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ANNOUNCEMENT

TO : ALL HEADS OF CONSTITUTIONAL BODIES, NATIONAL GOVERNMENT AGENCIES (NGAs), LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS (LGUs), GOVERNMENT-OWNED AND CONTROLLED CORPORATIONS WITH ORIGINAL CHARTERS (GOCCs), AND STATE UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES (SUCs)

SUBJECT : Autism Consciousness Week (ACW)

Presidential Proclamation No. 711, s. 1991, declares the third week of January (January 25 to 31, 2015) as “Autism Consciousness Week”. This year’s theme is “Autism Inclusive Philippines: Aim High! Fly High!”, which primarily aims to raise the level of awareness and consciousness of various stakeholders in promoting inclusion of persons with autism in all facets of life in society.

To promote public awareness in the observance of the event, all government agencies are enjoined to extend their full support by conducting and/or actively participating to ACW related activities. Attached is the Calendar of Activities for your reference.

For more information, you may contact Mr. Rizalio R. Sanchez or Mr. Mike P. Limon at telephone numbers 951-5013 or 932-6422 local 111.


ROBERT S. MARTINEZ
Commissioner

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In a R. A. C. E. to Serve: Responsive, Accessible, Courteous and Effective Public Service

2015 Autism Consciousness Week Celebration
Theme: "Autism Inclusive Philippines: Aim High! Fly High!"
CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES

As of December 5, 2014

January 25	Sunday	January 26	Monday	January 27	Tuesday
<p>Angels Walk for Autism Venue: Mall of Asia Arena Time : 9:00 A.M. Lead Agencies: Autism Society Philippines (ASP) and SM Cares</p>		<p>Isang Bansa, Isang Pangako (Flag Raising Ceremony) Venue: Local Government Units Nationwide Time : 7:00 A.M. onwards Lead Agencies: Department of the Interior and Local Government and ASP</p>		<p>Forum on Assistive and Emphatic Technologies for Persons with Autism Venue: De la Salle University Time : 1:00 PM – 5:00 PM Lead Agency: ASP</p>	
<p>Forum on Employment of Young Adults with Autism Venue: Carmona, Cavite Time : 8:00 A.M. – 5:00 PM Lead Agencies: Philippine Association for Children with Developmental and Learning Disabilities (PACDLD), Autism Hearts Foundation, Inc., (AHFI), Association for Adults with Autism Philippines (AAAP) and Municipal Government of Carmona, Cavite</p>		<p>Arts Workshop for Children with Autism Venue: Department of the Interior and Local Government Time : 1:00 PM – 5:00 PM Lead Agencies: Department of Education, and National Commission on Culture and the Arts</p>		<p>Autism Angels Take Flight Venue: NAIA 3 Time : 1:00 PM – 6:00 PM Lead Agencies: Department of Transportation and Communications, Department of Foreign Affairs, and Cebu Pacific</p>	
January 28	Wednesday	January 29	Thursday	January 30	Friday
<p>Basketball Clinic for Persons with Autism Venue: Quezon City Hall Time : 1:00 PM – 5:00 PM Lead Agencies: ASP, AAAP, AHFI, and MERALCO</p>		<p>Sensory Friendly Movie Venue: SM Manila Time : 12:00 Noon – 2:00 PM Lead Agency: ASP and SM Disability Affairs</p>		<p>Public Consultation on DOH National Autism Plan Venue: to be announced Time : to be announced Lead Agencies: AHFI and the Department of Health</p>	
<p>"Artismo: Kulay at Himig ng Artismo" Venue: SM Aura, Global City, Taguig City Time : 9:00 A.M. (Holy Mass), 10:00 A.M. (Program Proper) Lead Agencies: ASP and De La Salle College of St. Benilde</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">For information and other inquiries, please contact: NATIONAL COUNCIL ON DISABILITY AFFAIRS Telephone Numbers: 951-5013; 932-5703; 932-3663; 958-2809 Email address: council@ncda.gov.ph</p>			
January 31	Saturday				
<p>"Autama! Trivia Night" Venue: to be announced Time : to be announced Lead Agency: ASP</p>					