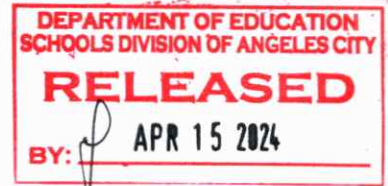




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April 15, 2024

In compliance with DepEd Order (DO) No. 8, 2013,
This advisory is issued not for endorsement per DO No. 28, s. 2001,
but only for the information of DepEd Officials, personnel/staff, as well as
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10TH SPECIAL EDUCATION CONFERENCE

Please be informed that the Children and Youth Wellness, Technical and Advocacy Center (CYWTAC), Inc., a DSWD-Accredited and licensed Social Welfare Agency based in Legazpi City, and the first institution to organize the country's first Special Education Conference (SPED Con), will be hosting the 10th SPED Conference to be held at Diversion 21 Hotel, Diversion Road, Mandurriao, Iloilo City on August 1-3, 2024.

The theme for this year's conference will be "**Moving Forward towards Inclusive Governance and School-Community Collaborative Practices.**" The sub-themes are the following:

- "A Walk-Through Inclusive Governance"
- "School-Community Collaboration Practices"
- "Global Innovations in Special Education"
- "Sensory-Therapeutic Activities for Children with Special Needs"

Attached is the letter of invitation.

For your information and guidance

Encl.: As stated
ACY/CID-CES/April 15, 2024

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Dear Sir/Madam:

Greeting from CYWTAC-Legazpi!

The Children and Youth Wellness, Technical and Advocacy Center (CYWTAC), Inc., a DSWD-Accredited and licensed Social Welfare Agency based in Legazpi City, and the first institution to organize the country's first SPECIAL EDUCATION CONFERENCE (SPEDCon), will be hosting the **10th SPED Conference** to be held in City of Iloilo on August 01-03, 2024 specifically at Diversion 21 Hotel, Diversion Road, Mandurriao, Iloilo City.

The theme for this year's conference will be **"Moving Forward towards Inclusive Governance and School-Community Collaborative Practices"**. The sub-themes are the following:

- I. "A Walk-Through Inclusive Governance"
- II. "School-Community Collaboration Practices"
- III. "Global Innovations in Special Education"
- IV. "Sensory-Therapeutic Activities for Children with Special Needs"

This conference will serve as a dynamic forum for knowledge exchange, uniting educators, researchers, policymakers, and advocates on inclusion and special education innovations. This conference will be an effective platform dedicated to fostering collaborative discussions on challenges, the sharing of best practices, and the presentation of innovative solutions within the realm of special education. Through these meaningful conversations, participants will have the opportunity to broaden their horizons, question established conventions, and refine their educational approaches.

We are also inviting **PRESENTATION OF BEST PRACTICES/PROGRAM** from our participants who wish to showcase their programs and practices. Special registration discounts and a special plaque of appreciation will be given to chosen presentations. To be a presenter, submit a 1,500-word write-up about your program or best practice with your name, contact details and institution at cywtac_legazpi@yahoo.com.ph. Acceptance letter will be sent to chosen presenter.

A special **Plaque of Recognition** will be given to **most impactful practise or program** that will be chosen by the participants via votation during the conference.

In this connection, may we invite you and your team to grace this get-together of SPED CHAMPIONS. Registration Fee to the conference are as follows:

Participants: P4,500.00 (If paid from March to July 2024); P5,000 (if paid onsite)

Best Practice Presenter: P3,500.00 (discounted rate) and Presenter Certificate.

This conference is live-out, and accommodation is at the **participant's** cost. We encourage confirmation of attendance on or before July 20, 2024. Registration Fees are transferable but not refundable.

Participants are encouraged to pay their registration fee via bank deposit at any Banco de Oro (BDO) Branch. Account Name: Children & Youth Wellness Technical & Advocacy Center (CYWTAC), Inc., Account Number: 004250149156. Scanned Deposit forms may be sent for confirmation via (telefax at 052-201-9889 or (text) 09228670940 / 09228670941 (Sun) or email at: cywtac_legazpi@yahoo.com.ph or sent via private message at CYWTAC Legazpi Facebook account.

Thank you and we are excited to meet you and your team!

Sincerely yours,

Dr. Marylendra A. Penetrante, CLC, CMHA
Conference Chair



10TH SPED CONFERENCE

*"Moving Forward with
Inclusive Governance and
School-Community
Collaboration Practices"*

01-03 AUGUST 2024
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Personnel, Parents and SPED Champions

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10TH SPED CON

Conference Engagement Themes:

- Theme 1: "A Walk Through Inclusive Governance"*
- Theme 2: "School & Community Collaboration: Best Practices"*
- Theme 3: "Global Innovations in Special Education: Trends and Opportunities"*
- Theme 4: "Sensory-Therapeutic Activities for Kids with Special Needs"*

Submit your Best Practices in your institution!

Send to us, in a nutshell, your best practices of teaching or implementing a superb project for children with special needs, their families and communities.

How? Tell us about your best practice in 500 words (max) and send this with your CV at
cywtac_legazpi@yahoo.com.ph

Chosen presenters will be given discount in the registration fee and special plaque of presentation.



10TH SPED CON

PROGRAM

DAY 1

8:00-9:00-Registration
 9:00-10:30 - Opening Program and Keynote Speech
 10:30-10:45- Brain Break
 10:45-12:00- "A Walk Through Inclusive Governance"

1:00-3:00- "School -Community Best Practices on SPED Teaching and Community Inclusion"

3:00-3:15- Brain Break

3:15-4:30- "Sensory -Therapeutic Activities for Children with Special Needs: A Session for Teachers and Parents"

4:30-5:00- Plenary Engagement



10TH SPED CON

PROGRAM

DAY 2

9:00-10:30 - "Global Innovations in Special Education: Trends and Opportunities"

10:30-10:45- Brain Break

10:45-12:00- Global Innovations in Special Education: Trends and Opportunities"

1:00-4:00- "School -Community Best Practices on SPED Teaching and Community Inclusion"

4:30-5:00- Plenary Engagement

DAY 3

9:00-10:30 - "New Trends and Innovations in Teaching SPED "

10:30-10:45- Brain Break

10:45-12:00- Plenary Engagement & Closing Program