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RECOGNITION OF GUIDANCE COUNSELORS AND IMPLEMENTATION OF CAREER  
GUIDANCE PROGRAMS IN PUBLIC SECONDARY SCHOOLS

To: Bureau Directors  
Regional Directors  
Schools Division/City Superintendents  
Heads, Public Secondary Schools

1. Pursuant to DepED Memorandum No. 368, s. 2006 and No. 270, s. 2007, the results of the National Career Assessment Examination shall be fully utilized through the implementation of a comprehensive Career Guidance Program (CGP) in public secondary schools nationwide.
2. The CGP is an improved output from the workshop participated in by Guidance/Values Supervisors and Guidance Counselors from public national high schools, and conducted by the National Education Testing and Research Center (NETRC) recently. The CGP of each division shall be adapted by and implemented in all public secondary schools with the support of the school and division office officials, the community and its stakeholders.
3. The important and vital role of Guidance Supervisors/Counselors (GSupv/GCs) in the implementation of the CGPs in the schools shall be recognized and empowered, thus, the designation of GCs in all public high schools.
4. Likewise, guidance offices/centers must be established for the GSupv/GCs.
5. Financial resources or funding for the CGP must be allotted to ensure its full and proper implementation.
6. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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References: DepED Memorandum: No. 368, s. 2006  
and No. 270, s. 2007

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