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April 28, 2025

**DR. ORLANDO E. MANUEL, CESO V**  
Schools Division Superintendent  
Nueva Vizcaya

Dear Dr. Manuel:

Greetings of peace and well-being!

As an AIPO accredited local chapter, PGCA-Nueva Vizcaya will hold its **2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Chapter Conference** with the theme **"Navigating the Future of Guidance and Counseling: Adapting to New Regulations and Emerging Trends"** on May 15-16, 2025 at DISADECO Hotel, Resort & Events Center, San Nicolas, Bayombong, Nueva Vizcaya.

This is a gathering aimed at bringing together guidance counselors, psychometricians, psychologists and other mental health practitioners, especially with the newly implemented **RA 12080** otherwise known as **"Basic Education Mental Health and Wellbeing Promotion Act"** that promotes the delivery of mental health services in basic education. The conference serves as a platform for sharing knowledge, best practices, and innovations in the realm of mental health, personal development, and guidance and counseling.

In connection to this, we would like to invite the counselors, counselor-designates, and educators of the different schools to attend the said conference. CPD points are on process for RGC, RPm, and RPsy.

Attached is the program flow of the said conference.

The registration rates are as follows:

Inclusions: conference kit, am/pm snacks, lunch, certificates		
	Early Bird	On-site
Member	Php 2,500.00	Php 3,000.00
Non-Member	Php 3,000.00	Php 3,500.00
Students	Php 1,000.00	

**\*Deadline for early bird registration is on May 5, 2025.**

Payments can be made through the following channels:

**Bank of the Philippine Islands (BPI)**  
Account Name: Keith Ivy Navarro  
Account Number: 8579-1903-46

**GCash:** Kristine Ann Israel  
09999907353

Kindly pre-register through this link: <https://forms.gle/YRoWcMrgf7BkEF9i7>

For more inquiries, contact Ms. Leslie Doris Divina, PGCA-NV Secretary, at 0906-226-5068.

We look forward to seeing you. Thank you and God Bless!

Respectfully yours,

**Ms. Kristine Ann L. Israel, RPm, RGC**  
President, PGCA-NV

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## PHILIPPINE GUIDANCE AND COUNSELING ASSOCIATION Nueva Vizcaya Chapter

### PROGRAM OF ACTIVITIES FOR PGCANV 2<sup>ND</sup> CHAPTER CONFERENCE

Date: May 15-16, 2025

Venue: DISADECO HOTEL, RESORT & EVENTS CENTER, SAN NICOLAS, BAYOMBONG, NUEVA VIZCAYA

#### DAY 1: May 15, 2025 (Thursday)

Date/Time	Activity	In-charge
7:30-8:00 AM	Registration	PGCA-NV Officers
8:00-9:00 AM	Preliminaries	
	Invocation	Rev. Fr. Alberto Tamisen, CICM
	National Anthem	On-video
	Introduction of Participants	Ms. Leslie Doris M. Divina <i>Secretary, PGCA-NV</i>
	Welcome Address	Ms. Kristine Ann L. Israel <i>President, PGCA-NV</i>
	Conference Overview	Ms. Avon Grace T. Villar <i>VP for Internal Affairs, PGCA-NV</i>
9:00-9:30 AM	Snacks	
9:30-10:30 AM	Plenary Session 1: RA 12080 "Basic Education Mental Health and Wellbeing Promotion Act"	Ms. Ma. Honey Belle B. Vicencio, RGC <i>Assistant Secretary, PGCA Inc.</i>
10:30-11:30 AM	Plenary Session 2: Caring for the Carers: Wellbeing of Mental Health Practitioners	Dr. Faridah Kristi C. Wetherick, RPsy <i>Dean, School of Graduate Studies Saint Louis University, Baguio City Board of Trustee, Psychological Association of the Philippines</i>
11:30-1:00 PM	Lunch	
1:00-1:15 PM	Registration/Attendance	PGCA-NV Officers
1:30-4:00 PM	Workshop 1: Managing Non-Suicidal Self Injurious Behaviors	Dr. Florence Nawew-Bahni, RPsy <i>Director, University Research Center Ifugao State University</i>
4:00-4:30 PM	Awarding and Evaluation	
4:30-5:00 PM	Closing and Wrap-up for Day 1	Dr. Edwin Edilberto N. Mania <i>Head, SMU Guidance and Testing Office</i>



## PHILIPPINE GUIDANCE AND COUNSELING ASSOCIATION

### Nueva Vizcaya Chapter

**DAY 2: May 16, 2025 (Friday)**

Date/Time	Activity	In-charge
7:30-8:00 AM	Registration	PGCA-NV Officers
8:00-8:30 AM	Preliminaries	
	Invocation	On-video
	National Anthem	
	SMU Hymn	
8:30-11:00 AM	Workshop 2: Tele-mental Health	Mr. Jojet Lamberto Mondares, RPsy <i>Director, Psychstart Psychological Services, Baguio City</i>
11:00-11:30 AM	Awarding and Evaluation	
11:30-1:00 PM	Lunch	
1:30-3:30 PM	Workshop 3: School-Based Mental Health Program Development	Dr. Benny Soliman Vice-President for Internal Affairs, PGCA Inc.
3:30-4:00 PM	Awarding and Evaluation	
4:00-4:30 PM	Closing Program	Dr. John G. Tayaban <i>VP for Administration, Saint Mary's University</i>