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DIVISION MEMORANDUM  
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**INVITATION TO THE ONLINE TEACHER ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM (OTEP) 2022**

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent  
Chief Education Supervisor, School Governance and Operations Division  
Chief Education Supervisor, Curriculum Implementation Division  
Education Program Supervisors  
Public Schools District Supervisors  
All School Heads  
All Others Concerned

1. Attached is letter invitation from Carolyn C. Ui, President, Link Center for the Deaf relative to its conduct of a series of seminars, free of charge, on various platforms such as in-person, online, and hybrid.
2. The objective of the seminar is to equip teachers with theoretical knowledge and practical skills to support students with diverse learning needs.
3. Attendance to the said activity is on personal time and subject to the policy on "No Disruption of Classes" per DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 titled: Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith.
4. All other details of the said activity are in the enclosures.
5. In joining the different DepEd programs, projects and other related activities, the Equal Opportunities Principle (EOP) and strict safety and health protocols shall be observed at all times.
6. Immediate dissemination of this memorandum is desired.

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**DEE D. SILVA, DPA, CESO V**  
Schools Division Superintendent

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July 18, 2022

**DEE D. SILVA, DPA, CESO V**  
 Schools Division Superintendent  
 Division of Davao del Norte  
 Department of Education

Dear **Dr. Silva**,

Greetings!

We are pleased to inform you that LINK Center for the Deaf Inc., in partnership with Misereor and Miriam College Growth Upgrading and Resource Office (MC GURO), is offering schools in your division the chance to participate in the Online Teacher Enhancement Program (OTEP) 2022: “Sustaining Inclusive Education in the Now Normal” Webinar Series.

As the Philippine education system shifts to a new landscape due to the COVID-19 pandemic, Public school teachers, both special education and general education will need continuous professional support and training to narrow the gaps for learners who are deaf in adjusting to the new learning modalities under the now normal and to remove the communication barriers faced by the students in the Inclusive Education classroom set up. To complement these efforts, LINK Center for the Deaf Inc. is offering a series of webinars, free of charge, to equip teachers with theoretical knowledge and practical skills to support students with diverse learning needs on various platforms such as in-person, online, and hybrid. The program also aims to help equip teachers, particularly general education teachers receiving learners with difficulties (LWDs) with knowledge and competencies in managing an inclusive classroom and providing effective instruction for LWDs.

The implementation of the Online Teacher Enhancement Program (OTEP) 2022 will be done in 3 parts. Part 2 of OTEP 2022 will focus on topics about Inclusive and Special Education.

Please refer to the table below for the schedule:

<b>LINK Center for the Deaf</b> <b>Online Teacher Enhancement Program (OTEP) 2022:</b> <b>“Sustaining Inclusive Education in the Now Normal”</b> <b>Part II</b>		
<b>DATES:</b>	<b>TOPICS and WEBINAR TITLES</b>	<b>WEBINAR/TRAINING OBJECTIVES:</b>
<b>July 23, 2022</b> <b>(Saturday)</b> (10:00 AM to 12:00 PM)	<b>Webinar 1:</b> <b>Topic:</b> Inclusive Education <b>Title:</b> “Inclusive Education in the K-12 Basic Education” <b>Resource Speaker:</b> Dr. Yolanda S. Quijano Chief of Party GABAY - RBI Project Former Undersecretary for Programs and Project, DepEd	At the end of the webinar, the participants will be able to: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Enumerate the key features of Inclusive Education</li> <li>2. Discuss the provision of educational programs and services for LWDs in the K-12 Basic Education</li> </ol>
<b>July 30, 2022</b> <b>(Saturday)</b> (10:00 AM to 12:00 PM)	<b>Webinar 2:</b> <b>Topic:</b> Learners with Disabilities (LWDs) <b>Title:</b> “Knowing Learners with Disabilities (LWDs)” <b>Resource Speaker:</b> Dr. Marie Therese A.P. Bustos Professor, Special Education UP Diliman, College of Education	At the end of the webinar, the participants will be able to: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Identify the different types of learning difficulties and learning styles</li> <li>2. Accomplish a Student Profile to support in designing and implementing effective instruction for LWDs in an inclusive classroom</li> </ol>
<b>August 6, 2022</b> <b>(Saturday)</b> (10:00 AM to 12:00 PM) Open to SPED Teachers	<b>Webinar 3:</b> <b>Topic:</b> The Learning Environment <b>Title:</b> “Accommodations and Modifications for LWDs in an inclusive classroom” <b>Resource Speaker:</b> Dr. Yolanda S. Quijano	At the end of the webinar, the participants will be able to: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Identify the different types of accommodations and modifications to support LWDs in an inclusive classroom</li> </ol>



	Chief of Party GABAY - RBI Project Former Undersecretary for Programs and Project, DepEd	2. Apply the different types of accommodations and modifications in planning for learning activities and designing the learning environment in an inclusive classroom
<b>August 13, 2022</b> <b>(Saturday)</b> (10:00 AM to 12:00 PM) Open to SPED Teachers	<b>Webinar 4:</b> <b>Topic:</b> Instructional Methods in an Inclusive Classroom <b>Title:</b> "Instructional Methods in an Inclusive Classroom" <b>Resource Speaker:</b> TBA	At the end of the webinar, the participants will be able to:  1. Discuss different instructional methods that support LWDs in an inclusive classroom 2. Apply multiple instructional methods in lesson planning
<b>August 20, 2022</b> <b>(Saturday)</b> (10:00 AM to 12:00 PM) Open to SPED Teachers	<b>Webinar 5:</b> <b>Topic:</b> Instructional Approaches for Inclusive Education <b>Title:</b> "The Universal Design for Learning (UDL): Engaging All Learners in an Inclusive Classroom" <b>Resource Speaker:</b> Dr. Greg T. Pawilen Director of the UPLB OIDHE	At the end of the webinar, the participants will be able to:  1. Enumerate the key Features of UDL 2. Discuss the UDL guidelines
<b>August 27, 2022</b> <b>(Saturday)</b> (10:00 AM to 12:00 PM) Open to SPED Teachers	<b>Webinar 6:</b> <b>Topic:</b> Action Plan <b>Title:</b> "Utilizing UDL Guidelines in preparing the Learning environment for LWDs" <b>Resource Speaker:</b> Dr. Greg T. Pawilen Director of the UPLB OIDHE	At the end of the webinar, the participants will be able to:  1. Use UDL Guidelines to plan for lessons or activities for LWDs in the classroom 2. Present the action plan for feedback and discussion

We would like to invite **Regular (Receiving teachers of students who are deaf or with other disabilities) and Special Education Teachers** in Public Schools for S.Y. 2022-2023 to join the Online Teacher Enhancement Program 2022 (OTEP) Part II Webinar Series.

Interested teachers may register for the upcoming webinars through these links:


Webinar 1: <https://tinyurl.com/OTEP2022PART2WEB1>  
 Webinar 2: <https://tinyurl.com/OTEP2022PART2WEB2>  
 Webinar 3: <https://tinyurl.com/OTEP2022PART2WEB3>  
 Webinar 4: <https://tinyurl.com/OTEP2022PART2WEB4>  
 Webinar 5: <https://tinyurl.com/OTEP2022PART2WEB5>  
 Webinar 6: <https://tinyurl.com/OTEP2022PART2WEB6>

Since there are limited slots available, please refer below for the deadline of registration for each webinar:

Webinar 1: July 20, 2022 (Wednesday) at 1:00 PM  
 Webinar 2: July 27, 2022 (Wednesday) at 1:00 PM  
 Webinar 3: August 3, 2022 (Wednesday) at 1:00 PM  
 Webinar 4: August 10, 2022 (Wednesday) at 1:00 PM  
 Webinar 5: August 17, 2022 (Wednesday) at 1:00 PM  
 Webinar 6: August 24, 2022 (Wednesday) at 1:00 PM

If you have questions or concerns, you can also e-mail us at [linkdeaf.otep2022@gmail.com](mailto:linkdeaf.otep2022@gmail.com) or at [linkdeaf@yahoo.com](mailto:linkdeaf@yahoo.com) cc:gfc.abuel@gmail.com or you can simply message us on our Facebook account, Link Lcd.

Yours Truly,

  
**CAROLYN C. UI**  
 President