



EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 16
Series of 2023

**AN ORDER EXPRESSING SUPPORT ON THE SUPPLEMENTAL IMMUNIZATION
ACTIVITY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF
GUBAT AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES**

WHEREAS, Republic Act 10512 provides for the mandatory basic immunization of children, the DOH has been vigilant in preventing measles, rubella and poliomyelitis - diseases that are highly contagious, and may lead to grave complications including permanent disability and death which can be prevented through vaccination;

WHEREAS, the fully immunized children (FIC) of Gubat from 2020 to 2022 was only 65.36%, 53.59% and 45.01%, respectively, which is way beyond the 95% national target;

WHEREAS, with above accomplishments, it is more than enough to create outbreaks of these vaccine preventable diseases which may lead to permanent disability and death among children 0-59 month-old in the municipality;

WHEREAS, the DOH shall conduct a nationwide immunization campaign to 0-59 month-old children to control polio and stop the measles outbreak;

NOW THEREFORE I, RONNEL U. LIM, Municipal Mayor of Gubat, Sorsogon by virtue of the power vested in me by law, do hereby order the following:

SECTION 1. BARANGAY OFFICIALS PARTICIPATION AND ASSISTANCE.

All Barangay Officials are advised to assist, inform and encourage constituents to support the month long "Measles Rubella (MR) and Bivalent Oral Polio Vaccine (bOPV) Supplemental Immunization Activity starting from May 1-31, 2023. This shall be conducted in your respective Barangay Halls/Barangay Health Stations and other specified vaccination sites;

SECTION 2. ACTIVITIES. RHU Health Personnel shall release the schedule of immunization activity and conduct MR vaccination to 9-59 months old children and bOPV vaccination to 0-59 months old children;

SECTION 3. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE. If any provision of this Executive Order is found to be inconsistent with the Philippine Constitution, laws or decrees, other provisions hereof shall continue to be in force and effect.

SECTION 4. REPEALING CLAUSE. All executive orders, rules, regulations and other issuance or parts thereof inconsistent with the Executive Order, are hereby repealed or accordingly modified.

SECTION 5. EFFECTIVITY. This Executive Order shall take effect immediately.

Done this 28th day of March 2023 at Gubat, Sorsogon, Philippines.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ronnel U. Lim', written in a cursive style.

RONNEL U. LIM
Municipal Mayor