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MEMORANDUM
05 May 2020

For: **Regional Directors**
Schools Division Superintendents
Regional and Division Engineers
Division Health Officers
WinS Coordinators
All Others Concerned

Subject: **VALIDATION OF PRIORITY SCHOOLS**
FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OR REPAIR OF
SCHOOL CLINICS AND WASH FACILITIES

In view of R.A. No. 11469, declaring a state of national emergency arising from the Covid-19 pandemic and in accordance with the DepEd Covid-19 Response Plan, DepEd Engineers—in coordination with the Health Officer and WinS Coordinator of the Division, are hereby directed to ensure the following:

1. that all schools within their jurisdiction are with available School Clinics that can be used to provide of health services to learners, teachers and other personnel;
2. that all schools have sufficient and functional water source and group handwashing facilities for students and school personnel.

In line with this, the DepEd Engineers shall validate all schools to determine requirements for the construction and/or repair of School Clinics. Construction may be programmed if the school has no excess classroom that can be converted/repared to a School Clinic and if the school has sufficient buildable space, In the case of WASH facilities, the engineers must a) validate possible water source of schools without existing water system and recommend appropriate type of water system, and b) validate required group handwashing facilities needed to ensure that standard ratio/parameter is implemented.

The following standard design provided by the Education Facilities Division (EFD) shall be the reference of the engineers in the validation and the finalization of the Program of Works.



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Annex A – Standard Design and Costing for School Clinics

Annex B – Standard Design and Costing for Water Source/Water Supply System

Annex C – Standard Designs and Costings for Group Handwashing Facilities

For reference in the validation, the EFD has generated the following priority lists from the latest eBEIS data on enrolment and the 2016 NSBI. The DepEd engineers or WinS Coordinator may recommend other schools, not limited to the given list, if actual validation for prioritization is warranted.

Annex D – List of Schools without School Clinics

Annex E

Priority 1 (Annex E1) - Schools with No Water Source

The Division engineers shall determine the design options for water source and recommend the provision for handwashing facility per school.

Priority 2 (Annex E2) - Schools with Water Source Needing Additional Handwashing Facility

The Division engineers shall recommend the augmentation for handwashing facilities to meet the standard parameter of 1 faucet for every 30 students (1:30 ratio).

Priority 3 (Annex E3) - Schools with Non-Functional Handwashing Facility

The Division engineers shall determine repair works like tapping into water source and/or installing water source, if needed, and other related repair works;

Priority 4 (Annex E4) - Schools with Functional Handwashing Facility

The Division engineers shall determine repair works such as broken pipes, broken wall and countertops, and clogged drainage, where replacements or improvements are necessary.

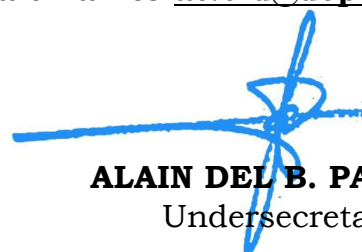
The result of validation and corresponding Program of Works shall be submitted on or before June 15, 2020 via email to as.efd@deped.gov.ph .

For immediate implementation.



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