

ADVISORY FOR 12TH BATCH EPA WORKERS

26 October 2020

Please be advised that our counterpart, JICWELS-Japan, has provided the POEA-GPB the following information:

1. Be ready for the conduct of medical examination before the end of 2020. You may check the DOH website for the list of accredited medical clinics for overseas employment. EPA candidates may opt to have the medicals conducted in their home provinces by the medical clinics accredited by DOH for overseas employment.
2. All EPA candidates shall be required to observe 14 days health monitoring protocol prior to deployment. While are still awaiting the final guidelines on this, we encourage the candidates to monitor their health and follow the protocols on safety and health implemented by your respective municipalities.
3. All EPA candidates will have to undergo PCR test 72 hours prior to departure. We will provide you the list of accredited swabbing centers to facilitate your RT-PCR test/
4. Other activities to be completed prior to departure are release of visa, conduct of PDOS and Pre-Flight briefieng. We will advise/update you on the processes.
5. **DO NOT PROCEED TO MEDICAL EXAMINATION/PCR TEST UNLESS GIVEN CLEARANCE BY POEA-GPB ACCOUNT OFFICER.**
6. **PLEASE CONTINUE STUDYING THE HOMEWORKS THAT YOU WERE REQUIRED TO STUDY and REVIEW ALL THE MATERIALS PROVIDED BY JAPAN FOUNDATION IN PREPARATION FOR YOUR TRAINING IN JAPAN.**
7. For other concerns, you may call Ms. Delia or Ms. Ellaine at telephone numbers 8722-1174; 8722-1175; 8722-1177.