



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
CORDILLERA ADMINISTRATIVE REGION



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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

No. 889-2024

**LIST OF PARTICIPANTS FOR THE NATIONAL DISABILITY
INCLUSIVE EDUCATION SUMMIT**

To: Assistant Regional Director
Schools Division Offices
Schools Division Superintendents
All Others Concerned

1. In reference to **DM-CT-2024-463** titled National Disability Inclusive Education Summit, this Office issues the **list of participants** for the aforementioned activity to be held at Baguio Teachers Camp, Baguio City on December 11-13, 2024.
2. The Summit will serve as a collaborative platform for education stakeholders to actively engage in a whole-of-nation approach in furthering the effective implementation of key-disability-inclusive education laws, such as Republic Act (RA) 11650 (Instituting a Policy of Inclusion and Services for Learners with Disabilities in Support of Inclusive Education Act) and RA 11106 (The Filipino Sign Language Act). Specifically, the Summit aims to:
 - a. empower participants with a comprehensive understanding of existing legal frameworks and policies relative to inclusive education;
 - b. equip educators and stakeholders with effective, evidence-based strategies, methodologies, and teaching practices that foster inclusive learning environments;
 - c. identify and address barriers that hinder equitable access to quality education; and
 - d. build a collaborative network of stakeholders that leverages diverse expertise and resources in addressing challenges on inclusive education.
3. The Summit shall be participated by DepEd officials, instructional leaders, teachers, program partners/organizations, policymakers, and other stakeholders regarded as champions and advocates of disability inclusive education in the country. Additionally, the participants are advised to pre-register and confirm their attendance, on or before December 6, 2024, through <https://tinyurl.com/NationalDisabilityIESummit2024>.
4. Attached are Enclosures 1 and 2 or the list of participants and indicative program of activities, for guidance.

5. Participants are expected to arrive at the venue on the first day of the Summit before the start of the opening program at 7:30 am.
6. Transportation expenses and per diem of participants from filed offices shall be charged against the **2024 SPED Continuing Fund** which will be downloaded to DepEd Ros and/or Local Funds, subject to the usual government accounting and auditing rules and regulations. This Memorandum serves as the Travel Authority of participants.
7. For more information and/or clarifications, please feel free to contact the CLMD Chief through email address car.clmd@deped.gov.ph.
8. Immediate dissemination of and strict compliance with this Memorandum is directed.


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Enclosure 1 to RM No. 889 · 2024

Official List of Participants

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National Disability Inclusive Education Summit
*From Policy to Practice: Championing An Inclusive
Environment for Filipino Learners*

INDICATIVE PROGRAM MATRIX

TIME	ACTIVITIES	PERSON RESPONSIBLE
Day 1 Discussions on Related Laws for Inclusive Education		
7:30 am - 8:45 am (15 min)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Arrival and registration Pre-event activity "Expectation Wall" 	
8:45 am - 9:45 am (60 min)	Opening Program: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Philippine National Anthem Interfaith Prayer 	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Presentation of Participants and Statement of Purpose 	Lella P. Areola <i>Director IV</i> Bureau of Learning Delivery Department of Education
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Welcome Remarks 	Estela P. Leon-Cariño <i>Regional Director</i> Department of Education - Cordillera Administrative Region
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Message of Support 	Akihiro Fushimi <i>Chief of Education</i> UNICEF Philippines
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Introduction of the Keynote Speaker 	Gina O. Gonong <i>Undersecretary</i> Curriculum and Teaching Department of Education
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Keynote Speech 	Sonny M. Angara <i>Secretary</i> Department of Education
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Photo Opportunity 	
9:45 am - 9:55 am (10 min)	Cultural Presentation	
9:55 am - 10:00 am (5 min)	Audio-visual Presentation of Disability-Inclusive Education Initiatives and Challenges	
10:00 am - 10:05 am (5 min)	Health Break	
10:05 am - 11:15 am (70 min)	Salient Provisions of RA 11650 and Its Implementing Rules and Regulations	Atty. Boenvel M. Castillo <i>Head</i> Legislative Liaison Office
11:15 am - 12:00 pm (45 min)	DepEd Key Initiatives in the Implementation of RA 11650	Vic Emerson C. Danao <i>Supervising Education Program Specialist</i> Bureau of Learning Delivery - Student Inclusion Division

		Department of Education
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm (60 min)	Lunch Break	
1:00 pm - 2:15 pm (75 min)	Presentation of the RA 11650 Inter-Agency Multi-Year Roadmap	Leila P. Areola <i>Director IV</i> Bureau of Learning Delivery Department of Education
2:15 pm - 2:55 pm (40 min)	Salient Provisions of RA 11106 and Its Implementing Rules and Regulations	Shirley "Pinky" Q. Earnhart <i>Executive Director</i> Philippine Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf, Inc.
2:55 pm - 3:00 pm (5 min)	Health Break	
3:00 pm - 3:30 pm (30 min)	DepEd Key Initiatives in the Implementation of RA 11106	Marilyn B. Siao <i>Director III</i> Bureau of Learning Delivery Department of Education
3:30 pm - 4:30 pm (60 min)	Evidence-Based Policy Making for Quality and Sustainable Inclusive Education	Roger B. Masapol <i>Assistant Secretary</i> Department of Education
END OF DAY 1		
DAY 2 Sharing of Effective Disability-Inclusive Education Strategies and Practices		
7:45 am - 8:00 am (15 min)	Preliminaries/Management of Learning (MOL)	
8:00 am - 9:55 am (115 min)	<p>Panel Discussion <i>"Empowering Teachers Through Proven Strategies for Supporting Learners with Disabilities"</i></p> <p>Panelists: Maricel T. Valdoz <i>Special Education Teacher</i> President Corazon Aquino Elementary School Schools Division Office - Quezon City</p> <p>Romeo V. Balandra II <i>OIC-SPED Focal Person</i> Schools Division Office - Misamis Oriental Region X</p> <p>Olivia Lagunilla-Pagurayan <i>Principal III</i> Eulogio Rodriguez Integrated School Schools Division Office - Mandaluyong City</p> <p>Jennie V. Jocson <i>Executive Director</i> Teacher Education Council</p>	<p>Moderator: Rosalie E. Bongon <i>Chief - Education Program Specialist</i> Bureau of Learning Delivery - Student Inclusion Division Department of Education</p>
9:55 am - 10:00 am (5 min)	Health Break	
10:00 am - 11:00 am (60 min)	Learn without Limits: Technology for Accessible Education	Glenda D. Relova <i>Executive Director</i> National Council on Disability Affairs

11:00 am - 12:00 pm (60 min)	Fostering Independence among Learners with Disability through Effective Transition Programs	Abraham P. Imas <i>Education Program Supervisor</i> Schools Division Office - Iloilo City Region VI
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm (60 min)	Lunch break	
1:00 pm - 2:00 pm (60 min)	Bridging Gaps: Gaining Support for Learners with Disabilities through Networking	Jeremy A. Cruz <i>Principal III</i> Legazpi City National High School Schools Division Office - Legazpi City
2:00 pm - 3:00 pm (60 min)	Establishing the ILRC: A Journey to Success	Ma. Theresa C. Cadiente <i>Special Education Teacher</i> Cabarroguis Central School Integrated SPED Center Schools Division Office - Quirino
3:00 pm - 3:05 pm (5 min)	Health break	
3:05 pm - 5:00 pm (115 min)	<p>Panel Discussion <i>"Building Partnerships for Disability-Inclusive Education"</i></p> <p>Panelists: Weslie T. Gatchalian <i>Mayor</i> Valenzuela City</p> <p>Imari Leen Roble-Cesario <i>Executive Director</i> The Teacher's Gallery (TTG)</p> <p>Nicholas Tenazas <i>Education Specialist</i> United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF)</p> <p>Henry Grageda <i>Project Management Specialist</i> Gabay - United States Agency for International Development (USAID)</p>	<p>Moderator: Marilyn B. Siao <i>Director III</i> Bureau of Learning Delivery Department of Education</p>
5:00 pm - 5:30 pm (30 min)	Break	
5:30 pm - 9:00 pm (210 min)	Celebrating Success in Disability-Inclusive Education	<p>Moderator: Nicanor M. San Gabriel Jr. <i>Supervising Education Program Specialist</i> Bureau of Learning Delivery Department of Education</p>
END OF DAY 2		
Day 3 Overcoming Barriers and Developing Actionable Solutions		
8:00 am - 8:15 am (15 min)	Preliminaries/MOL	
8:15 am - 9:30 am (75 min)	Pathways to Inclusive Education: Overcoming Barriers with Actionable Strategies	Allan G. Farnazo <i>Regional Director</i> Department of Education - Region XI
9:30 am - 10:00 am (30 min)	Message of Support	Georgina Ann Hernandez-Yang <i>Assistant Secretary for External Partnerships Service</i> Department of Education

10:00 am - 10:05 am (5 min)	Health break	
10:05 am - 10:35 am (30 min)	Fostering Commitment	
10:35 am - 11:05 am (30 min)	Synthesis and Closing Remarks	Alma Ruby C. Torio Assistant Secretary Curriculum and Teaching Department of Education
11:05 am - 12:00 am (55 min)	Building Partnerships and Networking	
END OF DAY 3		