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KAGAWARAN NG KALUSUGAN
PAMBANSANG SANGGUNIAN SA NUTRISYON
(NATIONAL NUTRITION COUNCIL)
Cordillera Administrative Region
Dairy Farm Compound, Sto. Tomas Road, Baguio City



RNC Resolution No. 01
Series 2016

**RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING ALL LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS TO DESIGNATE THEIR
BARANGAY NUTRITION SCHOLARS/BARANGAY HEALTH WORKERS TO
COLLECT DATA ON THE NUMBERS OF PREGNANT AND LACTATING
MOTHERS, UNDERFIVE CHILDREN IN THE EVACUATION CENTERS
DURING DISASTERS AND SUBMIT TO HEMS REGION IF
EVACUEES STAY FOR THREE OR MORE DAYS**

WHEREAS, disasters and emergencies due to both natural and man-made causes occur almost every year causing damages to lives and properties;

WHEREAS, disasters and emergencies can cause the deterioration of nutritional status especially among the affected population;

WHEREAS, the breakdown of population affected according to age groups are not currently included in the reports that are submitted to the region:

WHEREAS, information on the affected target vulnerable groups such as pregnant and lactating women and children are critical inputs in the provision of health and nutrition services in disaster affected areas;

WHEREAS, the HEARS (Health and Emergency Alert Reporting System) is the main tool used by the RESU (Regional Epidemiological Surveillance System)-HEMS in capturing information for the health quad cluster;

NOW THEREFORE, on motion duly seconded, BE IT:

RESOLVED that the RNC encourage all Local Government Units to designate their Barangay Nutrition Scholars/Barangay Health Workers or other community volunteers to collect data on the numbers of pregnant and lactating mothers and underfive children in the evacuation centers during disasters and submit to the data to the HEMS-Region if evacuees stay for three or more days;

RESOLVED FURTHER that the Rural Health Unit submit the following data to the DOH regional Office as rider of the HEARS if the evacuees stay in the evacuation center for more than three days:

- No. of pregnant and lactating mothers
- No. of 0-6 months children
- No. of 7-23 months children
- No. of 24-59 months children

RESOLVED FINALLY that this resolution be disseminated to all LGUs and members of the RNC for their information and implementation.

Approved this 10th day of December 2015 in Baguio City Philippines.

Certified true and correct:



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