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Department of Education

REGION IV- A CALABARZON

CITY SCHOOLS DIVISION OF THE CITY OF TAYABAS

26 November 2026

DIVISION MEMORANDUM
No. 793 s. 2026

OBSERVANCE OF WORLD AIDS DAY 2026

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

1. Every year on December 1, the world commemorates **World AIDS Day** to remember those who have died from AIDS-related illnesses, show support for people living with HIV, and raise awareness about HIV and AIDS. This year's observance carries the global theme **"Ending AIDS Starts with Access,"** which highlights the importance of ensuring equitable access to accurate information, HIV prevention, testing, treatment, and care for everyone. It also emphasizes the need to address stigma and discrimination and strengthen collective efforts toward ending AIDS by 2030.

2. In support of this global observance, all public elementary and secondary schools are encouraged to participate through **Public Display of Support.** Display a World AIDS Day 2026 banner, poster, or other awareness materials in a prominent area within school premises during the first week of December to promote awareness and demonstrate support for the campaign. The official poster may be accessed and downloaded through the same link provided below.

3. To document school participation, all schools are requested to submit **one (1) photo collage** showing their World AIDS Day 2026 display of support through this link: https://tinyurl.com/TayabasWAD2026. Submission shall be made on or before **December 11, 2026**.

4. Immediate and widest dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

For:

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Encl.: None
Reference: Republic Act 11166 or the Philippine HIV and AIDS Policy Act
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