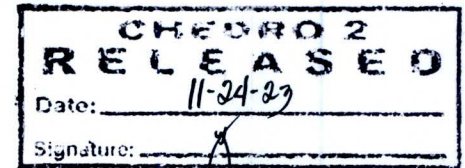




COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION

## REGIONAL OFFICE II



**REGIONAL MEMORANDUM ORDER**  
**No. 360, series of 2023**

**FOR :** ALL PRESIDENTS/OFFICERS-IN-CHARGE/HEADS OF PUBLIC AND PRIVATE HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS (HEIs) IN REGION 2

**SUBJECT :** NOTICE OF POSTPONEMENT OF THE ACTIVITY ENTITLED 2023 DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION AND CONTROL (DAPC) MONTH WITH THE THEME: "SAVER: STRENGTHENING ANTI-DRUG ADVOCACY, VALUES EMPOWERMENT AND RESILIENCY FOR HEIS IN REGION 2"

**DATE :** NOVEMBER 24 2023

Attached is the communication from **MR. MARLON JAY B. BAYSA**, President, Regional Association of Practitioners of Student Affairs and Services (RAPSAS) and **DR. JENNIFER O. SERRANO**, President, Proactive Education and Capacity Building in Higher Education (PREACHER 02), regarding the activity entitled "**2023 Drug Abuse Prevention and Control (DAPC) Month with the theme: "SAVER: Strengthening Anti-Drug Advocacy, Values Empowerment and Resiliency for HEIs in Region 2"**". The said activity is postponed until further notice due to the constraint in the preparation and securing of the necessary documents for the student participants to attend the said activity.

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**ATTY. MARCO CICERO F. DOMINGO**

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RGC, Carig, Tuguegarao City

Greetings in the name of service!

Please be informed that following a consultation meeting via Zoom with the Regional Association of Practitioners of Student Affairs and Services Region II (RAPSAS R2) and the officers and members of the Preventive Education and Capacity Building in Higher Education Region 2 (PrEACHER-02), it was convened that the upcoming symposium entitled 2023 Drug Abuse Prevention and Control Month with the theme: **"SAVER: Strengthening Anti-Drug Advocacy Values Empowerment and Resiliency for Higher Education Institutions in Region 2"**, originally scheduled on November 30-December 1, 2023 at Lower Magat Eco-Tourism, Diadi is postponed for the following reasons:

- To allocate more time for the preparation of the event's logistics;
- To give more time for HEIs in raising sufficient budget necessary for the participants and for this activity and;
- To give more time for HEIs in processing necessary documents in attending the said activity.

Anent this, we respectfully inform you that the said symposium will be re-scheduled until further notice.

Thank you and God bless!

**MARLON JAY B. BAYSA**  
President, RAPSAS R2

**JENNIFER O. SERRANO, Ph.D**  
President, PrEACHER R2

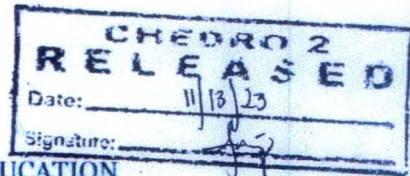




COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION

## REGIONAL OFFICE II

**REGIONAL MEMORANDUM ORDER**  
**No. 345, series of 2023**



**FOR :** ALL PRESIDENTS/OFFICERS-IN-CHARGE/HEADS OF PUBLIC AND PRIVATE HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS (HEIs) IN REGION 2

**SUBJECT :** PARTICIPATION TO THE ACTIVITY IN CELEBRATION OF THE 2023 DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION AND CONTROL (DAPC) MONTH WITH THE THEME, "SAVER: STRENGTHENING ANTI-DRUG ADVOCACY, VALUES EMPOWERMENT AND RESILIENCY FOR HEIs IN REGION 2"

**DATE :** NOVEMBER 10, 2023

In accordance with the pertinent provisions of Republic Act (R.A.) No. 7722 otherwise known as the "Higher Education Act of 1994" and in compliance to the Executive Order (EO) No. 66, s. 2018 - Institutionalizing the Implementation of the Philippine Anti-Illegal Drugs Strategy (PADS), the Commission on Higher Education Regional Office 2 through its program Preventive Education and Capacity Building in Higher Education (PrEaCH) Against Illegal Drugs in collaboration with Saint Mary's University, Bayombong, Nueva Vizcaya and the PREACHER02 & RAPSAS02 Organizations, will be conducting an activity in celebration of the **2023 Drug Abuse Prevention and Control (DAPC) Month** with the theme: **"SAVER: Strengthening Anti-Drug Advocacy, Values Empowerment and Resiliency for Higher Education Institutions (HEIs) in Region 2"** on November 30 to December 1, 2023 at the Lower Magat Eco-Tourism Park, Diadi, Nueva Vizcaya.

The said celebration will focus on training-workshop on the identified intervention activities of Beneficial Activities Leading to Awareness and Knowledge Against Illegal Drugs (BALAKAD), induction of the new set of officers of the PREACHER02 and RAPSAS02, and leadership training and mental health awareness for student leaders with the following specific objectives:

1. Ensure uniform implementation of the identified intervention activities of the BALAKAD program among HEIs in Region 2
2. Develop participants' advocacy skills to effectively communicate anti-drug messages and influence positive behavioral change through leadership training and team building.
3. Challenge and reduce the stigma associated with mental health conditions, fostering an environment of empathy and understanding.
4. Cultivate a positive and supportive team culture that values inclusivity, respect, and a shared sense of purpose in the pursuit of anti-drug advocacies and mental health awareness.

All Public and Private Higher Education Institutions are enjoined to send one (1) Registered Guidance Counselor and one (1) student leader to be accompanied by their respective Dean/Directors/Coordinator of Student Affairs and Services. The officers of the PREACHER02 and the RAPSAS Region 2 shall automatically represent their respective institution.

Advocacy materials will be provided during the activity. However, the transportation, food and accommodation expenses shall be charged against the local funds of the participating HEIs. Officials and employees of SUCs who will participate in this activity should obtain prior approval from the President/Head of their respective institutions. Proper use of government funds in accordance with the Department of Budget and Management (DBM) National Budget Circular No.563 of 2016 and Budget Circular No. 2017-5 is enjoined.

Attached is the provisional program for reference

For inquiries, you may contact **Dr. John Edwin Mania**, Vice President, PREACHER02 through mobile number at **0928-945-0699** or **Ms. Adeline M. De Guzman**, Secretary, PREACHER02 through mobile number at **0997-353-2815**.

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# PROGRAM

## DAY 1: NOVEMBER 30, 2023

Arrival

8:00AM-9:00AM

Registration

9:00AM-10:00AM

### **OPENING PROGRAM**

10:00AM-11:00AM

Opening Prayer AVP

National Anthem

Welcome remarks

Statement of purpose

Presentation of delegates

Introduction of the keynote speaker

Keynote Address

### **SNACKS**

11:15-11:30

RAPSAS and PREACHER

Video Presentation

Presentation of the officers

Oath taking

Awarding of certificate for the  
keynote speaker

### **LUNCH**

12:00PM-1:00PM

Program flow and House Rules

1:00PM-1:15PM

FIRST PLENARY SESSION

1:15PM-2:15PM

Anti-Drug Prevention

### **SECOND PLENARY SESSION**

2:15-2:45

Mental Health, Wellness, Values  
Empowerment and PFA

### **OPEN FORUM**

2:45-3:00

**MS. ADELIN DE GUZMAN**  
**MS. BERNADETTE CUTARAN**  
**DR. LORRAINE TATTAO**

### **Audio Visual Presentation**

**MR. MARLON JAY B. BAYSA**  
**MS. CRISTEL FRONDA**  
**MR. BONIFACIO DE GUZMAN**  
**MR. SAMUEL B. DAMAYON**  
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*Moderator*

Dance against drug abuse  
3:00-3:15

### **SNACKS**

3:15-3:30

GROUPINGS

3:30-4:30

### **GROUP PREPARATION**

4:30-6:00

### **DINNER**

6:00-7:00

### **GROUP PRESENTATION**

7:00AM-9:00AM

- Jingle
- Advocacy through Creative presentation
- Games, Unity walk, Signing of Manifesto

### **LIGHTS OFF**

9:00PM

**MS. APOL JOY D. CAGAYAN**  
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**MS. REMEDIOS LAMORENA**

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**DR. JENNIFER SERRANO**  
**DR. JOHN EDWIN MANIA**

## DAY 2: DECEMBER 1, 2023

ZUMBA  
6:00-6:30

### **ASSEMBLY TIME**

7:00-7:30

### **TEAM BUILDING ACTIVITIES ON LEADERSHIP AND MENTAL HEALTH**

7:30-12:00

### **LUNCH**

12:00PM-1:00PM

**SYNTHESIS** (*Feed backing, Giving of hearts*)

1:00-2:00

### **SNACKS**

2:15-2:30

### **CLOSING PROGRAM & AWARDING CERTIFICATES**

2:30-3:30

### **HOME SWEET HOME**

3:30 PM

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