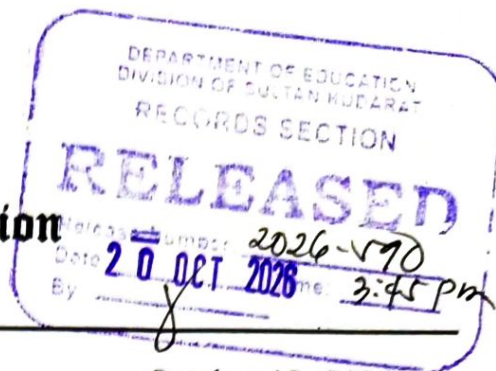




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DIVISION OF SULTAN KUDARAT



October 19, 2026

DIVISION MEMORANDUM

SGOD-SHS No. **218** s. 2026

CERTIFICATION TRAINING ON DRINKING WATER SAMPLER

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Chief of School Governance and Operations Division
Public Elementary and Secondary School Administrators
Concerned School Health Section Personnel
All Others Concerned
This Division

1. The Department of Health-Center for Health Development (DOH-CHD) SOCCSKSARGEN Region, through its Environmental and Occupational Health Cluster, will conduct a one-day live-out **Certification Training on Drinking Water Sampler on October 21, 2026, at Green State Suites, Koronadal City**. The activity will commence promptly at **8:00 AM each day**.

2. The training aims to equip participants with the knowledge and skills to ensure learners' health and sanitation through accurate drinking water sample collection for bacteriological testing, following with standard procedures and regulatory requirements.

3. The following are the **nurse participants** to the Regional Certification Training on Drinking Water Sampler:

PARTICIPANTS	
Name	Station
AIRENE A. BELGERA	DSK - Division Office
AIRENE N. FONTANILLA	DSK - Division Office
ANNIE ROSE D. RACOSAS	DSK - Division Office
BERNARD OMAR A. CINCO	DSK - Division Office

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LILIBETH D. TABURA	MALIGAYA CS (LAMBAYONG)
RABAYA U. TAGOLANAO	SAN ROQUES ES (PALIMBANG)
RONALD C. GALAURA	LUTAYAN NHS (LUTAYAN)

4. ☐ To confirm attendance, participants are requested to accomplish the online registration through this link: <https://forms.gle/kJHc2jQXCdrVJNa66>.
5. Meals and snacks shall be provided by the DOH-CHD SOCCSKSARGEN Region. While, travel expenses and per diem of the participants shall be charged to the funds of their respective station, subject to the usual government accounting and auditing rules and regulation.
6. For further information and queries, all concerned may contact Ms. Annie Rose D. Racosas, RN,MAN, Division WInS Coordinator at cellphone number 0947-571-6198.
7. For the information, guidance, and compliance of all concerned.


ROBERTO J. MONTERO, CESO V
Schools Division Superintendent

Encl/s.: None

Reference: Letter from DOH-CHD XII

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index under the following subjects:

SAFE WATER

SAMPLER

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September 30, 2026

ATTY. ALBERTO T. ESCOBARTE, CESO II

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Department of Education Regional Office XII

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Attention: **MINA FE S. RUZ, DMD**
Regional WinS Coordinator

Dear Director Escobarte:

Greetings of Peace!

The Department of Health – Center for Health Development SOCCSKSARGEN Region (DOH-CHD XII), through the Environmental and Occupational Health (EOH) Cluster, warmly extends its greetings to the Department of Education – Region XII (DepEd XII).

Pursuant to the DOH Administrative Order No. 2017-0010 or the Philippine National Standard for Drinking Water (PNSDW), regulatory water sampling must be conducted by DOH-certified water samplers. To uphold these safety standards across institutions and school grounds, DOH CHD XII, in partnership with the National Reference Laboratory – East Avenue Medical Center (NRLEAMC), is conducting the Certification Training for Drinking Water Samplers in Koronadal City from October 20 to 25, 2026.

Through lectures, participative discussions, and hands-on sample collection practicums, this training equips health personnel with the practical skills needed to properly collect water samples required for microbiological, physical and chemical water testing. Given the vital role of schools in safeguarding student health and sanitation, we respectfully request your good office to authorize the attendance of your Division and District WASH in Schools (WinS) Coordinators and DepEd School Nurses across Region XII based on the following regional schedule:

- Day 1 (October 20, 2026): Participants from Cotabato Province
- Day 2 (October 21, 2026): Participants from Sultan Kudarat Province and Sarangani Province
- Day 3 (October 22, 2026): Participants from South Cotabato Province and General Santos City

Meals will be provided for the participants during the duration of the activity.