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MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR

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TO

ALL PROVINCIAL GOVERNORS, CITY AND MUNICIPAL

MAYORS, PUNONG BARANGAYS, DILG REGIONAL DIRECTORS AND

OTHERS CONCERNED

SUBJECT

NATIONAL SCHOOL DEWORMING DAY (NSDD)

Due to the high prevalence of children affected by intestinal parasitic infections which may lead to cognitive impairment and malnutrition, among other complications, the Department of Health (DOH) will conduct the National School Deworming Day (NSDD) – Round 1 on July 29, 2015 and Round 2 on January 2016 throughout the country.

In consideration of the immense coverage of the said activity, together with DOH staff, health workers from all health centers and hospitals of the Local Government Units nationwide are requested to provide assistance in deworming children in their jurisdiction.

The support and assistance of every LGU is very vital in achieving the goals of their noble endeavor.

For further inquiries you may contact Mr. Edgardo Erce of Infectious Disease Office-Disease Prevention and Control Bureau, Department of Health at telephone numbers (02) 651-7800 local 2352 and 2354.

All DILG Regional Directors are hereby directed to cause the widest dissemination of this Circular in their respective areas of jurisdiction ${\color{black} \bullet}$

For information and guidance.

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