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MEMORANDUM

To : **ALL OFFICES AND ATTACHED AGENCIES**
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From : **Undersecretary for Planning and Project Development, and DOTr Task Force on Accessibility Head**

Subject : **CELEBRATION OF THE 17TH CEREBRAL PALSY AWARENESS AND PROTECTION (CPAP) WEEK**

Date : 11 September 2020

This refers to the celebration of the 17th CPAP Week that will be commemorated on 16 to 22 September, 2020, pursuant to Proclamation No. 588 (2004).

This year's CPAP Week celebration adopts the theme **"Ugnayan at Paglingap sa mga Taong May Cerebral sa COVID-19 Pandemic."** The coronavirus epidemic is causing widespread concern because it can be life-threatening to people at greater risk such as those with medical conditions including those with cerebral palsy. Medical and social interventions as well as economic relief must be readily available to them to minimize the risk of infection.

In this regard, each agency or office is encouraged to initiate fitting activities or participate in the celebration. Agencies may hang streamers to promote the celebration. The layout design can be downloaded here:

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1u2krdqlBhr7f_Q1TehcLsqt1HMI5_cK2/

Attached herewith is the list of activities prepared for the 17th CPAP Week, for your reference.

For your appropriate action.

RUBEN S. REINOSO, JR.

MALACAÑANG
Manila

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES

PROCLAMATION NO. 588

DECLARING THE PERIOD FROM SEPTEMBER 16 TO 22, 2004 AND EVERY YEAR THEREAFTER AS CEREBRAL PALSY AWARENESS AND PROTECTION WEEK

WHEREAS, the determination for the total development of the sector of persons with disabilities is a state policy enshrined in the 1987 Philippine Constitution and reaffirmed by various legislations, such as the Magna Carta for Disabled Persons (R.A. 7277), the Accessibility Law (B.P. 344) and other executive issuances;

WHEREAS, in dealing justly and in establishing a barrier-free environment for persons with disabilities nationwide, the government and its instrumentalities, both national and local, take cognizance of the "RIGHTS-BASED" principle as set forth in the Biwako Millennium Framework (BMF) for Actions Towards an Inclusive Barrier-Free and Rights-Based Society for Persons with Disabilities in Asia and the Pacific which was adopted on October 25-28, 2002 by the United Nations-Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (UN-ESCAP);

WHEREAS, in order for the Philippine government to conform with the regional mandate prescribed by the UN-ESCAP, Proclamation No. 240 dated August 21, 2002, was issued "Declaring the Period from Year 2003 to the Year 2012 as the Philippine Decade of Persons with Disabilities";

WHEREAS, the causes of disabilities can be prevented, and in cases when such disabilities exist, early detection and prompt and appropriate intervention can be performed by raising the state of awareness and concerns of the public;

WHEREAS, the active and meaningful participation of persons with disabilities in all levels of policy-making, planning, monitoring and evaluation are essential factors in equalization of the opportunities for persons with disabilities;

WHEREAS, by virtue of various executive issuances and proclamations focusing on particular disability groups like the White Cane Safety Day (August 1) for the visually impaired, the Down Syndrome Consciousness Month (February) for the down syndrome, the Deaf Awareness Week (The Third Week of

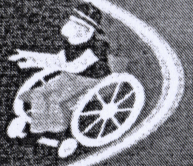
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joins the nation in celebrating the

17th Cerebral Palsy Awareness and Protection Week Celebration

September 16-22, 2020

Theme: Ugnayan, Malasakit at Paglingap sa mga Taong May Cerebral Palsy sa Panahon ng COVID-19 Pandemic



September 22 Tuesday	**Other Activities**	
9:00 AM – 12:00 Noon ▪ ***Webinar Lectures on Tertiary Education Subsidy for Persons with Disabilities: An Equity to Inclusive Education in Response to COVID-19*** Topic: **Tertiary Education Subsidy for Students with Disabilities: How COVID-19 Will Change Higher Education** Lead Agency: CHED-UNIFAST	(a) Hanging of CPAP Week streamers All members of the NWC (b) Text blasts on the celebration Lead Agency: PIA (c) Publicity and promotions thru the media Lead Agencies: PIA and NCDA (d) Issuance of Memoranda by CSC, DILG, DSWD, DFA, DPWH, DENR, DepEd, etc. Lead Agency: NCDA	
For more information and details on the celebration, please feel free to get in touch with the Secretariat thru the following contact details: Mobile Phone Nos.: 0921-7554905 (Rizalio Sanchez) and 0939-6216217 (Jaime Marino); Tel. Nos.: 8951-5013 and 8932-6422 local 111; and email address iecdncda@gmail.com.		

September 21 9:00 AM – 12:00 NN	*Webinar on Employment and Livelihood Program for Cerebral Palsy*	Register in advance for this webinar: https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_1ujRyboBSqy4r0NeP6YRkw	NCDA, CPAP, DOLE & DTI
September 21 1:30 PM – 3:30 PM	**Online Training on Urban Gardening for Persons with Cerebral Palsy*	Register in advance for this webinar: https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_C8CChszvStCkOlYzGESKtg	NCDA, CPAP & DA-ATI
September 22 9:00 AM – 12:00 NN	**Webinar Lectures on Tertiary Education Subsidy for Persons with Disabilities: An Equity to Inclusive Education in Response to COVID-19*	Register in advance for this webinar: https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_9s6FkL48T_iXBcfiBhvMlA	NCDA, CPAP & CHED-UniFAST

Should you need further information on the matter, please feel free to contact our staff in-charge, Mr. Rizalio R. Sanchez, Mr. Jayme J. Mariño, and/or Ms. Jemellee Aguilar through Mobile Phone Nos. 0921-7554905, 0939-6216217 and 0995-4871307, respectively.

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