



OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 37 SERIES OF 2025

AN EXECUTIVE ORDER ORGANIZING THE PROVINCIAL LOCAL AIDS COUNCIL OF ORIENTAL MINDORO

WHEREAS, Section 16 of the Republic Act No. 7160, also known as the "Local Government Code of 1991", provides that every local government unit ("LGU") shall exercise the powers expressly granted to them for the promotion of health and safety, and preservation of comfort and convenience of their inhabitants;

WHEREAS, Section 17 of the same Act states that LGUs shall provide health services which include the implementation of programs and projects on communicable and non-communicable disease control services, access to secondary and tertiary health services, and the purchase of medicines, medical supplies, and equipment needed to carry out the services herein enumerated;

WHEREAS, the Philippine National Aids Council ("PNAC") has been established pursuant to Executive Order No. 39 dated 03 December 1992;

WHEREAS, according to Republic Act No. 8504, otherwise known as the "Philippine AIDS Prevention and Control Act of 1998", Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome ("AIDS") is a disease that recognizes no territorial, social, political and economic boundaries for which there is no known cure;

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 11166, or the "Philippine HIV and AIDS Policy Act", was enacted to reconstitute the PNAC and to recognize the fact that Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) and AIDS are public health concerns that have wide-ranging social, political, and economic repercussion;

WHEREAS, LGUs, as front liners in the delivery of basic services and in accordance with the Local Government Code of 1991, are likewise mandated to prevent, mitigate, and eradicate the conditions that fuel the spread of HIV/AIDS;

WHEREAS, for the foregoing reasons, the Provincial Government of Oriental Mindoro desires to create and establish the Provincial Local AIDS Council which shall bolster the efforts of PNAC in preventing the controlling the spread of HIV/AIDS;

NOW THEREFORE, I, HUMERLITO A. DOLOR, MPA, PH.D., by virtue of the powers vested in me as Provincial Governor of Oriental Mindoro by Local Government Code of 1991, do hereby promulgate this Executive Order as follows:

Section 1. Organization. The Provincial Local AIDS Council is hereby organized to be composed of the following:

Chairperson: GOVERNOR HUMERLITO A. DOLOR, MPA, Ph.D.

Vice-Chairperson: DR. CIELO ANGELA A. ANTE, FPAFP, MHA, MPH
Provincial Health Officer II

Members: BOARD MEMBER ATTY. JOMARC PHILIP E. DIMAPILIS
Chairperson, Sangguniang Panlalawigan Committee on
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ATTY. EARL LIGORIO R. TURANO II

Provincial Administrator

DR. DANTE A. NUESTRO, MHA

Officer-in-Charge – Chief of Hospital, Oriental Mindoro Provincial Hospital

DR. MARIA CONSUELO B. MARIÑAS, MHA

Chief of Hospital, Oriental Mindoro Central District Hospital

DR. JOCEL C. CARANZO, MHA

Chief of Hospital, Oriental Mindoro Southern District Hospital

DR. EMMANUEL M. HERNANDEZ, MHA

Chief of Hospital, Naujan Community Hospital

DR. JOSIE ANN L. MARCA

Chief of Hospital, Bulalacao Community Hospital

DR. RAMON C. BOMBAIS, MPH

Provincial Department of Health Officer

DR. BASILISA M. LLANTO

City Health Officer, City Government of Calapan

DR. MA. IMELDA G. SOLLER, DPPS, MHA

President, Association of Municipal Health Officers of the Philippines, Inc. - Oriental Mindoro

DR. FERDINAND B. URBANOZO

Medical Officer III, Oriental Mindoro Provincial Hospital Purple Rain Clinic

DR. KRISTELL P. JAYAG

Medical Officer III, Department of Education Schools Division of Oriental Mindoro

DR. JANNICA CHARRISE J. JOSE

Medical Officer III, Department of Education Schools Division of Calapan City

DR. LORIEL M. DE LA PEÑA, RN, MPH, LPT, EMT

Officer-in-Charge - Public Health Services, Provincial Health Office

MHAY H. DELA CRUZ, RMT

STI, HIV/AIDS Program Coordinator, Provincial Health Office

President, Oriental Mindoro Medical Society

President, Philippine Hospital Association - Oriental Mindoro Chapter

President, Barangay Health Worker Provincial Federation

President, Lingkod LGBTQIA+ Association of Calapan City

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Section 2. Functions and Duties of the Provincial Local AIDS Council. The Provincial Local AIDS Council shall be the central advisory, planning, and policy-making body for the comprehensive and integrated HIV/AIDS prevention and control program of Oriental Mindoro. The Council shall also perform the following duties:

- a. Formulate policies and strategies for the prevention and control of HIV/AIDS, including sexually transmitted diseases and infections ("STD/STI"), such as the conduct of public awareness and education;
- b. Prepare and develop HIV/AIDS prevention and control program and monitor its implementation;
- c. Identify and prepare remedies to problems in program implementation and coordination, and enhance local multi-sector response to HIV/AIDS concerns;
- d. Propose related ordinances and resolutions for approval of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan;
- e. Recommend to the Office of the Governor the closure of any establishment found to be violating the provisions of pertinent laws and ordinances;
- f. Coordinate and cooperate with national government and other organizations regarding data collection, research, and treatment modalities concerning HIV/AIDS; and
- g. Perform such other functions as may be necessary.

Section 3. General Assembly and Meetings. The Provincial Local AIDS Council shall conduct its meetings once every quarter or as often as may be necessary. The General Assembly shall be conducted with other partners and stakeholders to provide opportunities to be informed and participate in the formulation and implementation of developments and concerns related to HIV/AIDS and STD/STI.

Section 4. Separability Clause. If any portion of this Executive Order is declared unconstitutional or invalid, the parts not affected shall remain to be in full force and effect.

Section 5. Repealing Clause. All executive rules, regulations, and other issuances or parts thereof which are inconsistent with any of the provisions of this Executive Order are hereby revoked or modified accordingly.

Section 6. Effectivity. This Executive Order shall take effect immediately upon approval hereof.

DONE IN THE CITY OF CALAPAN, PROVINCE OF ORIENTAL MINDORO, this 18th day of September, in the Year of our Lord Two Thousand and Twenty-Five.


HUMERALITO A. DOLOR, MPA, Ph.D.
 Provincial Governor