



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION III – CENTRAL LUZON
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF SCIENCE CITY OF MUÑOZ

4 March 2025

SCHOOLS DIVISION MEMORANDUM

No. 104 s. 2025

To: All Public Elementary and Secondary School Heads
All other concerned

CELEBRATION OF RABIES AWARENESS MONTH 2025

1. Rabies remains a serious public health concern in the Philippines, with a high fatality rate once symptoms appear. However, rabies is 100% preventable through timely vaccination of pets, public education, and responsible pet ownership.
2. Under Republic Act No. 9482, also known as the "Anti-Rabies Act of 2007", March is declared as Rabies Awareness Month. The theme for 2022-2027 is "Rabies Free na Pusa't Aso, Kaligtasan ng Pamilyang Pilipino," which highlights the importance of responsible pet ownership and the role of the community in preventing the spread of rabies.
3. To support this initiative, all Public Elementary, Secondary, and Integrated Schools are encouraged to strongly support this advocacy by conducting activities such as rabies awareness lectures in coordination with the City Veterinary Office, poster-making contests, infomercials, and pamphlet-making about rabies and other initiatives to highlight the importance of vaccination, responsible pet ownership, and understanding the risks associated with rabies.
4. Attached is the schedule of the Rabies Lecture in select schools to be conducted by the City Veterinary Office. Submission of the School Narrative Report is on or before March 31, 2025, at the Schools Governance and Operations Division, School Health, and Nutrition Unit.
5. For clarifications, you may contact the School Health and Nutrition Unit through marianne.coronel@deped.gov.ph and charmaineeljie.rayos@deped.gov.ph.
6. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is earnestly desired.

Encl: No. 1
Reference: None
To be indicated in the Perpetual Index
Under the following subjects
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Enclosure No. 1 to the Schools Division Memorandum No. 104, s. 2025

**SCHEDULE OF RABIES LECTURE IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE
CITY VETERINARIAN OFFICE**

DATE	TIME	SCHOOL
March 11, 2025 (Tuesday)	9:00 am	Munoz Central School
March 12, 2025 (Wednesday)	9:00 am	Bantug Elementary School
March 13, 2025 (Thursday)	9:00 am	DECS CLSU Elementary School
March 18, 2025 (Tuesday)	9:00 am	MNHS Main JHS
March 19, 2025 (Wednesday)	9:00 am	Munoz North Central School
March 20, 2025 (Thursday)	9:00 am	MNHS Main SHS
March 25, 2025 (Tuesday)	9:00 am	Linglingay ES
March 26, 2025 (Wednesday)	9:00am	Magtanggol IS
March 27, 2025 (Thursday)	9:00 am	Gabaldon IS



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