

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM  
NO. 0854 s. 2025

02 July 2025

**IPCAP 7<sup>th</sup> MIDYEAR CONVENTION FOR GUIDANCE COUNSELORS/GUIDANCE DESIGNATES**

To : Schools Division Superintendents  
Regional and Division Youth Formation Coordinators  
Guidance Counselors/Guidance Designates  
All Others Concerned

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3. The registration fee, travel, per diem and other incidental expenses shall be charged to local funds, school/division/region/ MOOE, and other available fund sources subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
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5. Please be guided accordingly.

7/21/25  
11:21  
GILBERT T. SADSAD  
Regional Director

Encls: As stated  
To be indicated in the Perpetual Index under the following subjects: Youth Formation Program  
ESD-SITS/mgs  
02/07/2025



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**TANGGAPANG PANSANGAY NG MGA PAARALAN NG CATANDUANES**



08 July 2025

To : OIC-Assistant Schools Division Superintendent  
Chief Education Supervisors  
Education Program Supervisors  
Public Schools District Supervisors  
Unit Heads/Section Heads  
Elementary and Secondary School Heads  
All Others Concerned

For information and guidance.

**MA. JEANY T. ABAYON**  
Assistant Schools Division Superintendent  
Officer-In-Charge  
Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

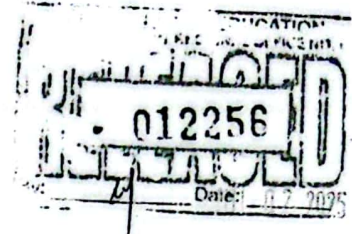


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Time: 11:31  
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02/07/2025



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**From:** ipcap secretariat <ipcapsecretariat2021@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Sunday, 22 June 2025 9:02 pm  
**Cc:** ipcap secretariat; lynhari16@gmail.com  
**Subject:** Invitation to the IPCAP 7th Midyear National Convention  
**Attachments:** IPCAP 7th Midyear National Convention 2025\_Invitation Letter.pdf

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To: All DepEd Regional Directors and  
Schools Division Superintendent

ATTN: Guidance Counselors/Guidance Designates

Greetings of peace and prosperity!

The Integrated Professional Counselors Association of the Philippines (IPCAP), Inc. is a non-stock, non-profit, and Accredited Continuing Professional Development (CPD) Provider of the Professional Regulation Commission (PRC). We are committed to enhancing and improving Filipinos' quality of life by delivering excellence in the training of counselors as mental health professionals.

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In lieu of this, we would like to request endorsement from your offices for this three-day workshop to empower Guidance Counselors/Guidance Designates and to support them to attend this activity. We genuinely believe that together, we can significantly impact the advancement of professional counseling practice in our changing world. Your participation will contribute to this mission, and we look forward to your presence at our event.

Details of the registration are as follows:

Registration	Active Member/ Senior/ PWD/ Student	Non-Member
Early Bird Rate (Until July 18, 2025)	4900	5200
Regular Rate/ Onsite	5200	5400
Group Rate per person rate for Group of 5 or more participants registering together (payment is made on or before August 1, 2025).	4900	5200

Details of the registration process and methods for the transfer of payment appear in the proceeding attachments. You may use this email address, [ipcap2018@gmail.com](mailto:ipcap2018@gmail.com), for any questions about this event.

Thank you very much!

Sincerely,

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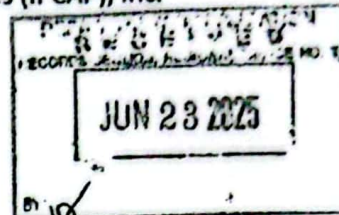




**Integrated Professional Counselors Association of the Philippines (IPCAPH), Inc.**  
**Registration # CN200811283**

June 22, 2025

To: All DepEd Regional Directors and  
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2024-2027  
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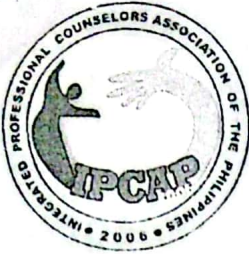
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1. Deposit your registration fee:

**BDO Current Account 000-220-084-661**

Account Name: Integrated Professional Counselors Association of the  
Philippines, Inc.

BDO Branch: E. Rodriguez Ave. Quezon City

2. Register using the link or QR Code:

<https://bit.ly/7thIPCAP-MYNC>



3. Learn, Travel, and Have Fun the IPCAP way by attending the IPCAP 7<sup>th</sup> Midyear Convention.

### Note:

If you are paying through an e-wallet (GCash or Paymaya), choose the banktransfer feature, then add "0" or "000" before the account number. This is to satisfy the required digits for the fund transfer.

### OTHER DETAILS:

To request for Personalized Invitation, kindly fill out this online form:

<https://forms.gle/pMmqe9DUvi9z8rKM6>

For Membership, please email [merpainaga.ipcap@gmail.com](mailto:merpainaga.ipcap@gmail.com)

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