to monitor the attendance of the participants from their respective area of responsibility (AOR).**
5. Teaching personnel participated to this symposium can claim one (1) day service credit as provided in DepEd Order No. 53 s. 2003 titled, “Updated Guidelines on Grant of Vacation Service Credits to Teachers”.
6. For immediate dissemination and compliance.

**By the authority of the Schools Division Superintendent:**

  
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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

No. **0484**, s. 2023

**ONLINE SYMPOSIUM ON DISASTER PREPAREDNESS (HYDROMET, VOLCANO,  
EARTHQUAKE AND TSUNAMI HAZARDS)**

To: Schools Division Superintendents  
Region and Division DRRM Coordinators  
Public and Private Elementary and Secondary School Heads  
All Others Concerned

1. In relation to the issued RM No. 0461 titled "**Observance of the National Disaster Resilience Month 2023**" with the theme "**BIDAng Pilipino: Building a Stronger Filipino Well-being towards Disaster Resilience**" this Office would like to conduct **Online Disaster Preparedness (HYDROMET, Volcano, Earthquake and Tsunami Hazards)** on July 17, 2023 (9:30- AM-3:00 PM) at RO7 DRRM, MS Teams platform (link to be forwarded to the GC of Division DRRM Coordinators) before the scheduled time.
2. In view thereof, all School DRRM Team Members of Public and Private Elementary and Secondary Schools are invited to participate this webinar on the above-mentioned date and platforms. DepEd teaching personnel participated to this symposium can claim one (1) day service credit, certificate of appearance and participation.
3. Pre-registration link will be forwarded at the GC of Division DRRM Coordinators on July 14, 2023 and expected to be closed on July 15, 2023.
4. Division DRRM Coordinators are requested to monitor the attendance of the participants from their respective area of responsibility (AOR).
5. All expenses incurred during this activity shall be charged to DRRM/MOOE or any available funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
6. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum to all concerned is desired.

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OUOPS No. 2023-04-\_\_\_\_\_

**MEMORANDUM**

FOR : **SARA Z. DUTERTE**  
*Secretary, Department of Education*  
*Vice President of the Republic of the Philippines*

**Undersecretaries**  
**Assistant Secretaries**  
**Bureau and Service Directors**  
**Regional Directors and BARMM Education Minister**  
**Schools Division Superintendents**  
**Public and Private Elementary and Secondary School**  
**Heads**  
**All Others Concerned**

FROM : **Atty. REVSEE A. ESCOBEDO**  
*Undersecretary for Operations*

SUBJECT : **Reiteration on the Observance of the National Disaster Resilience Month 2023**

DATE : July 3, 2023

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Executive Order No. 29 s. 2017 designates July of each year as the country's National Disaster Resilience Month (NDRM). It mandates activities related to building disaster resilience covering the four thematic areas: prevention and mitigation, preparedness, response, and rehabilitation and recovery.

Pursuant to NDRRMC Memorandum No. 42 s. 2023 titled "**Observance of the National Disaster Resilience Month 2023**" with the theme "**BIDAng Pilipino: Building a Stronger Filipino Well-being towards Disaster Resilience**", the observance emphasizes the importance of collaboration in addressing the challenges of Climate Change and Disaster Risk Reduction and Management and recognizes the importance of the wellbeing of its people as the most valuable asset in fronting the pandemic and other emergencies. The NDRRMC is critical in ensuring that the wellbeing of Filipinos is well taken care of so that they can efficiently contribute to our effort to build a disaster-resilient nation.

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In this regard, the Office of the Undersecretary for Operations (OUOps) through the Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Service (DRRMS), enjoins all schools and Department of Education (DepEd) offices to **conduct resilience-building activities** such as but not limited to the following topics:

1. Psychological First Aid
2. Mental Health and Psychosocial Support Services
3. Exercise Design (e.g., seminar, workshop, tabletop, drills, functional, or full-scale)
4. Contingency Planning
5. Other activities that promote the safety, security, and well-being of learners and DepEd personnel

These activities can be incorporated during the conduct of In-Service Training (INSET) and other field office or school-based activities. The regional and Division DRRM Coordinators shall monitor and report the NDRM activities conducted in their AOR.

Further, the NDRM's official logo, social media hashtags, and tarpaulin design can be found at this link [NDRM Collaterals](#). For queries and concerns on this activity, kindly contact the DRRMS at (02) 8637-4933/636-4997 or email at [drmm@deped.gov.ph](mailto:drmm@deped.gov.ph).

For immediate dissemination and appropriate action.