



HIGHLIGHTS OF THE REGIONAL INTER-AGENCY TASK FORCE FOR EMERGING INFECTIOUS DISEASE (RIATF-EID) XII - REGION XII TASK FORCE ON COVID-19 JOINT VIRTUAL MEETING HELD ON NOVEMBER 3, 2021; 9:00 AM VIA ZOOM TELECONFERENCE

PRESENT:

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| RD JOSEPHINE C. LEYSA, CESO III | DILG XII/ Chairperson, RIATF-EID XII |
| RD ARISTEDES CONCEPCION TAN, MD | DOH-CHD XII/ Co-Chairperson RIATF-EID XII |
| RD MINDA C. MORANTE | OCD XII/ Co-Chairperson, RTF COVID-19 |
| HON. NANCY A. CATAMCO | Governor, Province of Cotabato |
| HON. STEVE C. SOLON | Governor, Sarangani Province |
| RD AKMAD J. USMAN | DBM XII |
| RD MACARIO D. GONZAGA | LTO XII |
| PATERNO REYNATO R PADUA PA (RET) | LTFRB XII |
| BGEN POTENCIANO C CAMBA | 1002 nd BDE, 10 th ID, PA, AFP |
| RD CARLITO D. ROCAFORT, CESO V | DepEd XII |
| RD SAMMY P. MALAWAN | DOST XII |
| RED DENNIS R. ARPIA | DA XII |
| RD MARY ANN V. LUCERO | PMS XII |
| RD RESTITUTO B. MACUTO | DSWD XII |
| RD BASIR M. IBRAHIM | DPWH XII |
| RD ALIMBZAR P. ASUM, CESO V | DICT Mindanao Cluster |
| <i>Represented by: Gilbert Cimeni</i> | |
| RD TERESITA SOCCORO C. RAMOS | NEDA XII |
| <i>Represented by: ARD Carmel Matabang</i> | |
| RD RAYMUNDO G. AGRAVANTE | DOLE XII |
| <i>Represented by: ARD Arlene R. Bisnon</i> | |
| CAPT REJARD V MARFE PCG (MSc) | PCG-General Santos City |
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| <i>Represented by: PCOL Amante Q Zureaga</i> | |
| ATTY. FELIX S. ALICER | DENR XII |
| <i>Represented by: Doris S. Domingo</i> | |
| RD JEANY T. TEDERA | DOF-BLGF XII |
| RD MARILOU M. SUMALINOG | OWWA XII |
| <i>Represented by: Dominic F. Serna</i> | |

ABSENT:

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| HON. GOV. SUHARTO T. MANGUDADATU, PhD | Governor, Sultan Kudarat Province/ Honorary Chairperson, RTF-COVID-19 XII |
| HON. LINO O. MONTILLA | City Mayor, Tacurong City |
| HON. REYNALDO S. TAMAYO, JR. | Governor, South Cotabato Province |
| HON. RONNEL C. RIVERA | City Mayor, General Santos City |
| HON. ELIORDO U. OGENA | City Mayor, City of Koronadal |
| RD RAFAEL Y. ABROGAR II | TESDA XII |
| RD ARLAN M. MANGELEN | DA XII |
| ATTY. SERVILLANO SANTIAGO LORENZO III | DOJ -PAO XII |
| RD NILO J. GEROCHE | DOE XII |
| RD JUDE CONSTANTINE S. JAUGAN | DTI XII |
| RD CATHERINE T. APELACIO | PIA XII |
| RD JENNIFER C. BRETaña | DHSUD XII |
| RD FROILAN B. JAMIAS | NTC XII |
| MGEN JUVYMAX R UY | 6 th ID, PA, AFP |
| MGEN REUBEN S BASIAO | 10 th ID, PA, AFP |
| RD NELIA A. ALIBIN, PhD | CHED XII |
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| MS. LISA D. HORA | CSO REP, RPOC XII |

GUESTS

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| ATTY. JOEL M. VILLANUEVA | Ass't. Regional Director, COMELEC XII |
| ATTY. EURIKA JESSA D. CASTILLON | Regional Election Attorney, COMELEC XII |

RESOLUTION NO. 2021-22B

November 3, 2021

RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE PROVINCE OF SARANGANI FOR THEIR BEST PRACTICES ON IEC STRATEGIES IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF VACCINATION PROGRAM

WHEREAS, during the Joint RIATF-EID XII and RTF on COVID-19 Meeting held on October 20, 2021, DOH-CHD XII reported that Region XII is No. 6 among regions with the highest number of "unvaccinated" individuals. At the moment, the A2 Group is on the line in the vaccination priority, but the region has not yet reach its 50% target. DOH-CHD XII confirmed in the meeting that vaccination would start among 12- to 17-year-olds once adequate coverage of A2 Priority Group has been achieved; It was also reported that during the Joint RIATF-EID XII and RTF on COVID-19 Meeting held on November 3, 2021, DOH-CHD XII reported that Region XII still has a low turnout of vaccinated individuals in Region XII. DOH-CHD XII reported that

the SOCCSKSARGEN Region ranked No. 15 in the entire country with 20.45% full vaccination rate;

WHEREAS, to speed up the vaccination rate in the region, local government units are encouraged to share their best practices in vaccination so that other LGUs can replicate the shared practices as a benchmark; hence, PLGU Sarangani was requested by the Body to present their vaccination practices;

WHEREAS, PLGU Sarangani presented their challenges in the vaccination implementation which include: (1) dissemination, (2) distance, and (3) deployment, however they continued with their initiative to address said challenges. Among the best practices they employed are:

- a. Development of a poll survey tool during the pre-implementation phase;
- b. Involvement of key players in planning, conduct of series of orientations with BHWs in the province, dialogue and consultation meetings both face-to-face and virtual;
- c. Utilization of all trimedia platforms and tapped the partner agencies like Save the Children, Department of Education, Mahintana Foundation Inc., Red Cross, IPs and Religious Sectors; and
- d. Communication/IEC Message strategies such as:
 - i. "Best Protection against COVID-19 Comes in Pair - Bring a Senior Citizen and/or Pregnant Women for a Pfizer Shot;"
 - ii. "COVID-19 Vaccination through Tutok Buntis;"
 - iii. Establishment of vaccination sites in barangays and mobile vaccination posts and conducted house-to-house vaccination for senior citizens and those with co-morbidities;
 - iv. Special lanes for PWDs/senior citizens/pregnant women in the vaccination site;
 - v. "Bakuna sa GIDA" where they integrated the COVID-19 vaccination with the Catch-Up Immunization for 0-23 months old children in their areas, among others;

WHEREAS, as a result of all the initiatives done by the province, they were able to increase their vaccination coverage from 8% to 12.82% as of October 30, 2021. They already vaccinated 103,416 individuals with 50,379 for the first dose and 53,037 for the second dose. The PLGU continuously urge local officials (Mayors, Punong Barangays and other local officials) to champion in their respective areas as well as bring the vaccination in the remote areas;


WHEREAS, upon presenting the best practices in vaccination of the Province of Sarangani, the Body finds it commendable and worth replicating by other local government units of the Region;

NOW THEREFORE, on motion of ARD Jerome Barranco of OCD XII and seconded by RD Aristides Tan of DOH-CHD XII; **BE IT RESOLVED**, as it is hereby **RESOLVED**, to commend the Province of Sarangani for their Best Practices on IEC Strategies in the Implementation of Vaccination Program

RESOLVED FURTHER, that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to all members of the RIATF-EIDX II and RTF-COVID-19 XII and Hon. Steve Chiongbian-Solon, Governor of the Province of Sarangani for their information.


WE HEREBY CERTIFY as to the appropriateness of the foregoing Resolution.


Attested by:


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