

Republic of the Philippines
MUNICIPALITY OF MONCADA
Province of Tarlac

OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF MONCADA, PROVINCE OF TARLAC HELD ON AUGUST 19, 2014 AT THE SESSION HALL OF THE LEGISLATIVE BUILDING, THIS MUNICIPALITY

PRESENT:

HON. JESSIE E. AQUINO	-	Presiding Officer/ Municipal Vice Mayor
HON. RODOLFO A. SPEJO	-	Municipal Councilor
HON. RICARDO D. VENGCO	-	Municipal Councilor
HON. EFREN M. RAMIREZ	-	Municipal Councilor
HON. EDWARD V. TOLENTINO	-	Municipal Councilor
HON. RUBEN V GAMBOA, JR.	-	Municipal Councilor
HON. ROWELL JAN B. CORPUZ	-	Municipal Councilor
HON. JANIUS M. YASAY	-	Municipal Councilor
HON. GEORGE R. CUCHAPIN	-	ABC President Ex-Officio Member

ABSENT:

HON. MARCLETO U. OBILLO	-	Municipal Councilor
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RESOLUTION No. 23- 2014

“A RESOLUTION ENACTING MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO.03 S. 2014 ENTITLED, AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE TUBERCULOSIS CONTROL PROGRAM IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF MONCADA AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREOF”

WHEREAS, the Local Government Code of 1991 (RA 7160) accords every local government unit and authority to promote the general welfare within its territorial jurisdiction, including the promotion of health and safety of its constituents;

WHEREAS, tuberculosis is a major public health concern in the municipality and to ensure a low case detection rate, there is a need to strengthen and support all activities related to the TB Control Program;

WHEREAS, the inability to address this health issue will cause the increase of Multi-Drug Resistant TB patients which is much more difficult and expensive to treat;

NOW THEREFORE, on motion of HON. DR. GEORGE R. CUCHAPIN and unanimously seconded;

RESOLVED, as is it hereby resolved, to enact Municipal Ordinance No. 3 Series 2014 entitled **“AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE TUBERCULOSIS CONTROL PROGRAM IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF MONCADA AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREOF”**.

FURTHERMORE, BE IT ORDAINED by he Sangguniang Bayan of Moncada, Province of Tarlac, in session assembled that;

Section 1 - Declaration of Policy.

The Municipality of Moncada joins the efforts of the Department of Health (DOH) to promote the successful implementation of the Tuberculosis Control Program through the adoption of relevant programs on the treatment of TB

Section 2 - Definition of Terms and Acronyms.

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| 1. Tuberculosis (TB) | - a group of infections caused by the bacillus |
| 2. CHD | - Center for Health Development |
| 3. CDR | - Case Detection Rate |
| 4. Case Finding | - activity to discover or find TB case. |
| 5. Case Holding | - an ability to treat TB cases through proper treatment regimen and health education |

6. Cure Rate - the proportion of the number of the smear positive TB cases who are smear negative in the last month of treatment and on at least one previous occasion
7. DOTS - Directly Observed Treatment Short-Courses. This is a comprehensive strategy to control TB and is composed of five (5) components, to wit;
 - 7.1. Government commitment to ensuring sustained, comprehensive TB control activities
 - 7.2. Case detection by sputum - smear microscopy among symptomatic patients self-reporting to health services.
 - 7.3. Standard short -course chemotherapy using regimens of six to eight months for at least all confirmed smear positive cases.
 - 7.4. A regular, uninterrupted supply of all essential anti- tuberculosis drugs and other materials
 - 7.5. A standard recording and reporting system that allows assessment of case finding and treatment results for each patient and of the tuberculosis control program's performance overall.
8. MDR-TB - Multi-Drug Resistant TB. A condition against Isoniazid and Rifampicin
9. NTP - National Tuberculosis Program
10. Smear Positive - this occurs when a sputum smear examination has at least two positive results
11. Smear negative - this occurs when a sputum smear examination has two negative results.
12. Sputum Microscopy for Diagnosis - the sputum smear examination done to establish a diagnosis on TB.
13. Sputum Microscopy for Follow-Up - the sputum smear examination done to monitor the sputum status of a patient after treatment is initiated.
14. Sputum Specimen - Material from the respiratory tract brought by coughing. The material is used for smear examination.

Section 3 - Purpose.

This ordinance aimed at improving the delivery of health services through the implementation of preventive and curative health programs such as the TB Control program.

Section 4 - Ensure Annual Fund Allocation, Inclusion of the program in the Annual Local Budget will hasten its efficient and effective implementation. Henceforth, the following policies shall be observed.

- 4.1. Ensure the allocation of annual budget requirement for the TB Control Program.
- 4.2. Encourage the other stakeholders to help in sourcing-out funds for the said program.
- 4.3. To advocate for the continuous investment for quality improvement of LGU health facilities.
- 4.4. To adopt a monitoring and evaluation system towards the improvement of the TB Control Program.

Section 5 - Funding and Disbursement.

The Municipal Government shall appropriate in the General Fund the amount of at least One Hundred Thousand Pesos (Php 100, 000.00) annually. Disbursement shall be approved by the Municipal Mayor subject to the usual accounting and auditing procedures. The said funds will be released to the Municipal Health Office and will be allocated as follows:

- a) Monitoring and supervisory visit
- b) Contingency for medicines and laboratory reagents
- c) Laboratory equipment maintenance
- d) Programmatic Management of Drug-resistant TB
- e) Quality assurance for sputum microscopy
- f) TEV for BHW's and treatment partners
- g) Community-based remote smearing stations
- h) Capability building
- i) Health promotions activity; and
- j) Community organizing

Section 6 - Rules and Regulations.

The Local Health Board, in consultation with the Municipal Health Office and Sangguniang Bayan shall formulate the implementing rules and regulations relative to the subject ordinance.

Section 7 - Repealing Clause.

All ordinances, resolutions or laws of local application in effect inconsistent hereto are hereby modified, superseded and repealed accordingly.

Section 8 - Supplementary Clause

On matters not provided in this Ordinance, any existing applicable laws and their corresponding implementing rules and regulations, executive orders and relevant issuances therefore shall be applied in a supplemental manner.

Section 9 - Effectivity Clause.

This Ordinance shall take effect upon its approval and after posting in at least three (3) conspicuous places in the territorial jurisdiction of the concerned local government unit and publication in a local newspaper for a period of two (2) consecutive weeks.

DATE ENACTED: AUGUST 19, 2014.

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the above-quoted Resolution.



ABRAHAM S. SALES, JR.
ACTING SB SECRETARY

ATTESTED BY:



HON. JESSIE E. AQUINO
MUNICIPAL VICE-MAYOR & PRESIDING OFFICER

APPROVED:



BENITO E. AQUINO
MUNICIPAL MAYOR