



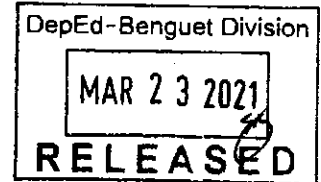
Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
Cordillera Administrative Region
Schools Division of Benguet

March 22, 2021

DIVISION MEMORANDUM

No. 98 s. 2021

**TO: Chief SGOD and CID
All School Health Personnel
All concerned**



GUIDANCE ON THE PRIORITIZATION AND VACCINATION CAMPAIGN

1. According to National COVID-19 Vaccination operation Center (NVOC) Advisory No. 20, dated March 18, 2021;

“Department of Education healthcare workers in Local Health and Nutrition Sections/Units of school clinics, such as nutritionists, nurses and doctors, among others, shall be categorized under Priority Group A1.5” also to note;

“all Local Vaccination Operations Center shall ensure the master listing of these priority groups through the Local Government Units”.

2. Hence, all school health personnel in the Schools Division of Benguet shall coordinate with their local municipal health units and be vaccinated with other local public health workers under priority Group A1.5.

3. Dr. Mary Grace G. Matias, Division Medical Officer shall ensure and monitor vaccination rates of all School Health personnel.


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Encl.: NVOC Advisory no.20
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Philippine COVID-19 Vaccine Deployment and Vaccination Campaign

Additional Guidance on the Prioritization Framework for Priority Group A1


This advisory is issued to further provide guidance to all Regional and Local Vaccination Operations Centers, Implementing Units and Vaccination Sites on the prioritization framework for Priority Group A1.

Based on the issues raised by the Regional Vaccination Operations Centers, we are providing guidance on the following:

1. All employees of Provincial Health Offices and Provincial DOH Offices, regardless of status of employment, shall be categorized under Priority Group A1.5.
2. Department of Education healthcare workers in Local Health and Nutrition Sections/Units of school clinics, such as nutritionists, nurses and doctors, among others, shall be categorized under Priority Group A1.5.
3. Department of Health employees, whether in the Centers for Health Development and Central Office if with Department Personnel Order as swabbers, contact tracers and emergency transport officers shall be categorized under Priority Group A1.5.
4. Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Office employees if with Department Personnel Order as swabbers, contact tracers and emergency transport officers shall be categorized under Priority Group A1.5.
5. Personnel manning closed settings and institutions such as the Bureau of Jail Management and Penology, Bureau of Corrections, Treatment and Rehabilitation Centers shall be categorized under Priority Group A1.7.
6. All Barangay Health Workers in active service shall be categorized under Priority Group A1.5.
7. Social workers providing social amelioration and direct services to the constituents shall be categorized under Priority Group A1.5; while social workers in orphanages, nursing homes and in other closed settings shall be categorized under Priority Group A1.7.

All Local Vaccination Operations Center shall ensure the masterlisting of these priority groups through the Local Government Units. All Regional Vaccination Operations Centers shall ensure the implementation of this Advisory.

For wide dissemination and implementation.


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