

August 11, 2016

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то	:	Public Schools District Supervisors of SPED Centers SPED Designated Principals/ Teachers (Elem. & Secondary)
		All Others Concerned

- 1. Attached is the Regional Memorandum dated August 9, 2016 re: Primary Eye Care Program of the Resources of the Blind, INC. on September 2016..
- 2. For mare information, please refer to the attached communication of the RBI Coordinator, MR. Ryan Operario .
- 3. For your information and guidance.

OIC, Schools Division Superintendent

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REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION NEGROS ISLAND REGION



MEMORANDUM

TO

: SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS

ASSISTANT SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS

DIVISION SPED COORDINATORS SCHOOL HEADS OF SPED CENTERS

FROM

GIREBA SADSAD

Director III

OIC-Regional Director

SUBJECT

: PRIMARY EYE CARE PROGRAM OF THE RESOURCES OF THE BLIND, INC

DATE

: August 9, 2016

- 1. Attached is a communication from Joy C. Fedelis, Officer In-Charge, Resources for the Blind, Inc. (RBI) Cebu Branch, informing the region of their implementation of the Second Phase of the Primary Eye Care Program.
- 2. The organization will be conducting an eye screening to students with visual Impairments in Special Education (SPED) centers/classes on September 2016.
- 3. Division Offices are hereby requested to accommodate the RBI Coordinator, Mr. Ryan Operario and his team in your respective SPED Centers.
- 4. For details, please refer to the attached communication.
- 5. For information and widest dissemination.



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August 5, 2016

DR. GILBERT T. SADSAD
Regional Director
Negros Island Region
Dumaguete City

Dear Dr. Sadsad:

Greetings from Resources for the Blind, Inc.

In our goal of helping children with visual impairment reach their full potential, we are confronted with the challenge of providing sustainable eye care services, particularly to children with low vision enrolled in different Special Education Centers/Classes. These eye care services include regular clinical visual assessments, eye surgery and rehabilitation among others. For this reason, we will be implementing the second phase of our "Primary Eye Care" program which aims to link children with visual impairment to clinicians such as ophthalmologists, optometrists and therapists for immediate and appropriate medical attention.

As an integral part of this program, our office plans to hold eye screening specifically to the identified Special Education centers/classes in the region. Hence, we would like to ask permission from your good office to allow our coordinator, Mr. Ryan Operario and the team to visit these schools and conduct the activity. He will also coordinate with the schools' respective administrators and SPED teachers for the schedule of visit.

Your positive response to this request is highly regarded. Thank you very much.

Sincerely yours,

JOY C. FEDELIS OIC. RBI-Cebu Branch