

Republic of the Philippines  
**PROVINCE OF** \_\_\_\_\_  
Municipality/City of \_\_\_\_\_  
Barangay \_\_\_\_\_

**SANGGUNIANG BARANGAY**  
ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

**Author: Hon.** \_\_\_\_\_

AN ORDINANCE CREATING BARANGAY TB TASK FORCE TO CONSOLIDATE  
AND UNIFY EFFORTS TOWARDS A COMMUNITY WHERE  
TUBERCULOSIS (TB) IS NO LONGER A PUBLIC HEALTH PROBLEM

**BE IT ENACTED** by the **SANGGUNIANG BARANGAY** in session assembled that:

**Section 1: Implementation of the Barangay TB Program**

Barangay \_\_\_\_\_ joins the Government efforts to institute an effective program for Tuberculosis Control through the National Tuberculosis Control Program (NTP). The Directly Observed Treatment Short Course (DOTS) strategy of the NTP shall be the main strategy for Tuberculosis control in the Barangay. The five (5) component of the DOTS strategy include: 1. Direct Sputum Smear Examination shall be the initial diagnostic tool in case finding. 2. Standardized Chemotherapy in accordance with the National TB Program. 3. Recording and reporting of cases shall be on the standardized National TB Program forms to be implemented in all health centers 4. Directly Observed Treatment (DOT) shall be used as the strategy to ensure patient compliance. 5. Political commitment to ensure sustained, comprehensive implementation of National TB Program activities. The Executive Order 187 is about the Comprehensive and Unified Policy on TB o CUP which serve as a guide in managing TB programs in the province, municipality and barangay.

**Section 2: Creation of a Barangay TB Task Force**

As a vehicle for consolidation and unification of efforts on TB, the Barangay hereby creates the Barangay TB Task Force who will lead and supervise all the activities in the implementation of the Barangay TB Program . The Task Force will be responsible in case finding and case holding which will be composed of the following:

1. Barangay Council Member who leads the Committee on Health;
2. RHU Midwife assigned in the Barangay; and
3. Selected Barangay Health Worker

### **Section 3: Roles, Functions and Responsibilities of the Barangay TB Task Force**

The following are the roles, functions and responsibilities of the Brgy. TB Task Force:

1. Identify and establish the roles and responsibilities of the partners in the organization and delivery of TB care as per NTP guidelines;
2. Coordinate the different sectors involved in the NTP implementation and ensure that the NTP policies and the DOTS strategy is implemented ;
3. Source additional support (financial or materials) for the continuous implementation of the Barangay TB Program; and
4. Assist in all the activities of the RHU and the Barangay Health Station towards efficient and effective implementation of the Barangay TB Program.

### **Section 4: Support from the Barangay**

To effectively implement the roles and responsibilities of the Barangay TB Task Force, the following are the support and assistance to be provided by the Barangay:

- a. Use of the Barangay Building and vehicle for Barangay TB Task Force; and
- b. Provide transportation allowance of TB Task Force members in supervising patients and give information about TB.

### **Section 5: Effectivity**

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

**ENACTED** during the [redacted] **Regular Session** of the **Sangguniang Barangay**, this [redacted] day of [redacted], at Barangay \_\_\_\_\_.

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

[redacted]  
**Brgy. Secretary**

**ATTESTED:**

**HON.** [redacted]  
Presiding Officer, Barangay Chairman