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NATIONAL DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

National Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Center, Camp Aguinaldo, Quezon City, Philippines

NDRRMC UPDATE

Incidents Monitored Covering the Period from October 06 to 07, 2011

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DATE

07 October 2011

Source: OCDRC IV-A

I. FOOD POISONING IN STA. ROSA, LAGUNA

a. SITUATION OVERVIEW:

- Food poisoning occurred during the Teacher's Day Celebration held at SM City, Sta. Rosa, Laguna last 06 October 2011, wherein Pancit Malabon, Chopsuey and Pork Steak were served to the teachers and students.
- Late afternoon, the victims experienced abdominal pain, vomiting and diarrhea after eating.
- A total of 189 persons mostly teachers were affected by the suspected food poisoning. Of the 189 person affected, 25 teachers and 2 students were admitted at the different hospitals in Sta. Rosa City and Binan City.

b) Actions Taken:

- DOH IV-A coordinated with the Sta. Rosa City Health Office (CHO) regarding the status of the victims and followed-up the results of investigation done by the CHO personnel and DOH medical team.
- Surveillance and monitoring teams were dispatched to the hospitals where the teachers and students were confined.
- Samples of left-over foods were sent to the Bureau of Foods and Drugs laboratory for testing.
- Sta. Rosa CDRRMC Chairperson Hon. Mayor Arlene Arcillas-Nazareno coordinated with the owner of the restaurant/caterer of the event to provide assistance to the victims.

II. ROCKSLIDE INCIDENT IN SAN PEDRO, LAGUNA

a. SITUATION OVERVIEW:

- On or about 2:30 PM, 07 October 2011, a rockslide incident occurred in Brgy. San Antonio, San Pedro, Laguna. Boulders fell from the old quarrying site at the upland area of Brgy. San Antonio hitting three (3) houses that caused the death of Rommel Gonzales, 4 years old and injury of four (4) persons.
- Result:
 - 1 dead- Rommel Gonzalez- 4 y/o
 - 4 injured:
 - 1. Dang Navarro
 - 2. Loloy Navarro 9 y/o
 - 3. Nonoy Navarro 11y/o
 - 4. Totoy Guerrera 3 y/o
- The injured persons were brought to the nearby hospitals by local responders

b. Actions Taken:

- RDRRMC IV-A Chairperson went to the rockslide area to assess the impact of the incident
- PSUPT Lervy John Kraft, Chief of San Pedro Municipal Police Station led the response operations in the area
- OCD-RDRRMC IV-A is closely coordinating with the BDRRMC San Antonio, San Pedro, Laguna and San Pedro Police regarding the incident and response being undertaken