



Republic of the Philippines
City of Bago
OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 1840th REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD OF THE CITY OF BAGO HELD ON SEPTEMBER 28, 2016 AT THE SP SESSION HALL, BAGO CITY.

PRESENT:

HON. RAMON D. TORRES	City Vice Mayor-Presiding Officer
HON. MA. JOSEFA Y. MATTI	SP Member
HON. ANDREW MARTIN Y. TORRES	SP Member
HON. CARLOS E. MONDIA	SP Member
HON. JORGE AGUSTIN A. ARANETA	SP Member
HON. MAE C. JAVELLANA	SP Member
HON. CLEO F. GAUDITE	SP Member
HON. ALLAN C. GALUNAN	SP Member
HON. DANILO U. FAMOSO	SP Member
HON. SERGIO T. PIANSAY	SP Member-ABC President

ABSENT:

HON. DONALD A. ALVAREZ	SP Member
HON. JOZSEF MARK DEXTER M. SOMCIO	SP Member (ON OFFICIAL BUSINESS)

RESOLUTION NO. 16-265

A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING THE INFORMATION AND SERVICE DELIVERY NETWORK (ISDN) FOR ADOLESCENT HEALTH AND YOUTH DEVELOPMENT.

WHEREAS, the Adolescent Health and Youth Development Program (AHYDP) is one of the key component programs of the Philippine Population management program (PPMP) implemented in the City which aims to contribute to the improvement and promotion of the total well-being of young Filipinos ages 10-24 through their sexual and reproductive health;

WHEREAS, according to the World Health Organization (WHO), there are health problems established during adolescence stage such as: intentional and unintentional injuries, sexual and reproductive health problems, substance use and abuse, mental health problems, nutritional health problems, and endemic and chronic diseases;

WHEREAS, the UNFPA reported that the Philippines is the only country in Southeast Asia with an increasing incidence of teenage pregnancy and supported by the results of YAFS 4 that teenage fertility nearly quadrupled in the past decade (2002-2013);

WHEREAS, the Young Adult Fertility and Sexuality Study (YAFS 4) revealed that young people are not just faced with risky sexual activities but also other non-sexual risky behaviors like substance abuse, bullying, school drop-outs, and suicide among others;

WHEREAS, according to the 2015 Department of Health VI's report, teenage pregnancy rate is 15%, 23 teenage births per 1,000 livebirths, and a 12-year old maternal death as of June 2016;

WHEREAS, the 2015 Integrated HIV Behavioral and Serological Surveillance (IHBSS) indicate an escalating HIV problem among Filipino adolescents where there is a large gap between first sexual intercourse to access to reproductive health services;

WHEREAS, Bago City shares the national and regional data on the risky behaviors of the youth, with high incidence of teenage pregnancy – 1,415 in 2014 and 1,359 cases in 2015 for age group 24 years old and below the youngest is age 14 as per record of the City Health Office. Also, CHO recorded 11 cases of sexually transmitted infections among 20 years old and below in 2015. Local Civil Registry showed that young pregnancies account for 30.6% of all birth in 2000 – 2003 and 4.9% of illegitimate births;

WHEREAS, addressing these critical concerns affecting young people entails the close collaboration and collective actions from all stakeholders including the concerned local government departments, civil society organizations particularly those catering services for young people's concerns and faith-based organizations, and the private sector, for more strategic and effective interventions;

WHEREAS, Information and Service Delivery Network (ISDN) refers to the network of facilities, institutions, and providers within the city offering information, training, and core packages of health and social care services in an integrated, and coordinated manner;

WHEREAS, the establishment of Information and Service Delivery Network (ISDN) for Adolescent Health Development (AHD) in the city will link information and service delivery interventions for adolescent and youth-related needs and to foster partnerships, well-coordinated, multi-sectoral and inter-agency, and comprehensive provision of health and development interventions for young people in Bago City is deemed necessary to address these pressing issues and eventually reduce teenage pregnancy and other sexual and non-sexual behaviors.

NOW, THEREFORE, upon motion of SP Member Mae C. Javellana, duly seconded by SP Members Cleo F. Gaudite, Allan C. Galunan, Danilo U. Famoso, the Sanggunian

BE IT RESOLVED that Information and Service Delivery Network (ISDN) for Adolescent Health and Youth Development be established in the city to take care of the health and development needs of the youth.

ATTESTED:

RAMON D. TORRES
City Vice Mayor-Presiding Officer

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

LINDA R. ARELLANO
Records Officer III /
City Secretary-Designate