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ORDINANCE NO. 9
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"AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING R.A NO. 10152 KNOWN AS THE IMPLEMENTATION OF BASIC IMMUNIZATION SERVICES FOR INFANT AND CHILDREN"

WHEREAS, pursuant to Republic Act No. 10152 otherwise known as "Mandatory Infants and Children Health Immunization Act of 2011", declares the policy of the State to take a proactive role in the preventive health care of infants and children. Towards this end, the State shall adopt a comprehensive, mandatory and sustainable immunization program for vaccine-preventable diseases for all infants and children;

WHEREAS, in accordance with Article Il Section 15 of Philippine Constitution, the State shall protect and promote the right to health of the people and instill health consciousness among them;

WHEREAS, Republic Act 7160 states that every Local Government Unit shall exercise the powers to support and promote health and safety of their respective territorial jurisdiction;

WHEREAS, The Local Government of San Vicente supports the immunization of child to protect them against more diseases and keep other children safe by eliminating or greatly decreasing dangerous diseases that used to spread from child to child;

NOW THEREFORE, be it ordained, by the Sangguniang Bayan of San Vicente in session assembled:

SECTION 1. TITLE. - This ordinance shall be known as **"Implementation of Basic Immunization Services for Infants and Children in the Municipality of San Vicente".**

SECTION 2. COVERAGE. — The mandatory basic immunization for all infants and children provided under this Ordinance shall cover the following vaccine-preventable diseases:

(a) Tuberculosis;

(b) Diphtheria, tetanus and pertussis;

(c) Poliomyelitis;

(d) Measles;

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(e) Mumps;

(f) Rubella or German measles;

(g) Hepatitis-B;

(h) H. Influenza type B (HIB); and

(i) Such other types as may be determined by the Secretary of Health in a department circular.

The mandatory basic immunization shall be given for free at any government hospital or health center to infants and children up to five (5) years of age.

Hepatitis-B vaccine shall be administered by any duly licensed physician, nurse or midwife to infants born in hospitals, health infirmaries, health centers or lying-in centers with obstetrical and pediatric services, whether public or private, within twenty-four 24) hours after birth: Provided, however, That in cases of infants born in places other than the above, any duly licensed physician, nurse or midwife who delivers, or assists in the delivery of the newborn shall be responsible for administering the vaccine to the latter: Provided, further. That for deliveries assisted by persons other than the health professionals mentioned above, the infant should be brought to any available health care facility so as to be immunized against Hepatitis-B within twenty-four (24) hours after birth: Provided, finally, that subsequent doses of Hepatitis-B vaccination shall be completed according to the recommended schedule of Hepatitis-B immunization, as may be provided in the implementing rules and regulations to be issued by the Department of Health (DOH).

SECTION 3. EDUCATION AND INFORMATION CAMPAIGN. - All health care practitioners or health care workers who are administering prenatal care shall educate all pregnant mothers on the importance of giving their infants the basic immunization services as well as any possible effects of immunization.

The Rural Health Unit, other government agencies, non-government organizations, professional and academic societies, and local government units shall make available appropriate information materials and shall have a system of its distribution to the public.

SECTION 4. OBLIGATION TO INFORM. - Any physician, nurse, midwife, nursing aide, who delivers, or assists in the delivery of, a newborn

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shall, prior to delivery, inform parents or legal guardian of the newborn of the availability, nature and benefits of immunization against Hepatitis-B and other vaccine-preventable diseases at birth.

SECTION 5. CONTINUING EDUCATION AND TRAINING OF HEALTH PERSONNEL. The Rural Health Unit (RHU), with the assistance of local government units, academe, professional societies and non-governmental organizations, shall undertake continuing information, education and training programs for all health personnel on the rationale and benefits of as well as modern procedures for immunization of infants and children against vaccine-preventable diseases.

SECTION 6. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE. - If, for any reason, any part or provision of this ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional or invalid, the remaining provisions hereof which are not affected thereby shall continue to be in full force and effect.

SECTION 7. REPEALING CLAUSE. — All laws, decrees, executive orders, rules and regulations or parts thereof which are inconsistent with this ordinance are hereby repealed, amended or modified accordingly.

SECTION 8. EFFECTIVITY. — This ordinance shall take effect upon signing and approval of the Municipal Mayor.

ENACTED by the Sangguniang Bayan this **3rd** day of **June, 2024.**

Certified Correct:

Sgd.
MARIUS CLIFFORD R. BILLEDO
SB Secretary

ATTESTED:

Sgd.
JOSE C. TABANDA III
Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

Sgd.
JONAN D. TABANDA
Municipal Mayor