



UPDATES ON THE GASTPE PROGRAM IMPLEMENTATION

DepED Regional Office XI



Enabling Mechanisms

- **Partnership between private and public schools in the preparation of the Senior High School Implementation Plans**
- **Conduct of the early registration**
- **Conduct of Career Advocacy / Career Guidance**
- **Coordination with government agencies (DepED, TESDA, CHED, DOLE)**
- **Provision of technical assistance to implementing schools**
- **Regional Summit for both public and private schools**
- **Consultation with stakeholders**



Bottlenecks

Challenges

CHALLENGES/ CAUSES OF DELAY / NON-PAYMENT OF THE BENEFITS	ACTION TAKEN BY THE REGIONAL OFFICE	SUGGESTIONS FOR POLICY CONSIDERATION TO DEPED CO
<p>No official list of Qualified Voucher Recipients (QVR) was provided by the DepED Central Office or the National Private Education Assistance Committee (PEAC) Secretariat to the field. Such information should have been the basis for action and dissemination to expedite processing of enrollment of learners in private schools, registration in the LIS and tagging of learners.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coordinate with the Region PEAC Secretariat regarding information of schools with voucher beneficiaries 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DepED must issue a Memorandum which contains the official list of QVR for reference by the accepting schools and the Regional PEAC and DepED Regional Office
<p>Non-tagging of the QVR in the LIS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coordinate with the Regional PEAC • Coordinate with the Policy Planning and Research Division (PPRD) for onward submission / reporting to LIS incharge in the DepED CO 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Allow the Regional Office to conduct validation and review of the QVR of private schools that have encountered non-tagging in the LIS for collation and onward submission to DepED Central Office and for processing of billing.
<p>Stoppage of the subsidy for those who have been hospitalized and underwent medical treatment</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Report the matter to regional PEAC 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Allow the Regional Office to conduct validation on the status of the QVR and recommend for continuation or stoppage of the voucher benefits

Way Forward for Policy Recommendation

DepED Central Office

- Provide a list of Qualified Voucher Recipients (QVRs) through an issuance of a Memorandum to the field.

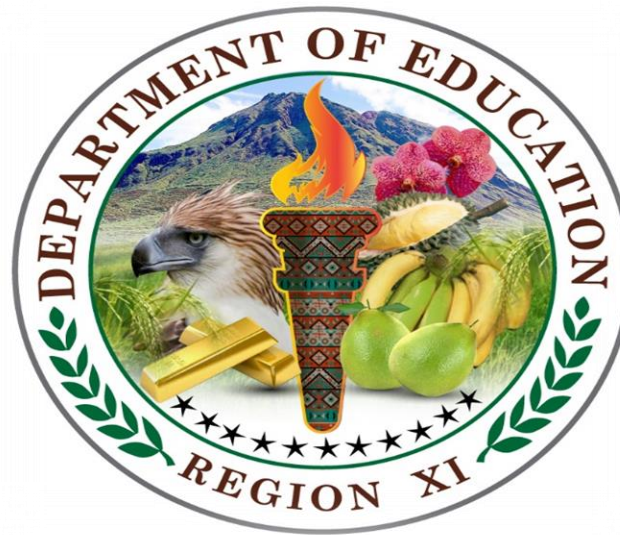
DepED Regional Office

- Validate and recommend for payment to DepED Central Office of untagged SHS VP Beneficiaries
- Validate and recommend to DepED CO for reinstatement of the SHS VP of the concerned beneficiaries
- In cases of discrepancies of some SHS VP participating schools, the RO will validate and conduct ocular inspection to schools

Inclusion of ALS completers or those who passed in the ALS A and E Test

Expansion of the Teachers Salary Subsidy (TSS) in the SHS VP

- Those learners who have enrolled only in the second semester of the current school year can still continue to avail the SHS VP



Thank you