



Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**  
REGION VIII  
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF NORTHERN SAMAR

August 6, 2025

**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**

No. 256, s. 2025

**CONDUCT OF THE SCHOOL-BASED IMMUNIZATION (SBI) PROGRAM FOR  
SCHOOL YEAR 2025-2026**

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent  
Chief, Schools Governance & Operations Division  
All Public Schools District Supervisors/ Principals In-Charge  
All Public Elementary & Secondary Principals/ School Heads  
School Health & Nutrition Section Personnel  
All Concerned

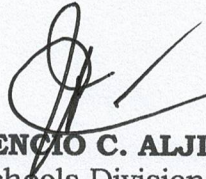
1. Pursuant to the Department of Education's mandate to safeguard the health and well-being of learners, and in line with its joint efforts with the Department of Health (DOH), the Schools Division of Northern Samar shall implement the **School-Based Immunization (SBI) Program for School Year 2025-2026** in partnership with the Provincial Health Office (PHO), Rural Health Units (RHUs), and Local Government Units (LGUs).
2. The program aims to protect school-aged children from vaccine-preventable diseases, namely:
  - a. **Measles-Rubella (MR)**
  - b. **Tetanus-Diphtheria (Td)**
  - c. **Human Papillomavirus (HPV)** (for eligible female learners)
3. The following learner groups are eligible for vaccination:
  - a. Grade 1 Learners – Measles-Rubella (MR) and Tetanus-Diphtheria (Td) Vaccines
  - b. Grade 4 Female Learners - Human Papillomavirus (HPV) Vaccine
  - c. Grade 7 Learners – Measles-Rubella (MR) and Tetanus-Diphtheria (Td) Vaccines
4. The vaccination schedule shall be set by the Rural Health Unit (RHU) serving the school's catchment area, in coordination with the School Health Section through the assigned school nurse.
5. All public elementary and secondary schools, through their School Heads, are encouraged to provide full support and cooperation in the conduct of the immunization activity.



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6. The School Health Section, through the assigned School Nurses, shall work in close coordination with their respective Rural Health Units to align schedules, facilitate preparations, ensure proper documentation of all activities, address any concerns, and oversee the smooth and successful implementation of the program, including the prompt submission of comprehensive post-implementation reports.
7. All learners scheduled for vaccination must present a duly accomplished and signed parental or guardian **Consent/ Notification Form**. Only those with complete consent forms will be vaccinated.
8. This activity shall be carried out pursuant to **Regional Memorandum No. 867, s. 2025**, dated July 23, 2025. For your reference and guidance, a copy of the memorandum is hereto attached.
9. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.



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