



Republic of the Philippines  
Tanggapan ng Sangguniang Panlungsod  
City of Naga



**ORDINANCE NO. 2005-014**

**AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A CASH ASSISTANCE FUND FOR HOSPITALIZATION/MEDICAL AND/OR DEATH EXPENSES FOR MEMBERS OF THE BARANGAY TANODS, BARANGAY HEALTH WORKERS (BHW), BARANGAY NUTRITION SCHOLARS (BNS), BARANGAY SERVICE POINT OFFICERS (BSPO), SUPPLEMENTAL FEEDING VOLUNTEERS (BSFV), BARANGAY SOCIAL WORK VOLUNTEERS (BSWV), BARANGAY ECUCARE TEACHERS, AND SUCH OTHER BARANGAY VOLUNTEERS AS THE CITY GOVERNMENT MAY HEREAFTER APPOINT, IN THE TWENTY-SEVEN (27) BARANGAYS OF THE CITY OF NAGA, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE ORDINANCE NO. 2000-001, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES:**

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Be it ordained by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of the City of Naga, that:

**SECTION 1.** Title. This Ordinance shall be known as the “Ordinance Granting Cash Assistance for Hospitalization/Medical/Death Expenses for Barangay Volunteer Workers in the City of Naga”.

**SECTION 2.** Cash Assistance. The cash assistance granted under this Ordinance shall be as follows:

2.1. Hospitalization/Medical Assistance

2.1.a Any illness or injury requiring hospitalization or medical attention which renders the worker incapacitated to perform his functions/work for a period not exceeding fifteen (15) days, the amount of P150/day shall be extended, but not to exceed P2,500.00;

2.1.b Any illness or injury requiring hospitalization or medical attention which renders the worker incapacitated to perform his functions/work for a period exceeding fifteen (15) days but not more than thirty (30) days, the amount of P200/day shall be extended, but not to exceed P5,000.00;

2.1.c Any illness or injury requiring hospitalization or medical attention which renders the worker incapacitated to perform his functions/work for a period exceeding thirty (30) days but not more than forty-five (45) days, the amount of P250/day shall be extended, but not to exceed P7,000.00;

2.1.d Any illness or injury requiring hospitalization or medical attention which renders the worker incapacitated to perform his functions/work for a period exceeding forty-five (45) days, the amount of P250/day shall be extended, but not to exceed P10,000.00;

2.2. Death Assistance

2.2.a In case of death due to high blood pressure, hypertension, or heart failure occurring within forty-eight (48) hours from duty or death while in the performance of duty or by reason thereof, a cash assistance in the amount of Fifteen Thousand Pesos (P15,000.00) shall be extended to his/her immediate family.

2.2.b. In case of death due to a cause other than as mentioned under Section 2.2.a above, a cash assistance in the amount of Ten Thousand Pesos (P10,000.00) shall be extended to his/her immediate family.

**SECTION 3.** Entitlement. Any person claiming entitlement to the cash assistance granted under this Ordinance must be a duly appointed, recognized, or authorized Barangay Tanod, Barangay Health Worker, Barangay Nutrition Scholar, Barangay Social Work Volunteer, or Barangay Day Care Teacher in any of the twenty-seven (27) barangays of the City of Naga in active duty/service or has rendered service as such for at least seven (7) years.

Any person claiming entitlement under this Ordinance shall submit an Application to the City Accountant's Office, stating the following:

3.1. Name of the barangay volunteer worker, address and other personal information, his/her designation, date of appointment, length of service, barangay of assignment;

3.2 Name of the applicant (in case of claim for Death Assistance), indicating relationship to the barangay volunteer worker;

3.3 Nature of claim (death or hospitalization/medical assistance).

The application form shall be accompanied by the following attachments:

3.4 Proof of appointment - Appointment Paper (or Certification) by the City Mayor, and, in the case of Barangay Tanods, Certification from the Department of Interior and Local Government (DILG)

3.5 Medical Certificate issued by the Attending Physician together with the Medical or Case Abstract

3.6 Death Certificate (as the case maybe)

For the purpose of the foregoing Section, the City Accountant's Office shall provide the Application Form to be filled up and submitted by applicant beneficiaries containing the information aforementioned.

**SECTION 4.** Non-exclusivity of entitlement. Availment of the hospitalization/medical assistance granted under this Ordinance shall not preclude the beneficiary's immediate family

from claiming entitlement to the death assistance granted herein in the event of the beneficiary's death and entitlement to any similar assistance or benefit granted under national laws or under any public or private contract.

**SECTION 5.** Limitation. The Hospitalization/medical assistance granted under Section 2.1 of this Ordinance may be availed of only once-a-year; provided, however, that this limitation shall not be applicable when the hospitalization or incapacity is due to physical injuries sustained while in the performance of duties, in the course of, or by reason thereof.

**SECTION 6.** Limited Retroactivity. The provisions of this Ordinance shall extend to illnesses/injuries suffered, or death taking place within one year from the approval hereof.

**SECTION 7.** Appropriation. The amount of Three Hundred Sixty Thousand (P360,000.00) Pesos appropriated and provided for in the annual budget of the City Government of Naga.

**SECTION 8.** Repealing Clause. All ordinances, resolutions, orders, and other issuances or parts thereof which are inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby deemed repealed, amended, or modified accordingly.

**SECTION 9.** Effectivity. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon the approval hereof.

**ENACTED:** February 21, 2005.

**WE HEREBY CERTIFY** to the correctness of the foregoing resolution.

**(Sgd.) FIEL L. ROSALES**  
Secretary to the  
Sangguniang Panlungsod

**(Sgd.) GABRIEL H. BORDADO, JR.**  
City Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

**(Sgd.) JESSE M. ROBREDO**  
City Mayor