



Republic of the Philippines
Province of Eastern Samar
Municipality of Guiuan

-OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL MAYOR-

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. AGK-06-24-(2021)
SERIES OF 2021

**AN EXECUTIVE ORDER DECLARING THE TRAVEL REQUIREMENTS AND
PROTOCOLS FOR VISITORS AND TOURISTS ENTERING BARANGAY SULANGAN
DURING THE FEAST DAY OF ST. ANTHONY DE PADUA
FROM JUNE 11 TO 13, 2021**

WHEREAS, the World Health Organization (WHO) has decreed a Covid-19 pandemic;

WHEREAS, President Rodrigo Roa Duterte issued Presidential Proclamation 1021 extending the State of Calamity in the country until September 12, 2021;

WHEREAS, the General Welfare Clause under Sec. 16 of the Local Government Code of 1991 mandates the Local Government Units to ensure and support among other things, the promotion of health and safety within their respective territorial jurisdictions;

WHEREAS, the Province of Eastern Samar and the Municipality of Guiuan, Eastern Samar are under the Modified General Community Quarantine (MGCQ);

WHEREAS, COVID-19 positive cases are rising in Region VIII, with four (4) cases testing positive for UK COVID-19 variant.

WHEREAS, out of the 66 active cases in Eastern Samar, Guiuan has a total of 27 active cases as of June 6, 2021 with more than 300 primary and secondary contacts.

WHEREAS, the Provincial IATF and the Provincial Health Office declared Guiuan as a High-Risk Area as of June 6, 2021.

WHEREAS, Department of Interior and Local Government issued Memorandum Circular No. 2021-058 dated May 31, 2021, mandating all LGUs to intensify regulation or prohibition of holding of activities as sources of virus superspreaders, which was further emphasized in the Regional IATF's Resolution No. 25 dated June 4, 2021.

WHEREAS, there is a need to implement protocols and guidelines to regulate and limit the conduct of public activities during the Sulangan Fiesta, known for drawing a huge number of visitors and devotees.

WHEREAS, the Local Government of Guiuan is committed to protecting and ensuring the safety and security of all Guiuananons;

NOW THEREFORE, I, ANNALIZA P. GONZALES-KWAN, Municipal Mayor, this municipality, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law do hereby order the following:

Section 1. Visitors Not Allowed to Enter Barangay Sulangan from June 11 to 13, 2021 – The Municipality of Guiuan, Eastern Samar, together with Barangay Sulangan and the St. Anthony de Padua Parish Team Ministry, has declared that the following visitors are not allowed to enter Barangay Sulangan and participate in the religious, cultural, or touristic activities within the barangay from June 11 to 13, 2021:

1. Visitors coming from outside the Province of Eastern Samar (Leyte, Samar, Northern Samar, Biliran)
2. Visitors coming from High Risk (Red) and Moderate Risk (Yellow) Areas within the Province of Eastern Samar. Please check the status of municipalities declared by the Eastern Samar Provincial Health Office.
3. Vulnerable Group –Any persons below fifteen (15) years old, those who are sixty-five (65) years old and above, those who are immunocompromised and/or with comorbidities and other health risks, and pregnant women.

Section 2. Travel Requirements for Entering Guiuan for Visitors Allowed to Enter Barangay Sulangan from June 11 to 13, 2021 - The Municipality of Guiuan, Eastern Samar is requiring the following documents as conditions sine qua non for entering Barangay Sulangan:

1. Two (2) copies of Barangay Certificate from place of origin indicating that the individual is not a PUI or a PUM (or a close contact of COVID-19 positive patient/s).
2. Valid I.D.
3. Safe Guiuan QR Code (<https://safeguiuan.today>).

No documents, no entry to Barangay Sulangan, effective June 11 to 13, 2021.

Section 3. Establishment of an Oplan Sita border control at Barangay Sulangan – The BLGU of Sulangan, the PNP, and other peace and order volunteers shall set-up border control in an area within the jurisdiction of Barangay Sulangan to strictly implement the entry protocols stated in Sections 1 and 2 and monitor the movement of people in the barangay from June 11 to 13, 2021.

1. Upon arrival, all visitors who wish to enter the barangay shall submit one (1) copy of their Barangay Certificate with their mobile number to the Border Control personnel and present his/her Valid I.D. for verification. No documents, no entry.
2. Body temperature check using Thermal Scanners are to be undertaken for all visitors by border personnel. Visitors with temperature above 37.5 °Celsius and/or showing signs and symptoms of COVID-19 are to be politely turned down from entering the barangay and will be referred to the Health Unit for proper LGU response.

Section 4. Minimum Public Health Standards - All visitors are expected to follow the minimum health protocols mandated by the Department of Health (DOH) and the National IATF, i.e.,

1. Wearing of face masks and face shield;
2. Observance of the one (1) meter physical or social distancing;
3. Handshakes are discouraged.

Section 5. Penalties - Non-compliance of this Executive Order shall be penalized under the provisions of Sec. 10, in relation to Sec. 9 of Republic Act No. 11332, otherwise known as the Mandatory Reporting of Notifiable Diseases and Health Events of Public Health Concern Act of 2019.

Further, if the offense is committed by a public or private health facility, institution, agency, corporation, school, or other juridical entity duly organized in accordance with law, the Chief Executive Officer, President, General Manager, or such other officer in-charge shall be held liable. In addition, the business permit and license to operate of the concerned facility, institution, agency, corporation, school, or legal entity shall be cancelled.

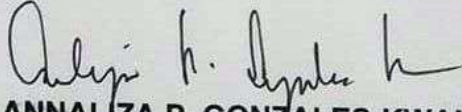
Section 6. Separability Clause - In case any provision of this Executive Order or any part hereof is declared invalid, contrary to law, or unconstitutional, the provisions not thereby affected shall remain in force and effect.

Section 7. Repeal - All other issuances or parts thereof inconsistent with the provisions of this Executive Order are hereby repealed or amended accordingly.

Section 8. Effectivity - This Executive Order shall take effect from June 11 to 13, 2021.

SO ORDERED.

Done this 7th of June 2021 at Guiuan, Eastern Samar


HON. ANNALIZA P. GONZALES-KWAN
Municipal Mayor