

Republic of the Philippines Office of the President

COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION

REGIONAL OFFICE VIII

CHEDRO VIII MEMORANDUM No. 040 s. 2015

TO

PRESIDENTS/HEADS OF PUBLIC AND PRIVATE HEIS

SUBJECT

OPLAN BALIK ESKWELA 2016

DATE

May 6, 2016

In accordance with the pertinent provisions of RA 7722 ("Higher Education Act of 1994") and CMO No. 09, series of 2013 ("Enhanced Policies and Guidelines on Student Affairs and Services Programs"), all HEIs are hereby encouraged to implement OPLAN BALIK ESKWELA PROGRAM as well as prepare a report on the initiatives in addressing the following concerns:

- 1. Student Safety/Campus Security
- 2. Food Service/Safety
- 3. Health Services
- International Student Services (Bureau of Immigration & Deportation accreditation, etc.)
- 5. Student Housing Service
- 6. Student Guides/Tips or Pointers within the educational community
- Orientation and Advocacy Program on the Institution's Vision, Mission and Goals: Academic Rules and Regulations; Student Conduct and Discipline; Student Guides/Tips or Pointers Within the Educational Community; Services and Facilities; and, other information necessary for student development
- 8. Environment/Climate Change Program
- 9. Drug Education Program
- 10. Conduct of Fire/Earthquake/Disaster Drills
- 11. Educational Tour/Field Trip Requirements
- 12. Information on Tuition and Other School Fees

Reports in hard and electronic copy (send to chedro@ched.gov.ph) should be submitted not later than May 27, 2015.

A copy of the above CMO can be downloaded from the CHED website www.ched.gov.ph for reference.

For guidance and compliance.

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