



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION VI – WESTERN VISAYAS
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF AKLAN

July 28, 2025

DIVISION MEMORANDUM

No. 374, s. 2025

**SUBMISSION OF REPORTED CASES OF HAND, FOOT, AND MOUTH DISEASE
(HFMD)**

- To: OIC, Office of the Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Chief Education Supervisors
Education Program Supervisors
Senior/Education Program Specialist
Public Schools District Supervisors
Principals/Head Teacher-In-Charge of the District
Heads of Public Elementary, Secondary, and Integrated Schools
All Others Concerned
1. Please find attached Regional Memorandum No. 657 s. 2025 dated July 17, 2025, regarding the **SUBMISSION OF REPORTED CASES OF HAND, FOOT, AND MOUTH DISEASE (HFMD)**, which is self-explanatory.
 2. Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum are desired.


FELICIANO C. BUENAFE JR., CESO VI
Schools Division Superintendent

Encl.: As stated
Reference: As stated
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(HFMD)**

To: Schools Division Superintendents
All Others Concerned

1. Attached is Memorandum OM-OASOPS-2025-07-974 from **Dr. Dexter A. Galban**, Assistant Secretary for Operations, dated July 14, 2025 regarding the **Submission of Reported Cases of Hand, Foot, and Mouth Disease (HFMD)**.
2. Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum are desired.


CRISTITO A. ECO, CESO III
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Officer-in-Charge
Office of the Regional Director

Enclosure: As Stated
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FOR : REGIONAL DIRECTORS
SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS
PRINCIPALS/SCHOOL HEADS/TEACHERS-IN-CHARGE
CONCERNED
ALL OTHER CONCERNED

FROM : DR. DEXTER A. GALBAN
Assistant Secretary for Operations

SUBJECT : SUBMISSION OF REPORTED CASES OF HAND, FOOT, AND
MOUTH DISEASE (HFMD)

DATE : July 14, 2025

In light of recent health advisories and the potential increase in the incidence of **Hand, Foot, and Mouth Disease (HFMD)** in various parts of the country, this Office is calling for the immediate submission of reported HFMD cases, if any, from schools within your jurisdiction.

HFMD is a viral illness commonly affecting young children, characterized by fever, sore throat, and rashes or sores on the hands, feet, and mouth. It is highly contagious and can spread rapidly in school and community settings if not managed appropriately.

In this regard, all Schools Division Offices (SDOs) are requested to coordinate with school heads, school health personnel, and local health authorities to:

1. **Monitor and validate** any suspected or confirmed HFMD cases in schools.
2. **Submit a report** indicating the number of cases (if any), name of affected schools, age group affected, date of onset, actions taken, and coordination with local health units.

The initial submission is requested on or before **July 18, 2025**, with **weekly updates every Friday thereafter** until further notice. For schools or divisions with **no reported cases**, a **"No Case"** report must still be submitted to ensure completeness of monitoring.

For inquiries, you may contact the Bureau of Learner Support Services-School Health Division (BLSS-SHD), via email at blss.shd@deped.gov.ph.

Your cooperation in ensuring the health and safety of our learners and personnel is highly appreciated.



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