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ATTENTION: ALL DIRECTORS OF THE CENTERS FOR HEALTH DEVELOPMENT, SPECIAL HOSPITALS, AND CHIEFS OF MEDICAL CENTERS AND HOSPITALS

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SUBJECT: Daily Submission of Firecracker and Firework Related Injury Cases during the Aksyon: Paputok Injury Reduction (APIR) from December 21, 2011 to January 5, 2012

In view of the Department Memorandum No. 2011-0310 dated December 1, 2011 stipulating the Implementing Guidelines and Mobilization of all Centers for Health Development, DOH Hospitals and Medical Centers for the Aksyon: Paputok Injury Reduction (APIR) activities, all government and private hospitals are required to report cases of fireworks/firecracker related injuries and stray bullet incidents on a daily basis. To wit:

Period Covered	Particulars	Cut-off Time
21 December 2011 up to 05 January 2012	Fireworks/firecracker related injuries and stray bullet incidents	6:00am – 5:59am (the following day)
21 December 2011 up to 21 January 2012	Fireworks related tetanus cases	None

All cases shall be reported via http://uhmis1.doh.gov.ph/doh_neiss (Online National Electronic Injury Surveillance System). For more information and inquiries, please contact the following DOH personnel:

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