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## Department of Education

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### INVITATION TO THE 2<sup>ND</sup> NATIONAL CONVENTION AND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Attached is Memorandum DM-OUHROD-2024-0189 from Wilfredo E. Cabral, Regional Director, Officer-in-Charge, Office of the Undersecretary, Human Resource and Organizational Development, and Atty. Revsee A. Escobedo, Undersecretary for Operations, announcing the conduct of the 2<sup>nd</sup> National Convention and General Assembly.

The National Association of Public Health Nurses, Inc. will conduct its activity on April 25-26, 2024 at Midas Hotel, Roxas Boulevard, Manila. The target participants are nurses affiliated with the Department of Education.

See the attached Memorandum for more information.

Considering that this is an Advisory, Schools Division Superintendents are given the discretion to act on this matter.

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#### MEMORANDUM DM-OUHROD-2024-0189

TO

: Regional Directors

Schools Division Superintendents

All Others Concerned

FROM

WILFREDO E. CABRAL

Regional Director

Officer-in-Charge, Office of the Undersecretary Human Resource and Organizational Development

ATTY. REVSEE A. ESCOBEDO Undersecretary for Operations

SUBJECT

INVITATION TO THE 2ND NATIONAL CONVENTION AND GENERAL

ASSEMBLY

DATE

: 07 February 2024

The National Association of Public Health Nurses, Inc. (NAPHNI) will conduct the 2<sup>nd</sup> National Convention and General Assembly on April 25-26, 2024, in Manila at the Midas Hotel, Roxas Boulevard with the theme "Public Health Nurses Championing Social Determinants of Health Towards Achieving Health Equity".

This theme reflects the crucial role of public health nursing in addressing complex health challenges influenced by social determinants, aiming to foster health equity. Our convention will serve as an influential platform, highlighting the dynamic and transformative nature of public health nursing in our society.

Nurses affiliated with the Department of Education may opt to attend the said activity provided that their participation will not hamper the conduct of classes in schools. The use of DepEd funds shall be subject to the approval of their respective approving authorities. The same is also contingent upon its availability, and adherence to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

Please see attached communication from NAPHNI for further details. Should you have inquiries, kindly email the Secretariat at <a href="mailto:naphnurses@gmail.com">naphnurses@gmail.com</a> or call Ms. Erlinda Palaganas in this phone number +639175335341.

For information and dissemination.



NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF PUBLIC HEALTH NURSES INCOMPHN)

January 8, 2024

NAPHNI is a non-profit organization duly registered with the Securities & Exchange Commission and the Bureau of Internal Revenue.

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### HON. SARA Z. DUTERTE Vice President of the Philippines

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#### Dear Honorable Duterte,

Warm greetings of peace and joy from the National Association of Public Health Nurses, Inc. (NAPHNI).

We are delighted to inform you that NAPHNI, a professional organization comprising public health nurses from government and private healthcare facilities and agencies, will host our 2nd National Convention and General Assembly. This significant event, recognized by the PRC and PNA, is scheduled for April 25-26, 2024, in Manila at the Midas Hotel, Roxas Boulevard.

This year's convention theme is "Public Health Nurses Championing Social Determinants of Health Towards Achieving Health Equity."

This theme reflects the crucial role of public health nursing in addressing complex health challenges influenced by social determinants, aiming to foster health equity. Our convention will serve as an influential platform, highlighting the dynamic and transformative nature of public health nursing in our society.

We anticipate a robust gathering of professionals, scholars, and practitioners dedicated to exploring and navigating the evolving roles within public health nursing. The convention is not just an opportunity to delve into contemporary issues but also a moment to reflect on the historical roots of our profession and its ongoing adaptation to current societal needs. As agents of change, public health nurses are at the forefront of tackling these social determinants to reduce health disparities.

We aim to bring together our members from across the Philippines and extend our reach to potential participants nationwide. In line with this, we respectfully request that you allow nurses employed under DepEd to attend this important conference in an official business capacity. Their participation would be invaluable in fostering a collaborative approach towards achieving our shared goals in public health.



# NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF PUBLIC HEALTH NURSES INC. (NAPHN)

Thank you for considering our request. We look forward to your positive response and the opportunity to work together in championing the cause of public health nursing.

Should you have any questions, please contact us at naphnurses@gmail.com or this number:+639175335341 (Erlinda "Caster" Palaganas). Thank you so much, and we look forward to your favorable action on this request.

Respectfully yours,

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