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3. To undertake preparatory activities for the Pre-Marriage Counselling sessions by:
- a. Disseminating information about the PMC Program through radio, community assemblies, barangay meetings and other media outlets;
 - b. Posting schedules of the PMC sessions in the office of the Local Civil Registrar, offices of the mandatory members of the PMC Team, and other noticeable places in the municipal hall;
 - c. Ensuring appropriations, readiness and availability of a venue for PMC sessions;
 - d. Preparing schedules of PMC sessions every Tuesdays and Thursdays for mandatory team members to enable them to plan for those activities; and
 - e. Ensuring the availability of PMC supplies and materials.
4. To conduct PMC sessions every Tuesdays and Thursdays to not more than 15 couples at a time.
5. To issue PMC certificates which are signed by accredited mandatory PMC Team members to engaged couples who have completed the PMC sessions.

Section 5. Repealing Clause. All executive orders, proclamations, rules, regulations, previous issuances or parts thereof, inconsistent with the provisions of this Order are hereby repealed, amended and modified accordingly.

Section 6. Effectivity. This order shall take effect immediately.

DONE in the Municipality of Marcos, Ilocos Norte this 8th day of July 2021.


ANTONIO V. MARIANO
Municipal Mayor

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REORGANIZING THE PRE-MARRIAGE COUNSELLING (PMC) TEAM OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT OF UNIT OF MARCOS, ILOCOS NORTE

WHEREAS, pursuant to Presidential Decree (PD) No. 965, the New Family Code, the Local Government Code, and for efficient and effective delivery of the Pre-Marriage Counselling Program services, all cities/municipalities are enjoined to organize their Pre-Marriage Counselling Teams and implement the PMC Program;

WHEREAS, the New Family Code provides that all would-be couples who are below 25 years of age are required to attend pre-marriage counselling prior to the issuance of the marriage license;

WHEREAS, in recognition to the significant role of the parents in shaping the future of their children, the Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG), the Department of Health (DOH), the Department of Social Welfare and Development (DSWD) and the Population Commission (POPCOM) developed a vital tool in disseminating accurate and important information about marriage and relationships, human sexuality, maternal, child and neonatal health, family planning, STIs, including HIV/AIDS, responsible parenthood and home management to engaged couples as a prerequisite for the issuance of marriage license thru their Joint Memorandum Circular No. 01, Series 2010 enjoining all local chief executives to organize their Pre-Marriage Counselling Teams in their respective area of jurisdiction;

WHEREAS, there is an existing Pre-Marriage Counselling (PMC) Program implemented in the Local Government Unit of Marcos, Ilocos Norte, thus, its PMC Team needs to be reorganized.

WHEREFORE, premises considered and by virtue of the powers vested in me under the laws of the Republic of the Philippines, I, **ANTONIO V. MARIANO**, Municipal Mayor of Marcos, Ilocos Norte, do hereby reorganize the Pre-Marriage Counselling (PMC) Team of the Local Government Unit of Marcos, Ilocos Norte and order the following:

Section 1. Composition. The PMC Team shall be composed of the following:

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| Team Leader | Marlyn Desiree Gacula, PPW II |
| Members | Cesar B. Carullo, MHO Adel B. Pacquing, MHO Nurse I Cynthia Ablog, MSWDO Evelyn I. Villanueva, MCR/HRMO Designate |

Section 2. Functions. The PMC Team shall have the following functions.

1. To develop and maintain a responsive mechanism to effectively implement the Pre-Marriage Counselling Program in the municipality;
2. To advocate for the effective implementation of the Pre-Marriage Counselling Program to ensure continued awareness and support for the program;

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