



DepEd Data as of 07 May 2020, 1800 PST

Confirmed Cases: 51
 Deaths: 3*
 Recovered: 20
 Active: 28
 Probable Cases: 17
 Suspect Cases: 38

Actions Taken by DepEd Central Office

- Continuous health monitoring of learners and personnel, and monitoring of school sites
- Coordination with the IATF and ExeCom Meetings for the Management of COVID-19
- Measures for continuous delivery of services implemented
- Alternative Delivery Mode of education provided for public, private schools and ALS through DepEd Commons and Open Educational Resources:
<http://commons.deped.gov.ph>
- Contingency measures for the next school year being planned and prepared
- Conduct of webinars for COVID-19 response, learning continuity, teacher training
- Announced the opening of School Year 2020-2021 scheduled on August 24
- Postponement of the Year-end Review of the Results-based Performance Management System (RPMS) Cycle, SY 2019-2020
- Suspended Palarong Pambansa and other activities that draws large crowds
- Reviewing needed revisions to the joint circular on the use of Special Education Fund

Reported Activities of Regional and Schools Division Offices

- Continuous health monitoring of learners and personnel in coordination with the LGUs and thru telemedicine
- Disinfection of schools and offices
- Distribution of hygiene kits and vitamins
- Intensified information campaign vs COVID-19
- Distribution of PPEs and foodpacks to frontliners
- Fundraising activities organized
- Volunteer health personnel, teaching and non-teaching staff serve as frontliners in some areas
- Initiatives for mental health awareness and increasing solidarity implemented
- Adopt a Family programs encouraged by some ROs and SDOs
- ALS Livelihood Sessions conducted through online platforms
- Some teachers visit students to reconnect and give aid
- Backyard and Container Gardening promoted
- Storybooks made by teachers are shared online

Latest Issuances and Advisories¹

Issuance¹	Highlights
Advisory: To all DepEd Personnel Concerned and Private Lending Institutions (PLIs) under the Department's Automatic Payroll Deduction System (APDS) Program (May 7, 2020)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ "...under the Bayanihan Act and its IRR, the extension of the mandatory grace period shall be based on the extended ECQ period declared by the President. This shall cover all lenders without distinction irrespective of their place of operation.(BSP)" ▪ There will be refund of the loan amortizations deducted from the May 2020 salaries of the concerned DepEd personnel nationwide
Official Statement of the Department of Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ "Through the Learning Continuity Plan, we aim to make education accessible to every learner in this new learning environment. Various learning modalities will be implemented for SY 2020-2021 to secure the health and well-being of our personnel and our learners, which is our primary consideration."
Memorandum OUF-2020-0167: Advisory on the Release and Payment of the Fiscal Year (FY) 2020 Cash Allowance for Teachers (May 4, 2020)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The P3,500.00 cash allowance per classroom teacher shall be released in June 2020 for the purchase of teaching supplies and materials
OJA Memorandum 00-0520-00051: Guidelines on Webinar Sessions (May 4, 2020)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The ICTS-Educational Technology Unit provides free webinar sessions aligned with the DepEd Digital Rise Program ▪ Reminder to validate legitimacy of webinar sessions conducted by groups
Unity Statement of the Department of Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Expression of commitment to give time and render skills for nation, develop a Learning Continuity Plan and deliver accessible, quality, liberating and safe basic education services in these critical times
DM No. 049 s. 2020: Computation of Public School Teachers' Proportional Vacation Pay for School Year 2019-2020 (April 30, 2020)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Providing the field offices with a uniform basis for the computation of the proportional vacation pay for SY 2019-2020 for all public school teachers under the teacher's leave basis.
OM OSEC-2020-007: Guidance on Authorizing Concerned Officials and Personnel of the Central Office to Reimburse Enhanced Community Quarantine-Related Expenses (April 23, 2020)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Authorizing the reimbursement of communication expenses and of personnel under WFH arrangements and transportation expenses of those who do not avail of DepEd Services
DTFC-19 Memorandum 37: Reporting of DepEd Facilities Being Used as Alternative Facility for any COVID-19 Related Activity Using the DepEd Mobile App (April 21, 2020)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ User's guide for the DepEd Mobile App to report DepEd facilities used for COVID-19 related activity
DO No 5 s. 2020: Delegation of Authority for Negotiated Procurement under RA No. 11469 or the Bayanihan to Heal as one Act (April 21, 2020)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ To ensure goods and services are procured in the most efficient and expeditious manner, the authority and responsibility of the Secretary is delegated to various officials

¹All COVID-19 related issuances, reports and advisories, including collaterals, can be accessed thru <https://www.deped.gov.ph/covid-19> and/or official DepEd social media pages.



Table 1. Reported Cases per Region (Partial)

	Region	Confirmed Case (Cumulative)		Probable		Suspect		Close Contact/s of Confirmed Case		Total
		Learner	Personnel	Learner	Personnel	Learner	Personnel	Learner	Personnel	
1	CAR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	NCR	5	14	0	4	5	0	0	0	28
3	Region I	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
4	Region II	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
5	Region III	3	2	4	3	3	9	5	3	32
6	Region IV-A	4	4	1	4	5	10	1	9	38
7	Region IV-B	1	1	0	0	0	0	4	1	7
8	Region V	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
9	Region VI	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
10	Region VII	6	3	0	0	4	2	15	0	30
11	Region VIII	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
12	Region IX	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
13	Region X	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
14	Region XI	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	6
15	Region XII	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	CARAGA	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
17	BARMM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	24	27	6	11	17	21	25	20	151
	Total Confirmed	51								
	Total Probable			17						
	Total Suspect					38				
	Total Close Contact									45

Table 2. Status of Confirmed Cases per Region

	Region	Active	Recovered	Deaths	Total
1	CAR	0	0	0	0
2	NCR	10	9	0	19
3	Region I	0	0	1	1
4	Region II	0	1	0	1
5	Region III	2	3	0	5
6	Region IV-A	5	2	1	8
7	Region IV-B	0	2	0	2
8	Region V	1	1	0	2
9	Region VI	0	0	1	1
10	Region VII	9	0	0	9
11	Region VIII	0	0	0	0
12	Region IX	0	2	0	2
13	Region X	0	0	0	0
14	Region XI	0	0	0	0
15	Region XII	0	0	0	0
16	CARAGA	1	0	0	1
17	BARMM	0	0	0	0
	Total	28	20	3	51

Notes:

1. Data based on DepEd Regional and Division Reports per DTFC-19 Memo 35.
2. Deaths reported are COVID-19 Positive.
3. Recovered persons have repeat test with negative results.
4. Table 1 Confirmed Cases column is cumulative; Table 2 reflects status of Confirmed Cases.
5. Probable, Suspect and Close Contacts are non-cumulative.
6. Other cases are with pending official reports.
7. Invalid reports removed.*