



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION IV-A CALABARZON
CITY SCHOOLS DIVISION OF THE CITY OF TAYABAS

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DIVISION MEMORANDUM
No. 021 s. 2024

**PREVENTION AND CONTROL OF COVID-19 AND OTHER FLU-LIKE ILLNESS IN
THE CITY SCHOOLS DIVISION OF TAYABAS**

To: OIC-Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Chief Education Supervisors
Heads, Unit/Section
Heads, Public Elementary and Secondary Schools
All Others Concerned

1. This office informs the field of the relevant Memorandum Circular dated January 4, 2024 "**PREVENTION AND CONTROL OF COVID-19 AND OTHER FLU-LIKE ILLNESS IN THE CITY OF TAYABAS**", signed by the Hon. Maria Lourdes Reynoso-Pontioso, City Mayor, in support to the enforcement of Executive Order No. DHT-60 recently issued by the Provincial Governor of Quezon.
2. This office directs all personnel and clients to observe the wearing of facemask in the SDO where physical distancing cannot be maintained, effective immediately
3. Attached is the copy of the memorandum and Executive Order No. DHT-60 series of 2023 for your reference.
4. For immediate dissemination.


CELEDONIO B. BALDERAS, JR.
Schools Division Superintendent

Enclosure: As stated
Reference: Executive Order No. DHT-60
To be indicated in the Perpetual Index
under the following subjects:

OSDS Admin Unit - prevention and control of covid-19 and other flu-like illness in the city schools division of tayabas /None/January 9,2024



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OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. DHT- 60
Series of 2023

**AN ORDER FOR THE PREVENTION AND CONTROL OF
COVID-19 AND OTHER FLU-LIKE ILLNESS IN THE
PROVINCE OF QUEZON**

WHEREAS, Section 15 Article II of the 1987 Constitution provides that the State shall protect and promote the right to health of the people and instill health consciousness among them;

WHEREAS, Section 16 of the Local Government Code of 1991 provides that every local government unit shall exercise the powers expressly granted, those necessarily implied therefrom, as well as powers necessary, appropriate, or incidental for its efficient and effective governance, and those which are essential to the promotion of the general welfare;

WHEREAS, one of the priorities of the Provincial Government of Quezon is to provide quality and accessible health care services to its constituents and to protect them against harm and danger;

WHEREAS, the Department of Health (DOH) reported an increasing number of COVID-19 and other influenza-like illnesses;

WHEREAS, as the holiday season is accompanied by increased mobility, mass gatherings, and reduction in the minimum public health standards (MPHS) compliance, active cases are projected to continue to further increase;

WHEREAS, with the intent of preventing further increase of COVID-19 and other flu-like illness cases in the province, the Provincial Government of Quezon has deemed it necessary to provide a protocol for COVID-19 and other flu-like illness prevention and control;

NOW THEREFORE, I, ANGELINA "DOKTORA HELEN" D.L. TAN, Governor of Quezon Province, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order the COVID-19 and other flu-like illness prevention and control, to wit:

Section 1. SCOPE AND COVERAGE. All government and private offices and the general public are mandated to observe this Order.

Section 2. PREVENTION AND CONTROL. All concerned are reminded to implement the following mitigation measures for their employees, visitors, and clients, including but not limited to:

- a. Mandatory wearing of face masks shall continue to be worn for indoor settings and in outdoor settings where physical distancing cannot be maintained.





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- b. Isolate immediately if experiencing flu-like symptoms such as cough, colds, sore throat, or fever.
- c. In principle, testing of suspect cases and individuals with mild symptoms shall be optional.

For the general public, to ensure minimal local transmission, ensure the following layers of protection:

- a. Use mask in public spaces, hospitals, clinics, and indoor settings where physical distancing cannot be maintained.
- b. Update vaccines such as flu- and pneumococcal vaccine.
- c. Self-isolate if with symptoms.

Section 3. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE. In case any provision of this Order is declared invalid or unconstitutional, the other provisions not affected thereby shall remain valid and subsisting.

Section 4. REPEALING CLAUSE. All orders, guidelines or parts thereof, inconsistent with the provisions of this Order, are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

Section 5. EFFECTIVITY. This Order shall take effect immediately.

SO ORDERED.

Done this 21st day of DECEMBER 2023, at Lucena City, Philippines.


ANGELINA "DOKTORA HELEN" D.L. TAN, MD, MBAH
Provincial Governor





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OFFICE OF THE LOCAL CHIEF EXECUTIVE

MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR

January 4, 2024

TO: ALL GOVERNMENT AND PRIVATE OFFICES AND THE GENERAL PUBLIC

RE: Prevention and Control of COVID-19 and other Flu-like Illness in the City of Tayabas

In support to the enforcement of **Executive Order No. DHT-60**, recently issued by the Provincial Governor of Quezon, this office mandates within the territorial jurisdiction of the City of Tayabas, the wearing of face masks for indoor settings and in outdoor settings where physical distancing cannot be maintained, effective immediately.

Compliance is necessary.


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