



Republic of the Philippines
OFFICE OF THE CITY MAYOR
 City of Davao

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**FILE MAYOR'S
 OFFICE**

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 16
Series of 2017

"AN ORDER RECONSTITUTING THE DAVAO CITY AIDS COUNCIL"

WHEREAS, it is the policy of the City Government of Davao to consciously adhere to generally-accepted principles of human rights and adopt gender and women perspectives in dealing with sexually transmitted diseases, human immunodeficiency virus, and acquired immunodeficiency syndrome or AIDS, and promote value formation and employ scientifically-proven approaches to help those affected by the same;

WHEREAS, since the signing of the "Davao City AIDS Ordinance of 2002" on July 25, 2002, the Davao City AIDS Council ("AIDS Council" for brevity) has always played a vital role in the fight against AIDS and sexually transmitted diseases in general;

WHEREAS, Article VI, Section 1 of the said ordinance mandates that the composition of the AIDS Council shall come from the representative of multi-sectoral organizations and heads of agencies from city government;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, SARA Z. DUTERTE, Mayor of Davao City, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order the following:

SECTION 1. CREATION. There is hereby created a DAVAO CITY AIDS COUNCIL (DCAC) composed of the following persons and/or heads of the following offices, to wit:

<u>4/25/17</u>	City Mayor or duly authorized Representative	Chairperson
<u>4/25/17</u>	Head, City Health Officer-City Health Office	Co-Chairperson
<u>4/25/17</u>	Chairperson, Committee on Health, SP	Member
<u>4/25/17</u>	Head, City Social Services and Development Office	Member
<u>4/25/17</u>	Representative, Department of Education RO XI	Member
<u>4/25/17</u>	Representative, Department of Health RO XI	Member
<u>4/25/17</u>	Representative, Department of Labor and Employment RO XI	Member
<u>4/25/17</u>	ABC President of the Liga ng mga Barangay	Member
<u>4/25/17</u>	Head, Integrated Gender and Development Division	Member
<u>4-25-17</u>	Representative, Department of Social Welfare and Dev't	Member
<u>4/25/17</u>	Head, City Information Office	Member
<u>4/25/17</u>	Representative, Reproductive Health and Wellness Center	Member
<u>4/25/17</u>	Representative, Commission on Higher Education	Member
<u>4/25/17</u>	Representative, Technical Educ. & Skills & Dev't Authority	Member
<u>4/25/17</u>	Head, City Interior and Local Government	Member
<u>4/25/17</u>	Representative, Philippine Catholic HIV & AIDS Network	Member
<u>4/25/17</u>	Representative, ALAGAD Mindanao, Inc.	Member

Representative, TALIKALA, Inc.	Member
Representative, Mindanao AIDS Advocates Association Inc.	Member
Representative, Davao Entertainment Industry Association	Member
Representative, Lesbian, Gay, Bi-sexual and Transgender Community	Member
Representative, Pag-asa Youth Association of the Philippines	Member
Representative, Family Planning Organization of the Philippines	Member
Representative, Philippine Red Cross,	Member
Representative, HIV AIDS Core Team	Member
Head, City Planning and Development Office	Member
Representative, Ateneo Public Interest and Legal Assistance	Member
Representative, Commission on Human Rights	Member

All of the persons/offices named as members are hereby directed to name an alternate permanent representative who shall act as a member in case of an absence.

SECTION 2. POWERS AND FUNCTIONS OF THE DCAC. The DCAC shall have the following powers and functions:

- a. Act as an advisory group to the executive branch and the Sangguniang Panlungsod of the City Government of Davao on policy formulation/development, program conceptualization, planning and monitoring the prevention and control of sexually transmitted diseases (STI), human immunodeficiency virus (HIV), and acquired immunodeficiency syndrome (AIDS) and other similar or related diseases;
- b. Act as a coordinating body in establishing, mobilizing, and strengthening linkages at the local, national, and international agencies and other stakeholders involved in the STI, HIV/AIDS prevention program;
- c. Spearhead in undertaking information, education and communication campaigns on STI, HIV/AIDS prevention;
- d. Monitor the implementation of Republic Act 8504, or the Philippine AIDS Prevention and Control Act of 1998, and other policies approved and adopted appropriate laws.

SECTION 3. SECRETARIAT OF THE DCAC AND ITS FUNCTIONS. The City Health Office of the City Government of Davao shall serve as the DCAC's Secretariat primarily tasked to perform the following functions, to wit:

- a. Coordinate the activities of the AIDS Council;
- b. Serve as the center of communication by receiving and disseminating information from and to members of the AIDS Council;
- c. Document meetings and other activities of the AIDS Council;
- d. Keep all the records of the AIDS Council; and
- e. Perform other secretariat functions as may be assigned by the Chairperson of AIDS Council.

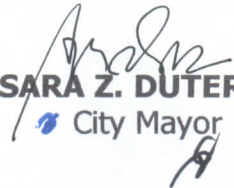
For this purpose, the Secretariat shall be headed by an employee assigned in the City Health Office who shall be hereinafter identified by the City Health Officer.

SECTION 4. OPERATIONAL EXPENSES AND FUNDING. When warranted, the AIDS Council shall be provided with personnel and equipment sourced from available government funds or resources to enable it to perform its functions and in accordance with its mandate; and the members, secretariat and all personnel who are performing duties for or under the AIDS Council are also hereby authorized to claim for incidental and other operational expenses relative to the services rendered in addition to their duties and responsibilities and for work beyond office hours, all subject to the usual government accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

SECTION 5. REPEALING CLAUSE. All Executive Orders or issuances inconsistent with the provisions of this Executive Order are hereby repealed, superseded, or modified accordingly.

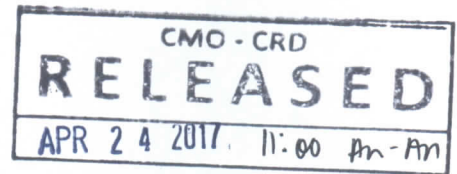
SECTION 6. EFFECTIVITY CLAUSE. This order shall take effect immediately.

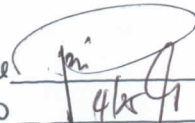
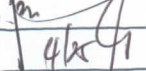
Done on APR 24 2017, at City of Davao, Philippines.


SARA Z. DUTERTE
City Mayor

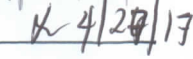
Attested by:


ATTY. ZULEIKA T. LOPEZ
City Administrator



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