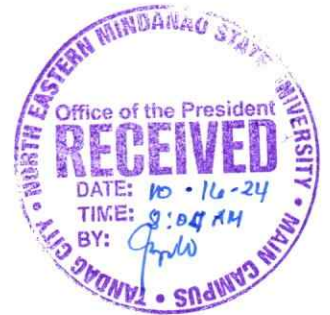




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MEMORANDUM FROM THE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
 No. 10-017, s. 2024

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DATE: October 15, 2024

SUBJECT: 2024 TRAINING OF TRAINERS ON THE RACE AGAINST
 SUICIDE TOOLKIT

Greetings of peace and solidarity.

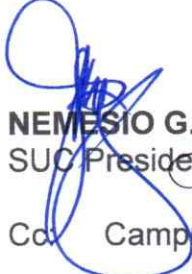
In accordance with the Republic Act (RA) No. 7722, also known as the "Higher Education Act of 1994," RA No. 11036, otherwise known as the "Mental Health Act of 2018," and CHED Commission en banc (CEB) Resolution Number 307-2024, the Commission shall be conducting a Training of Trainers Program for Suicide Prevention and Awareness in Higher Education Institutions (HEIs).

The implementation of Phase I for the Training of Trainers on the RACE Against Suicide Toolkit shall commence this year, 2024. You are enjoined to support and participate. Details of the training are attached to this Memorandum as Annex "A" of Memorandum from the Regional Director No. 75, s. 2024.

For queries or clarifications and to confirm your attendance, please contact Dr. Frederick C. Amihan at mobile number 0917-858-6002.

Wide dissemination of this memorandum is desired. Padayon sa pag-ALPAS NEMSU!

For the grassroots and in the spirit of vibrant leadership,


NEMESIO G. LOAYON
 SUC President III
 Cc: Campus Directors





MEMORANDUM FROM THE REGIONAL DIRECTOR
No. 75, Series of 2024



**TO : THE PRESIDENTS / HEADS OF PUBLIC / PRIVATE
HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS (HEIs)**

**SUBJECT : 2024 TRAINING OF TRAINERS ON THE RACE AGAINST SUICIDE
TOOLKIT ON NOVEMBER 19-22, 2024 AT CAGAYAN DE ORO CITY**

DATE : SEPTEMBER 16, 2024

In accordance with the Republic Act (RA) No. 7722, also known as the “Higher Education Act of 1994”, RA No. 11036, otherwise known as “Mental Health Act of 2018”, and CHED Commission *en banc* (CEB) Resolution Number 307-2024, the Commission shall be conducting Training of Trainers Program for Suicide Prevention and Awareness in Higher Education Institutions (HEIs).

The implementation of Phase I for the **Training of Trainers on the RACE Against Suicide Toolkit** shall commence this year 2024. Those HEIs (see attached list) who participated in the quick survey disseminated through a Memorandum from the Executive Director (MOED) No. 566, s. 2024 dated July 16, 2024 are enjoined to support and participate. Details of the training are attached to this Memorandum as **Annex “A”**.

For queries/clarifications and confirmation of your attendance contact Dr. Frederick C. Amihan through mobile number 0917-858-6002.

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ALMA SY-PATRON, PhD, RSW
OIC- Regional Director

TRAINING OF TRAINERS FOR THE RACE AGAINST SUICIDE TOOLKIT

A. Training Schedules inclusive of travel time (Tentative)

- ❖ Visayas Cluster Iloilo City on September 17-20, 2024
- ❖ Luzon Cluster Tagaytay City on October 1-4, 2024
- ❖ Mindanao Cluster Cagayan De Oro City on November 19-22, 2024

B. Expected Participants

The registration and selection of all participants shall be facilitated by the CHED Office of Student Development and Services (CHED-OSDS). Those HEIs who participated in the quick survey disseminated through a Memorandum from the Executive Director (MOED) No. 566, s. 2024 dated July 16, 2024 shall be prioritized.

1. For HEIs:

The training program is recommended for guidance counselors or designates, school doctors, nurses, teachers, school administrators, and other mental health professionals and advocates in the school.

2. For CHEDROs:

One representative for each CHED Regional Office

C. Training Objectives:

1. Elevate the knowledge and skills of personnel assigned/designated in the guidance and counseling services of higher education institutions specifically on suicide and self-harm;
2. Increase the confidence of participants in handling preventive measures for suicide and the use of existing referral and diagnostic tools;
3. Provide the participants with an assessment tool to identify and classify students-at-risk or those that need immediate intervention;
4. Learn how to utilize tele-mental health as a medium to provide suicide risk assessment and intervention; and
5. Institutionalize mechanisms, standards, and protocols in suicide prevention and awareness.

D. Memorandum of Agreement

The participating HEIs will be entering into a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) with the Unilab Foundation Inc. as part of the training. A copy of the template MOA can be accessed through CHED Office of Student Development and Services.



E. Expected Outputs

The participating HEIs are expected to formulate the following as their output from the training program:

1. Re-entry plans by the participants during the training. Re-entry plans may include information dissemination activities.
2. HEI policy, programs, and/or activities based on the needs of the school community in relation to mental health including protocol on how to help the parents who committed suicide

F. Other details:

1. All training materials shall be provided to the participants via digital formats.
2. All participants should bring their own laptops
3. The training sessions that will be conducted for 1.5 days.
4. Program flow shall be disseminated before the training dates
5. Food during the training, materials/kits, and certificates shall be provided to all participants.
6. The participating HEIs are responsible for the travel expenses and/or accommodation of representatives from the public and private HEIs.
7. Travel expenses and accommodation of representatives of CHEDRO shall be shouldered by CHED Central Office, subject to usual government accounting and auditing rules and regulations.



List of Participants

Brian V. Moral	OIC-Head OSAS	ACLC College of Butuan
Melody L. Calonia-Cabilogan	Dean, OSAS	Agusan Del Sur College, Inc.
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Abelita, Frenz Cedric R.	SAS Director	Mt. Carmel College of San Francisco, Inc.
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Alyzza Fabe	SAS Coordinator	Saint Joseph Institute of Technology
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Ariel T. Chiong	OSAS Director	Saint Peter College Seminary
Moises U. Palomo	OSAS Officer	Saint Theresa College of Tandag, Inc.
Regine Flores	OSAS Administrator	SFXC
Josephine M. Granada	Dean of OSAS	Southway College of Technology
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Zion Rogador	SAO	STI College Surigao
Nyphil John M. Ybias	Head, SAS	Surigao Doctors College
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Arlen G. Martin	GC designate	Philippine Normal University , Mindanao
Chrysler Van D. Conde	SAS Officer	SNSU - Del Carmen Campus
Renz Buctuan	Student Affairs Officer	SNSU - Mainit Campus
Quincy Dumanig	Guidance Head - Desig.	Surigao del Norte State University (City Campus)
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Roque Quizada	Instructor III	NEMSU - Cagwait Campus