



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION

April 8, 2025

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

No. 345 s. 2025

To: Schools Division Superintendents
Learner Rights and Protection Focals
Youth Formation Division (YFD) Coordinators
School Principals
All Others Concerned

**THE FILIPINO CHILD (TFC) ANNUAL NATIONAL ONLINE DIALOGUE ON
CHILD PROTECTION**

1. The Regional Committee for the Welfare of Children in collaboration with Bantay Bata 163 will conduct the above-captioned activity on April 11, 2025 (Friday), 8:00 AM-12:00NN via Bantay Bata 163 Facebook Live.
2. This year's dialogue focuses on 'Exploring New Laws on Child Protection,' featuring in-depth discussions on key legislation, including **RA 11930** or the "Anti-OSAEC Law", **RA 11596** or the "Law Prohibiting the Practice of Child Marriage", **RA 11642** or the "The Domestic Admin Adoption and Alternative Child Care Act", and **Referral Networks – Bantay Bata Helpline 163**. All Supreme Elementary Learner Government (SELG) Officers, Supreme Secondary Learner Government (SSLG) Officers, Teacher Advisers, Regional and Division Youth Formation Coordinators, and Learner Rights and Protection Focals are enjoined to participate in this dialogue.
3. Participants are requested to register through this link bit.ly/TFC2025Registration on or before April 8, 2025, at 5:00 PM.
4. For details, please refer to the enclosed copy of the Indicative Program of Activities.
5. For queries, please contact Dr. Rhea B. Eden at 09177358913 or by email at rhea.eden@deped.gov.ph.
6. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is directed.

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THE **FILIPINO CHILD**

NATIONAL DIALOGUE ON CHILD PROTECTION

THEME:



Exploring New Laws on Child Protection

APRIL 11, 2025 | 8:00 AM -12:00 NN via FB Live

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In partnership with:



MEET OUR SPEAKERS



ATTY. KAREN GINA T. DUPRA, JD

- Project Development Officer IV, Project Management Office - Council for the Welfare of Children
- Head, MAKABATA Helpline 1383
- Passionate about public service and child protection, committed to advancing child rights advocacy through the Makabata Helpline 1383
- Currently pursuing a Master of Laws at Pamantasan ng Lungsod ng Maynila

TOPICS:

RA 11930 or “Anti-OSAEC Law”

Referral Networks - Makabata Helpline 1383



MR. LANCE LAGOS

- Planning Officer II, CWC-Policy, Planning, and Research Division
- Focal Person, Inter-Agency Committee on the Prohibition of Child Early and Forced Marriage and Unions
- Focal Person, Sub-Committee on Children With Disabilities
- Graduate of AB Philosophy

TOPIC:

RA 11596 or Law Prohibiting the Practice of Child Marriage



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MS. JASMINE ALMIRA BUEN

- Co-founder and Director of Partnerships of child placing agency Generations—Home (also known as ROHEI Foundation)
- Advocate for Family Strengthening & Orphan Prevention
- Works to mobilize all sectors in strengthening families and preventing orphanhood
- Currently pursuing a Juris Doctor at the University of the Philippines

TOPIC:

RA 11642 or “The Domestic Admin Adoption and Alternative Child Care Act”



MS. LEVI AMBON-ROTA, RSW

- Head of Bantay Bata 163, ABS-CBN Foundation, Inc.
- Registered social worker with 14+ years of experience in: Child Welfare, Medical Social Work & Corporate Social Responsibility
- Bachelor of Social Work, University of the Philippines - Diliman (2010)
- Certified Mental Health Advocate
- Certified Expressive Arts Coach (CYWTAC)
- Passionate about child protection & adoption

TOPIC: Referral Networks - Bantay Bata Helpline 163



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