



Republic of the Philippines  
PROVINCE OF SORSOGON  
MUNICIPALITY OF GUBAT

## Office of the Sangguniang Bayan

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 16<sup>th</sup> REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIAN BAYAN OF GUBAT, SORSOGON HELD ON MONDAY, MAY 08, 2017 AT THE SANGGUNIAN BAYAN SESSION HALL.

PRESENT:

Hon. Sixto F. Estareja	- Mun. Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer
Hon. John Paul E. Erlano	- Member, Sanggunian Bayan
Hon. Danilo E. Enaje	- Member, Sanggunian Bayan
Hon. Kenneth D. Escandor	- Member, Sanggunian Bayan
Hon. Anthony C. Callos	- Member, Sanggunian Bayan
Hon. Valentin A. Pura IV	- Member, Sanggunian Bayan
Hon. Aiza E. Encinares	- Member, Sanggunian Bayan
Hon. Ramon E. Entico	- Member, Sanggunian Bayan
Hon. Nelson E. Quinones	- Liga ng mga Barangay President

ABSENT: NONE

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### MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 2017 - 003

AN ORDINANCE GRANTING FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO COMMUNITY HEALTH WORKERS IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF GUBAT, PROVINCE OF SORSOGON, AND PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFORE.

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<i>Hon. Anthony C. Callos,</i>	<i>Hon. Aiza E. Encinares,</i>	<i>Hon. John Paul E. Erlano</i>
<i>Hon. Cesar D. Esperida, Jr.</i>	<i>Hon. Danilo E. Enaje</i>	<i>Hon. Nelson E. Quinones</i>

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN IN SESSION THAT:

SECTION 1. Title. This ordinance shall be known as the Community Health Workers Financial Assistance Program of the Municipality of Gubat, Province of Sorsogon.

SECTION 2. The Municipality's Policy. The municipality recognizes the role of community health workers in the delivery of basic - quality health services to its constituents.

SECTION 3. Definition of Terms. As used in this ordinance, the following terms shall mean:

(a) Community Health Worker - a person appointed by the Barangay Captain, including but not limited to Barangay Health Worker and Barangay Nutrition Scholar, who renders primary health care services in the community.

(b) Primary Health Care Services - are essential health care services such as education on prevailing health problems, the methods of preventing and controlling them; promotion of adequate supply of safe water; basic environmental sanitation and adequate supply of safe water; maternal and child care including family planning and immunization against major infectious diseases; prevention and control of locally endemic diseases; appropriate treatment of common disease and injuries; promotion of mental health; prevention of oral-dental diseases and promotion of dental health; provision and proper use of essential drugs and herbal medicines; and access and utilization of hospital care as center of wellness.

SECTION 4. Financial Assistance. The amount of Two Hundred Fifty Pesos (Php250.00) per month is hereby accorded all Community Health Workers derived from the municipality's Maintenance and Other Operating Expenses (MOOE). Hence, regular appropriation of funds for this purpose shall be included in the annual budget of the municipality and augmentation to this effect may be made as the need arises.

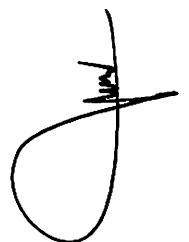
SECTION 5. Limitations on the Number of BHW and BNS per Barangay which will depend on the budget allocation.

For BHW, a ratio of One (1) BHW per Forty (40) households.

For BNS, a ratio of One (1) BNS for every barangay.

SECTION 6. Requirements for Availment. The following shall be the basis of the grant of financial assistance under this ordinance:

- (a) The Community Health Worker is appointed by the Barangay Captain in accordance with Sections 387 (b) and 396 of the Local Government Code of 1991
- (b) The Community Health Worker is presently rendering primary health care services in their respective community.



SECTION 7. Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) - The Executive Department through the Municipal Health Officer and the Municipal Legal Officer shall, within Ninety (90) days from its enactment, formulate the necessary guidelines for its proper implementation.

SECTION 8. Application of the benefit herein provided. The grant of financial assistance provided under this ordinance shall retroact from January 2017 and onwards.

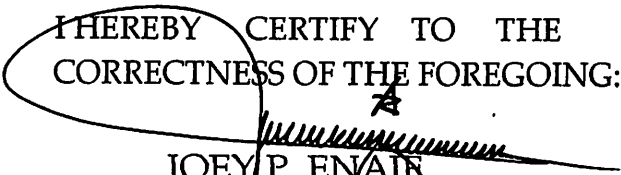
SECTION 9. Repealing Clause. Municipal Ordinance Nos. 2016 - 008 and 2017 - 001 are hereby repealed. And should there be any existing local ordinance, rules and regulations and/or parts thereof inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance are likewise repealed and/or modified accordingly.

SECTION 10. Separability Clause. Should any portion or provisions of this ordinance be declared unconstitutional or invalid, the other parts or provisions thereof which are not affected thereby shall continue to be in full force and effect.

SECTION 11. Effectivity. This ordinance shall take effect Ten (10) days following its posting in at least Three (3) conspicuous places in the Municipality of Gubat, Province of Sorsogon.

UNANIMOUSLY ORDAINED.

I HEREBY CERTIFY TO THE  
CORRECTNESS OF THE FOREGOING:

  
JOEY P. ENAJE  
Secretary to the Sanggunian Bayan

Attested by:

  
HON. SIXTO E. ESTAREJA  
Municipal Vice Mayor, Presiding Officer

Approved By:

  
HON. SHARON ROSE G. ESCOTO  
Municipal Mayor