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Division Memorandum  
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**DISSEMINATION OF INFORMATION ON STI, HIV AND AIDS  
DURING THE WORLD TEACHER'S DAY CELEBRATION**

To: PS District Supervisors / District In Charge  
Secondary School Principals  
Health and Nutrition Personnel

1. Reports from Department of Health ( DOH) and Philippines National Aids Council ( PNAC) national statistics stated that cases of AIDS ~~has~~ been persistently rising and it is spreading like wildfire. To date, the Philippines has already reported 14,474 cases of HIV positive and if we will not do anything, this shall reach 35,000 cases by 2015.
2. In line with the celebration of the upcoming World Teacher's Day Celebration on October 4, 2013, the field is hereby informed that Sexually Transmitted Infection, HIV and AIDS be discussed to shed light and its importance since the teachers deserved to be educated and have knowledge of this matter so that they may be able also to relay the information to the students .
3. It is therefore requested that school nurses shall take the lead in the proper dissemination of this information.
4. It is likewise requested that reports and documentation be submitted to this office C/o Dr. Ma. Fe B. Sarita, Medical Officer III , after the activity shall have been done.
5. For your information and guidance.

  
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Schools Division Superintendent