



Republic of the Philippines  
Province of Davao del Sur  
Municipality of Hagonoy  
**OFFICE OF THE MAYOR**

**EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 25**  
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**AN ORDER ADOPTING EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 15 OF THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR OF  
DAVAO DEL SUR ON THE OMNIBUS GUIDELINES ON MODIFIED ENHANCED COMMUNITY  
QUARANTINE (MECQ) FOR IMPLEMENTATION IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF HAGONOY**

**WHEREAS**, President Rodrigo Roa Duterte issued Proclamation No. 922 declaring the Philippines under a State of Public Health Emergency due to Covid 19 Pandemic;

**WHEREAS**, the Inter-Agency Task Force (IATF) for the management of Emerging Infectious Diseases placed the entire Province of Davao del Sur under Modified Enhanced Community Quarantine from July 1 2021 to July 15, 2021, due to upsurge of Covid 19 cases in the province;

**WHEREAS**, the upsurge of Covid -19 cases has placed the municipal's health system to its critical level, thus requiring appropriate and timely response from the government;

**WHEREAS**, the IATF issued the Omnibus Guidelines on the Implementation of Community Quarantine in the Philippines with Amendments as of May 20, 2021;

**WHEREAS**, national government agencies such as the Department of Health, Department of Education, Department of Trade and Industry, Department of Transportation, Department of Tourism and the Civil Service Commission among others, have issued guidelines supplementing the general provisions of the Omnibus Guidelines of the IATF;

**WHEREAS**, Section 16 of the Local Government Code of 1991 provides that local government units shall exercise the powers expressly granted, those necessarily implied, therefrom as well as powers necessary, appropriate or incidental for its efficient to the promotion of the general welfare, including the promotion of health and safety of the people;

**NOW THEREFORE, I FRANCO MAGNO CALIDA**, Mayor of the Municipality of Hagonoy, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby ORDER the following:

**Section 1. Adoption of MECQ Guidelines.** MECQ Guidelines under Section 3 of the Omnibus Guidelines on the implementation of Community Quarantine in the Philippines, as amended on May 20, are hereby adopted, subject to the supplemental guidelines issued by various National Government Agencies, to wit:

1. Minimum public health standards as provided by Provincial Ordinance No. 20-53 shall be complied with at all times;
2. The movement of all persons shall be limited to accessing goods and services from permitted establishments, for work in such establishments, or for such other activities allowed in Section 3 of the Omnibus Guidelines;
3. Any person below 18 years old, those who are over 65 years of age, those with immunodeficiency, comorbidity, or other health risks, and pregnant women shall be required to remain in their residences at all times, except for obtaining essential goods and services, or for work in industries and offices or such other activities permitted under Section 3 of the Omnibus Guidelines. Constituent City/Municipalities may relax the minimum age down to 15 years old, depending on the COVID-19 situation in their respective jurisdictions;
4. All establishments, persons, or activities not permitted to operate, work, or be undertaken during ECQ under Section 2(4) of the Omnibus Guidelines shall be allowed to operate at full on-site capacity;
5. All establishments, persons, or activities not permitted to operate, work, or be undertaken during ECQ shall be allowed to operate at 50% on-site capacity while encouraging work-from-home and other flexible work arrangements, where applicable.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, and without prejudice to the authority of DTI to issue a negative list of industries which shall remain prohibited even in areas under MECQ, the following establishments, persons, or activities shall not be permitted to operate, work, or be undertaken during MECQ:

- a. Entertainment venues with live performances such as karaoke bars, bars, clubs, concert halls, theaters, and cinemas;
- b. Recreational venues such as internet cafes, billiards halls, amusement arcades, and similar venues;

- c. Amusement parks or theme parks, fairs/*peryas*, kid amusement industries such as playgrounds, playroom, and kiddie rides;
- d. Outdoor sports courts or venues for contact sports, scimmages, games, or activities;
- e. Indoor sports courts or venues, fitness studios, gyms, spas or other indoor leisure centers or facilities, and swimming pools;
- f. Cockfighting and operation of cockpits, lottery and betting shops, and other gaming establishments;
- g. Indoor visitor or tourist attractions, libraries, galleries, and cultural shows and exhibits;
- h. Outdoor tourist attractions;
- i. Venues for meetings, incentives, conferences, and exhibitions;
- j. Personal care services which include beauty salons, beauty parlors, medical aesthetics clinics, cosmetic or derma clinics, make-up salons, nail spas, reflexology, aesthetics, wellness, and holistic centers, and other similar establishments; acupuncture and electrocautery establishments, and massage therapy including sports therapy establishments. It also includes establishments providing tanning services, body piercings, tattooing, and similar services. Home services for these activities are likewise not permitted; and
- k. Indoor dine-in services of food preparation establishments such as commissaries, restaurants, and eateries.

6. Agencies and instrumentalities of the government shall be fully operational, with a skeleton workforce on-site and the remainder under alternative work arrangements as approved by the head of the agency unless a greater on-site capacity is required in agencies providing health and emergency frontline services, laboratory and testing services, border control, or other critical services, in accordance with the relevant rules and regulations issued by the CSC;

7. Officials and employees of foreign diplomatic missions and international organizations by the DFA, whenever performing diplomatic functions and subject to the guidelines issued by the DFA, may operate with an on-site skeleton workforce;

8. Only hotels and accommodation establishments with valid DOT Accreditation shall be allowed to accommodate guests and clients for legitimate purposes under a state of public health emergency. The operations of such hotels and accommodation establishments, as well as ancillary establishments within their premises such as restaurants, cafes, gyms, spas, function halls, and the like, shall be subject to guidelines issued by the DOT and IATF;

9. Gatherings outside of residences shall be prohibited. Gathering at residences with any person outside of one's immediate household shall likewise be prohibited. However, gatherings that are essential for the provision of health services, government services, or humanitarian activities authorized by the appropriate government agency or instrumentality shall be allowed.

Religious gatherings shall be allowed up to 10% of the venue capacity. Provided, that, there is no objections from the local government unit where the religious gathering may take place. Provided, further, that constituents city/municipalities may increase the allowable venue capacity up to 30% depending on the COVID-19 situation in their respective jurisdictions. The religious denominations should strictly observe their submitted protocols and the minimum public health standards.

Gatherings for necrological services, wakes, inurnment, funeral for those who died of causes other than COVID-19 shall be allowed, provided that the same shall be limited to immediate family members, upon satisfactory proof of their relationship with the deceased and with full compliance with the prescribed minimum public health standards for the duration of the activity.

10. Face-to-face or in-person classes shall be suspended. The education sector shall operate in accordance with the guidelines of the CHED for higher education, TESDA ,for technical vocation and training, and DepEd for basic education;

11. Public transportation shall be allowed to operate at such capacity and protocols in accordance with the guidelines issued by the DOTr. The cause of active transportation such as biking is encouraged;

12. Law enforcement agencies shall recognize any of the following IDs: (1) IATF IDs issued by the regulatory agencies with jurisdiction over permitted establishments or

persons, (2) valid IDs or other pertinent documentation issued by the accredited organizations or establishments allowed under ECQ, and (3) if required by the LGU, local IDs for availing of essential goods and services. No other IDs or passes specifically exempting persons from community quarantine shall be required of workers of permitted establishments and/or offices without prejudice to requiring the presentation of other documents establishing the nature of their work;

13. The movement of cargo/delivery vehicles, as well as vehicles used by public utility companies, shall be unhampered. Shuttle services or permitted establishments shall not be subject to an ID system but shall maintain compliance with minimum public health standards;

14. Private corporations are encouraged to process payrolls online. Payroll managers and such other employees required for the processing of payroll shall be allowed to travel to their respective offices during MECQ;

15. Individual outdoor exercises such as outdoor walks, jogging, running or biking, are allowed with the general area of their residence, e.g. within the barangay, purok, subdivision and/or village. Provided, that the minimum public health standards and precautions such as the wearing of face mask, and the maintenance of social distancing protocols are observed;

16. Curfew hours as provided by Municipal EO 10 s. 2020 shall be observed throughout the municipality;

**Section 2. Enforcement.** The Philippine National Police, Philippine Army, Bureau of Fire Protection and Philippine Coast Guard, in coordination with the Barangays, City and Municipalities shall take the lead in the implementation of these guidelines.

Any violation of these guidelines shall continue non-cooperation of the person or entities and is punishable under Section 9(d) or (c), as the case may be, of Republic Act No. 11332, otherwise known as the Mandatory Reporting of Notifiable Diseases and Health Events of Public Concern Acts, its Implementing Rules and Regulations, local ordinances, and other related laws.

**Section 3. Liquor Ban.** Selling and servicing alcoholic beverages are strictly prohibited. Furthermore, drinking liquor in public is likewise strictly prohibited.


**Section 4. Border Control.** The guidelines regulating the entry and exit in the regional borders of Davao del Sur as per Joint RIATF-RTF Resolution No. 1 shall remain in full force and effect.

**Section 5. Separability Clause.** If any part, section, or provision of these Order is held invalid or unconstitutional, other provisions not affected thereby shall remain in full force and effect.

**Section 6. Repealing Clause.** Previous issuances or parts thereof in conflict with or inconsistent to the provisions of this Executive Order are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

**Section 7. Effectivity Clause.** This Executive Order shall take effect on July 1, 2021 to July 15, 2021.

Done this 30<sup>th</sup> day June 2021 at the Municipal Hall Hagonoy, Davao del Sur.

  
**FRANCO MAGNO CALIDA**  
Municipal Mayor