



**DepEd Data as of 6 April 2020, 1700 PST**

Confirmed Cases: 9 (0 new)  
 Deaths\*: 2  
 Recovered\*\*:4  
 Active: 3  
 Reported PUI: 101  
 Reported PUM: 858

*\*Deaths reported are COVID-19 Positive*  
*\*\*Recovered persons have repeat test with negative results*

**Latest Issuances and Advisories\***

- **Memorandum OUF-2020-0013:** Deferment of the Release of Remittance on Loans for the the Payroll Month of April 2020 *(April 3, 2020)*
- **Advisory :** To all Private Lending Institutions Accredited with the Department's Automatic Payroll Deduction System (APDS) Program *(April 3, 2020)*

\*All COVID-19 related issuances, reports and advisories, including collaterals, can be accessed thru <https://www.deped.gov.ph/covid-19> and/or official DepEd social media pages.

**Actions Taken by DepEd Central Office**

- Continuous health monitoring of learners and personnel, and monitoring of school sites
- Coordination with the IATF and ExeCom Meetings for the Management of COVID-19
- Measures for continuous delivery of services implemented
- Alternative Delivery Mode of education provided through DepEd Commons and Open Educational Resources: <http://commons.deped.gov.ph>.
- Contact tracing of NFOT/NSPC participants through Division Offices
- #BayanihanPinoy in social media pages launched as support to frontliners
- Contingency measures for the next school year being planned and prepared
- Fostering Wellness, Solidarity, and Service Amidst COVID-19 posted to provide helpful links to care for self and others during the quarantine period\*
- DepEd Commons expands features for ALS Learners

**Reported Activities of Regional and Schools Division Offices**

- Continuous health monitoring of learners and personnel in coordination with the LGUs
- Disinfection of schools and offices
- Distribution of hygiene kits and vitamins
- Intensified information campaign vs COVID-19
- Distribution of PPEs and foodpacks to frontliners
- Volunteer health personnel, teaching and non-teaching staff serve as frontliners in some areas
- Fundraising activities conducted
- Occidental Mindoro launched Project 3Ps (Panalangin, Pagsuporta at Pasasalamat), AralanTahanan, Katuwang ay Magulang, Project Facemask Giveaway
- Division of Palawan personnel receives salaries and allowances early

**Issuances**

The Department of Education issues Policy Directives to provide, among others, measures for the prevention and control of the COVID-19 in Basic Education Schools and DepEd Offices; the formation/activation of DRRM Teams to combat the virus; and safety precautions and protocols and reporting templates. Prevention and control measures include placing travel limitations and restrictions and guidelines for DepEd activities.

Proclamation Number 922 Declaring a State of Public Health Emergency throughout the Philippines was signed 08 March 2020.

<b>Department Memoranda*</b>	<b>Highlights</b>
<b>OM-OSEC-2020-004:</b> Guidance to Regional Directors for Action on Requests by Local Government Units to use DepEd schools and engage DepEd Personnel in Activities related to COVID-19 <i>(Mar 30, 2020)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ DepEd teaching and nonteaching personnel may participate in activities under the supervision of the LGU, in a voluntary and personal capacity, subject to applicable laws and rules</li> </ul>
<b>OM OSEC 2020-002:</b> Guidance to Regional Directors for Action on Requests by Local Government Units to use DepEd Schools as Quarantine or Isolation Areas for COVID-19 <i>(Mar 26, 2020)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ delegates to the Regional Directors the responsibility to approve or deny requests by LGUs to use DepEd schools for activities related to the COVID-19 outbreak within their respective jurisdictions, based on evaluation of the request by the Schools Division Superintendent in consultation with the school heads</li> </ul>
<b>DM No. 43 s. 2020:</b> Guidelines on the Alternative Work Arrangements in the Department of Education in Light of the COVID-19 Stringent Social Distancing Measures (16 March 2020)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Provides the guidelines on work related gatherings and meetings and work arrangements in the Department of Education</li> <li>▪ Continuity of delivery of DepEd essential services and programs while observing stringent social distancing measures</li> <li>▪ Cancellation of all nonessential meetings and gatherings</li> </ul>
<b>DM No. 42 s. 2020:</b> Guidelines for the Remainder of the School Year in Light of COVID-19 Measures (15 March 2020)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Social Distancing Measures</li> <li>▪ Computation of grades</li> <li>▪ Implementing Guidelines on End of School Year Rites</li> </ul>
<b>DM No. 39 s. 2020:</b> Authorizing the use of Regular Allocations for MOOE and/or Local Funds to Implement Measures in Preparing and Responding to the COVID-19 Threats (12 March 2020)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Mobilizing of necessary resources through the prudent use of MOOE and/or local funds</li> </ul>
<b>DM No. 34 s. 2020:</b> Fifth Set of Policy Directives of the DepEd Task Force COVID-19 (9 March 2020)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Observance of heightened precautionary measures</li> <li>▪ Suspension of activities</li> <li>▪ Dissemination of information only coming from DOH and WHO</li> </ul>
<b>DM No. 31 s. 2020:</b> Fourth Set of Policy Directives of the DepEd Task Force COVID-19 (5 March 2020)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ official travel of personnel and learners within March to countries with confirmed cases are revoked</li> <li>▪ 14 days self-quarantine shall not be deducted from leave credits</li> </ul>



**Reported Cases per Region as of 6 April 2020, 1700H\* (Partial)**

	Region	Confirmed Case		PUI		PUM		Total
		Learner	Personnel	Learner	Personnel	Learner	Personnel	
1	CAR	0	0	5	2	5	5	17
2	NCR	0	3	0	3	1	3	10
3	Region I	1	0	0	1	37	19	58
4	Region II	1	0	1	1	12	76	91
5	Region III	0	1	3	8	24	44	80
6	Region IV-A	0	0	3	41	19	133	196
7	Region IV-B	0	1	0	1	5	2	9
8	Region V	0	0	0	0	29	44	73
9	Region VI	0	1	0	0	26	49	76
10	Region VII	0	0	1	1	1	6	9
11	Region VIII	0	0	0	15	2	51	68
12	Region IX	1	0	0	1	85	63	150
13	Region X	0	0	0	2	0	2	4
14	Region XI	0	0	2	0	1	32	35
15	Region XII	0	0	5	1	2	10	18
16	CARAGA	0	0	4	0	26	24	54
17	BARMM	0	0	0	0	9	11	20
	<b>Total</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>284</b>	<b>574</b>	<b>968</b>
	<b>Total Confirmed</b>	<b>9</b>						
	<b>Total PUI</b>			<b>101</b>				
	<b>Total PUM</b>					<b>858</b>		

*\*Based on DepEd Regional and Division Reports*

*Notes: Only 3/9 cases are active cases.*

*Recorded deaths were confirmed with COVID-19 after expiration.*

*Other case reported with pending official report.*