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14th NATIONAL DENTAL HEALTH MONTH CELEBRATION

To: All School Health Personnel
This division

- 1. In consonance with presidential Proclamation No. 559 dated February 24, 2004, the Department of Education Region X will celebrate the 14th National Dental Health Month this February 2018 with the theme "Ngiting Inaruga Mula sa Pagkabata, Malusog na Ngiti Baon sa Pagtanda."
- 2. The month long celebration aims to create awareness of the primary role of the schools to promote oral health that affect the general health and well-being towards improving academic performance and reducing absenteeism of the learners. All schools are encouraged to conduct related activities anchored on this year's theme on the importance of oral health among pupils and students.
- 3. In this connection, all school health personnel especially the dentists are encouraged to lead the conduct of the aforementioned activities.
- 4. Reports on accomplishments must be submitted to the Education Support Services Division(ESSD), DepEd Regional Office X on or before March 8, 2018.
- 5. For information and compliance.

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