

Republic of the Philippines Province of Pangasinan MUNICIPALITY OF BAYAMBANG

OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL MAYOR

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 110

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AN ORDER INSTITUTIONALIZING THE DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT IN HEALTH (DRRM-H) SYSTEM OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT OF BAYAMBANG, PANGASINAN

WHEREAS, Section 15 of 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 expressly 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, the Department of Health (DOH) issued Administrative Order No. 2020-0036, dated August 4, 2020, providing for the guidelines on the institutionalization of Disaster Risk Reduction and Management in Health in Province-wide and City-wide Health Systems, to support the National Objective of Health (2017-2022) that advocates the development of resilient health systems in managing health risks brought about by natural, biological, technological, and social hazards;

WHEREAS, emergencies, disasters, and other crises may cause ill-health directly or through the disruption of health systems, facilities, and services, leaving many without proper access to health care in times of emergency such as when transmission of COVID-19 occurred in the communities;

WHEREAS, there is the need to institutionalize the Disaster Risk Reduction and Management in Health in order to build a resilient health system based on primary health care that can reduce underlying vulnerability, protect health facilities and services, and scale up the response to meet the wide-ranging health needs in disasters;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARY CLARE JUDITH PHYLLIS JOSE-QUIAMBAO, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law as the Local Chief Executive, do hereby institutionalize the Disaster Risk Reduction and Management in Health (DRRM-H) of the Local Government Unit of Bayambang, Pangasinan.

SECTION 1. ESTABLISHMENT OF DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT IN HEALTH (DRRM-H) UNIT. The Disaster Risk Reduction and Management in Health (DRRM-H) Unit is hereby created in order to effectively facilitate the institutionalization of DRRM-H system in the health procedures and policies of the Local Government Unit of Bayambang, Pangasinan.

"Baley ko, Pawilen ko, Aroen ko, tan Tulangan ko"





SECTION 2. DESIGNATION OF DRMM-H MANAGER AND DRRM-H ASSISTANT MANAGER and members of the DRRM-H Unit:

DRRM-H MANAGER : DR. ADRIENNE A. ESTRADA

Rural Health Physician, RHU II

DRRM-H ASSISTANT MANAGER : DR. ROLANDO M. AGBUYA JR.

Rural Health Physician, RHU III

MEMBERS : ALL NURSES OF RHUs I, II & III

ALL HEALTH WORKERS OF RHUs I, II & III

ALL BARANGAY HEALTH WORKERS

SECTION 3. FUNCTIONS. The functions of the DRRM-H Unit shall be:

1. Prevention, Mitigation and Preparedness which primarily focuses on:

- a. Dissemination and monitoring of adopted policies/standards based on National Guidelines or developed local policies, plans, programs for health emergency and disaster risk prevention/mitigation and preparedness.
- b. Conduct of capability building activities with the concerned government and private agencies.
- c. Coordination with the concerned government and private agencies.
- d. Activation of Municipal Health Emergency Response Team and the Municipal Health Emergency Operation Center, if necessary.
- 2. Response, Recovery and Rehabilitation which primarily focuses on:
 - a. Dissemination and monitoring of adopted policies/standards based on National Guidelines or developed local policies, plans, programs for health emergency and disaster response, recovery, and rehabilitation.
 - b. Delivery of essential health services and products in all phases of emergency/disaster through immediate mobilization of resources.
 - c. Management of health emergency and disaster information and facilitates the coordination of activities between partner agencies/organizations.
 - d. Provision of technical and financial support for recovery and rehabilitation.

3. Administration and Finance:

- a. Conduct of performance monitoring of the DRRM-H system to facilitate the managerial, technical, and financial integration.
- b. Establishment of accountability mechanisms.
- c. Management of budgetary allocation and support.
- d. Other support to DRRM-H System activities and operations.

- Preparation and submission of DRRM-H Plan to the Office of the Local Chief Executive for review and endorsement for the creation of appropriate Sangguniang Bayan Ordinance and/or Resolution.
- Conduct routine monitoring relative to the potential problem/threat or enhancement to improve the DRRM-H System.
- Conduct relevant and appropriate training to the Municipal Health Emergency Response Team (MHERT) and administrators of Municipal Health Emergency Operations Centers in coordination with the Municipal Disaster Risk Reduction and Management (MDRRMC).
- 7. Coordinate with other appropriate government agencies and /or private sectors for the effective implementation of DRRM-H System.
- 8. Submit relevant written recommendation and/or report to the Local Chief Executive.
- 9. Other duties and functions deemed as necessary.

SECTION 5. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE. If any provision of the Executive Order is declared invalid or unconstitutional, the other provisions not affected thereby shall remain valid and subsisting.

SECTION 6. REPEALING CLAUSE. All other orders, rules, regulations, and issuances, or parts thereof, which are inconsistent with this Order, are hereby repealed, amended or modified accordingly.

SECTION 7. EFFECTIVITY. This Executive Order shall take effect immediately and will continue until amended or revoked.

Let copies of this Order be furnished to all Offices and Departments for their information and guidance.

DONE in the Municipality of Bayambang Pangasinan, Philippines, this 21st of September 2023.

HON. MARY CLARE JUDITH PHYLLIS JOSE-QUIAMBAO

Municipal Mayor

