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Bangsamoro Government Center, Governor Gutierrez Avenue, Rosary Heights VII, Cotabato City 9600

**MEMORANDUM** Circular No. 1

Series of 2024

TO

**ALL MINISTRIES, AGENCIES AND OFFICES** 

Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao

SUBJECT

36<sup>TH</sup> GENERICS MONTH CELEBRATION

DATE

17 Rabi-ul-Awwal 1446 AH | 20 September 2024

- Pursuant to Republic Act No. 6675,1 September is commemorated as the 36th Generics Month Celebration with the theme "Generics para sa kalidad na alaga at ginhawang abot kaya."
- The theme underscores the importance of promoting the rational use of safe, effective, quality, and affordable medicines, which is crucial in achieving optimal health outcomes and reducing out-of-pocket spending. This resonates with the World Health Organization's (WHO) Sustainable Development Goals, particularly under Goal 3, focusing on ensuring healthy lives and promoting well-being for all ages; and in conjunction with the Universal Health Care (UHC) agenda, which strives to provide equitable access to quality health services for all Filipinos.
- 3. As a gesture of support, you are hereby enjoined to disseminate the information to the public by:
  - a) Displaying a tarpaulin on the façade of your office building; and
  - b) Using the official Generics Month frame as your Facebook profile picture for the the month of September;
  - c) Sharing Generics Month campaign materials on your social media platforms; and
  - d) Engaging in activities that will raise awareness among the Bangsamoro populace on the availability of low-cost yet safe and effective generics that can significantly contribute to healthcare savings and promote health equity.
- 4. Please refer to this link https://rb.gy/i3fluz for the taurpalin design and other IEC materials.

For queries, kindly coordinate with the Ministry of Health (MOH) at landline no. (064) 552-0086 or email at moh@bangsamoro.gov.ph.

For guidance and compliance.

By the Authority of the Chief Minister AHOD B. EBRAHIM

ABUNAWAS Senior Minister OCM-BARMM AMS-RD AAA167938

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1 REPUBLIC ACT NO. 6675, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE "GENERICS ACT OF 1988." AN ACT TO PROMOTE, REQUIRE AND ENSURE THE PRODUCTION OF AN ADEQUATE SUPPLY, DISTRIBUTION, USE AND ACCEPTANCE OF DRUGS AND MEDICINES IDENTIFIED BY THEIR GENERIC NAMES.









## Ugaliing hingin ang abot-kayang *Generic* na gamot



Hindi dapat maging mahal ang pagpapagaling.











