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RNC-NCR RESOLUTION NO. 04 Series of 2020

RESOLUTION ENJOINING ALL LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS IN NCR TO USE THE EARLY CHILDHOOD CARE AND DEVELOPMENT (ECCD) FIRST 1000 DAYS (F1K) REPORTING SYSTEM

WHEREAS, the First 1000 Days is the period of pregnancy (270 days) which starts from conception followed by the first two years of life (730 days);

WHEREAS, the First 1000 Days is the period during which key health, nutrition, early education and related services should be delivered to ensure the optimum physical and mental development of the child. This is also the period during which poor nutrition can have irreversible effects on the physical and mental development of the child, consequences of which are felt way into adulthood.¹

WHEREAS, one of the strategic thrusts of the Philippine Plan of Action for Nutrition (PPAN) 2017-2022 which is the country's framework for nutrition improvement is the First 1000 Days as a key strategy in preventing all forms of malnutrition particularly wasting and stunting among children under-five;

WHEREAS, the Early Childhood Care and Development in the First 1000 Days (ECCD F1K) Program is one of the current initiatives of the government to ensure the timely provision of essential package of health, nutrition, early learning, social services, and family support programs is necessary to optimize the development of the child from conception up to two (2) years old;



WHEREAS, the overall goal of the ECCD F1K program is the full development of the child through integrated services of health, nutrition, early education, and social services for improved quality of the country's human resource base as a contribution to reduce poverty;

WHEREAS, in support of the program, the National Nutrition Council (NNC) developed an electronic reporting system or the tracking tool to process real-time accomplishments of the ECCD F1K program;

¹ Philippine Plan of Action for Nutrition (PPAN), 2017-2022



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WHEREAS, the intended users of the ECCD F1K e-reporting system are the following:

- a. Barangay: Barangay Health Worker and/or Barangay Nutrition Scholar and Midwife or Human Resources for Health (HRH) deployed professionals
- b. City/Municipal: City/Municipal Nutrition Program Coordinator and City/Municipal Nutrition Action Officer
- c. Region: NNC Regional Office Staff
- d. NNC NNC Central Office Staff and Financial Management Division Staff

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, by the Regional Nutrition Committee of the National Capital Region in a meeting duly assembled, enjoins all local government units (LGUs) in the National Capital Region to use the ECCD F1K Electronic Reporting System to track the progress of their respective F1K program implementation;

RESOLVED FURTHER, that the LGUs to:

- 1. Provide/allocate fund for the conduct of training of BNSs/BHWs, BNAOs (Barangay) and Nutrition Program Coordinators and Nutrition Action Officers (City/Municipal) on the use of the ECCD F1K Electronic Reporting System.
- 2. Ensure that PC or laptops with the following specifications are available to be used for the reporting system:
 - Processor: Intel Core i3 or higher with 4GB memory
 - Operating System: Windows 7 (64-bit) or higher version
 - Web Browser: Google Chrome 60 or higher version/Mozilla Firefox 56 or higher version/ Safari 7 or higher
 - Other software: Acrobat Reader, MS Office 2016 or higher
 - For mobile or tablet: Any android or apple phones with screen preferably 768 x 1024 screen resolution
- 3. Ensure that internet connection is available both at the barangay and city/municipal to be able to maximize the use of the system.
- 4. Use the reports that will be generated by the system in monitoring the progress of the F1K program implementation and utilize these reports in formulating local nutrition action plan (LNAP).



RESOLVED FURTHER, that the NNC-NCR Regional Office being the Secretariat to:

- 1. coordinate and monitor the implementation of this resolution; and
- 2. report the status of implementation to the RNC



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RESOLVED FURTHER, that the NNC-NCR Regional Office being the Secretariat of the RNC to furnish the NNC Central Office, all regional members of the RNC and all local government units in the region a copy of this resolution.

APPROVED UNANIMOUSLY AND ADOPTED, this 21st of May 2020 during the virtual meeting of the Regional Nutrition Committee via zoom.

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