

221K kids immunized

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The **Quezon City (QC) government** reported vaccinating against measles and rubella 221,490 children aged nine months to five years, representing 95 percent of its target.

The various vaccination drives by the **QC health department** reduced to 10,000 the kids yet to be vaccinated by February and only because their parents refused to have them inoculated.

Barangay workers were tapped by the city government in mapping, scheduling and setting the location sites for the vaccination drives.

City health head Dr. Esperanza Anita Escaño-Arias said they will continue giving free measles and rubella vaccines to children past the month-long inoculation drive of the Department of Health.

Arias assured parents that city health workers are wearing the necessary personal protective equipment in undertaking the vaccination of kids in view of the Covid-19 pandemic.