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UPDATES ON WOMEN AND MEN IN THE PHILIPPINES

Indicator	Women	Men	Ref. Period/Source
Population			
Projected Population	44.1M	44.6M	2007/ NSO
Projected Life Expectancy at Birth	71.6 years	66.1 years	2005 / NSO
Education			
Functional Literacy Rate (%)	86.3	81.9	2003 / NSO
Simple Literacy Rate (%)	94.3	92.6	2003 / NSO
Distribution of the Population 10 Years Old and Over by Highest Educational Attainment (%)			2003 / NSO
No Grade Completer	5.9	6.0	
Pre-School	2.3	2.3	
Elementary	40.7	43.1	
Secondary	28.8	28.0	
Post Secondary	3.7	4.0	
College Undergraduate	10.3	9.8	
College Graduate and Higher	5.5	3.9	
Not Stated	2.9	2.9	
Most Common Field of Study	Health Related Programs	Engineering Technology and Related Programs	SY 2005-2006/ CHED
Most Common Program in Technical Vocational Education	Trade, Craft, and Industrial Programs	Trade, Craft, and Industrial Programs	2004 / TESDA
Health and Nutrition			
Maternal Mortality Rate (per 100,000 births)	107.7	a/	2003 / NSO
Proportion of Obese (%)	5.7	3.0	2003 / FNRI
Proportion of Underweight (%)	14.2	10.6	2003 / FNRI
Prevalence of Underweight Children 0-5 Years Old	24.1	25.0	2005 / FNRI
Prevalence of Underweight Children 6-10 Years Old	19.5	25.9	2005 / FNRI
Prevalence of Underweight Children 0-5 Years Old	25.8	26.8	2005 / FNRI
Prevalence of Underweight Children 6-10 Years Old	27.1	36.7	2005 / FNRI
Prevalence of Thin Children 0-5 Years Old	4.2	5.5	2005 / FNRI
Prevalence of Overweight Children 0-5 Years Old	2.0	1.9	2005 / FNRI
Prevalence of Overweight Children 6-10 Years Old	1.0	2.2	2005 / FNRI
Most Common Disability	Low Vision	Low Vision	2000 / NSO
Proportion of Children 12-23 Months Old Who Received Vaccinations (%)	71.3	68.4	2003 / NSO
Proportion of Children 6-59 Months Old Who Received Vitamin A Supplements (%)	75.7	76.3	2003 / NSO
Proportion of the Population 15 Years Old and Over Who Are Aware of AIDS (%)	95.2	95.6	2003 / NSO
Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000 live births)	25.0	35.0	2003 / NSO
Under-Five Mortality Rate (per 1,000 live births)	34.0	48.0	2003 / NSO
Social Welfare and Development^{e/}			
No. of Clients Served by DSWD			2006 b/ / DSWD
Children	31,651	32,185	
Youth	471	5,048	
Women	5,380	a/	
Persons with Disabilities (PWDs)	3,348	6,237	
Senior Citizens	1,757	1,126	
Other Clients	167,449	127,864	
Work and Economic Participation			
Labor Force Participation Rate (% ^{b/})	48.8	79.1	Oct 2006 / NSO
Unemployment Rate (% ^{b/})	6.8	7.6	Oct 2006 / NSO
Proportion of Poor Households by Sex of HH Head (%)	17.0	29.6	2000 ^{f/} / NSCB
Proportion of Poor Women (% ^{c/})	32.3	a/	2000 / NSCB/UNDP
Most Common Occupation	Laborers and Unskilled Workers	Laborers and Unskilled Workers	July 2006 / NSO
Most Dominated Industry	Wholesale and Retail Trade	Agriculture, Hunting & Forestry	July 2006 / NSO
Primary Occupation of Working Children 5-17 Years Old	Laborers & Unskilled Workers	Laborers & Unskilled Workers	April 2006 / NSO
Overseas Filipino Workers	502,000	554,000	Oct 2002 / NSO
Age Group with the Largest Proportion of OFWs	25-29	45 and over	2005 / NSO
Most Common Destination of OFWs	Hongkong & Saudi Arabia	Saudi Arabia	2005 / NSO
Most Common Occupation of OFWs	Laborers & Unskilled Workers	Plant & machine operators and assemblers	2005 / NSO
Agriculture			
No. of Holders of Cert. of Land Ownership Agreement (CLOA) ^{d/}	431,222	960,298	Jun 2006 / DAR
Proportion of Unpaid Family Workers (%)	54.5	45.5	July 2006 / NSO

a/ Not applicable r - revised b/ preliminary c/ Output of NSCB/UNDP project d/ Cumulative as of June 2006 e/ Beneficiaries for other projects were accounted for from 2004-2006

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Public Life							
Proportion of Occupied Elective Positions (%)	16.6		83.4	2004 / COMELEC			
Number of Elected Women and Men by Position	2,901		14,565	2004 / COMELEC			
President	1		0	2004 / COMELEC			
Vice-President	0		1	2004 / COMELEC			
Senators	3		9	2004 / COMELEC			
Congressmen	1		12	2001 / COMELEC			
Governors	32		179	2004 / COMELEC			
Vice-Governors	15		62	2004 / COMELEC			
Board Members	7		71	2004 / COMELEC			
Mayors	125		623	2004 / COMELEC			
Vice-Mayors	244		1,352	2004 / COMELEC			
Councilors	222		1,375	2004 / COMELEC			
Councillors	2,251		10,881	2004 / COMELEC			
Distribution of Government Personnel by Major Subdivision (%)							
Total Number	831,521		644,178	2004 / CSC			
National Agencies	73.4		60.7	2004 / CSC			
Government Owned & Controlled Corporation	4.9		9.8	2004 / CSC			
Local Government Unit	21.7		29.5	2004 / CSC			
Distribution of Government Personnel in the Career Service Position by Level of Position (%)							
Total Number	772,401		543,765	2004 / CSC			
First Level	21.1		38.7	2004 / CSC			
Second Level	78.1		59.4	2004 / CSC			
Third Level	0.4		1.1	2004 / CSC			
Non-Executive Career	0.4		0.8	2004 / CSC			
Child Abuse ^{f/}							
Number of Cases Served by DSWD	Women			Men			
	2005	2006 ^{b/}	Inc. / Dec. (%)	2005	2006 ^{b/}	Inc. / Dec. (%)	
Total	5,791	5,278	-8.9	2,545	2,328	-8.5	
Sexually Abused	2,889	2,745	-5.0	50	58	16.0	
Neglected	1,164	1,118	-4.0	1,256	1,149	-8.5	
Physically Abused/ Maltreated	563	406	-27.9	446	390	-12.6	
Abandoned	417	445	6.7	519	594	14.5	
Victims of Child Labor	199	152	-23.6	69	79	14.5	
Sexually exploited	257	241	-6.2	10	3	-70.0	
Others	302	171	-43.4	195	55	-71.8	
Violence against Women							
No. of Cases Reported to PNP	2005	2006 ^{b/}	Inc. / Dec. (%)	No. of Cases Served by DSWD	2005	2006 ^{b/}	Inc. / Dec. (%)
Total	5,374	3,447	-35.9	Total	5,559	5,378	-3.3
Physical Injuries/ Wife Battering	2,335	1,085	-53.5	Physically Abused/	1,557	1,438	-7.6
Rape	927	540	-41.7	Maltreated/ Battered			
Acts of Lasciviousness	536	328	-38.8	Sexually Abused	373	333	-10.7
Maltreatment/Threats	223	156	-30.0	Involuntary Prostitution	85	75	-11.8
Attempted Rape	148	135	-8.8	Illegal Recruitment	162	45	-72.2
Incestuous Rape	46	22	-52.2	In Detention	62	71	14.5
Others	1,159	1,181	1.9	Armed Conflict	9	15	66.7
				Others	3,311	3,401	2.7
Human Rights ^{h/}							
Percentage of Respondents^{g/} Who Are Aware of Their Rights to Ancestral Domains and Lands, 2001				Percentage of Respondents^{g/} Who Experienced Violation of Rights to Ancestral Domains and Lands, 2001			
Type of Rights	Both Sexes	Women	Men	Type of Violation	Both Sexes	Women	Men
Number of Respondents	750	243	507	Number of Respondents	750	243	507
Percentage of Respondents				Percentage of Respondents			
Right of ownership	94.1	93.4	94.5	Not experienced violation	35.5	70.9	18.5
Right in case of displacement	56.0	57.6	55.2	Experienced violation:	41.1	36.6	43.2
Right to regulate entry of migrant	91.9	93.4	91.1	Encroachment	20.0	12.8	23.5
Right to develop lands and natural resources	99.3	99.6	99.2	Pollution	12.1	10.3	13.0
Right to safe and clean water	98.1	97.5	98.4	Illegal Entry	26.7	25.9	27.0
Right to claim parts of reservation	68.1	68.7	67.9	Displacement/Relocation	4.7	2.5	5.7
Right to resolve conflict	85.2	83.5	86.0	Others	3.9	2.1	4.7

^{b/} preliminary ^{f/} Covers those below 15 years of age ^{g/} 1. The figures are based on a pilot survey of 750 households in the ancestral domains of the Kankanaey, Bago and Bugkalot tribes in Regions I, II, III and CAR; 2. A respondent may have multiple responses; hence, the totals may exceed 100 percent

^{h/} Output of the CHR-NCIP-NSCB-NSO-SRTC Metagora Project implemented by the OECD under the institutional aegis of PARIS 21 with financial assistance of the European Union, France, Sweden and Switzerland

Sources of Data:

CHED - Commission on Higher Education COMELEC - Commission on Elections CSC - Civil Service Commission DAR - Department of Agrarian Reform
 CHR - Commission on Human Rights FNRI - Food and Nutrition Research Institute NCIP - National Commission on Indigenous Peoples NSCB - National Statistical Coordination Board
 NSO - National Statistics Office DSWD - Department of Social Welfare and Development PNP - Philippine National Police TESDA - Technical Education and Skills Development Authority

UPDATES ON WOMEN AND MEN AMONG ASEAN COUNTRIES

Country	Women	Men	Ref. Period / Source
Population by Sex			
Brunei Darussalam	179	194.0	2003 /2005 ASEAN Statistical Yearbook
Cambodia	6,996	6,593	2003 /2005 ASEAN Statistical Yearbook
Indonesia	107,994	108,416	2003 /2005 ASEAN Statistical Yearbook
Lao PDR	2,909	2,851	2003 /2005 ASEAN Statistical Yearbook
Malaysia	12,557	13,023	2003 /2005 ASEAN Statistical Yearbook
Myanmar	27,594	27,151	2003 /2005 ASEAN Statistical Yearbook
Philippines	41,083	41,580	2003 /2005 ASEAN Statistical Yearbook
Singapore	2,133	2,107	2003 /2005 ASEAN Statistical Yearbook
Thailand	32,560	31,909	2003 /2005 ASEAN Statistical Yearbook
Viet Nam	41,709	40,313	2003 /2005 ASEAN Statistical Yearbook
ASEAN	275,714	274,137	2003 /2005 ASEAN Statistical Yearbook
Adult Literacy Rate ^{i/}			
Brunei Darussalam	99	99.0	2004 /2005 ASEAN Statistical Yearbook
Cambodia	60	80	2004 /2005 ASEAN Statistical Yearbook
Indonesia	87	94	2004 /2005 ASEAN Statistical Yearbook
Lao PDR	75	83	2004 /2005 ASEAN Statistical Yearbook
Malaysia	93	96	2004 /2005 ASEAN Statistical Yearbook
Myanmar	93	96	2004 /2005 ASEAN Statistical Yearbook
Philippines	96	95	2004 /2005 ASEAN Statistical Yearbook
Singapore	92	97	2004 /2005 ASEAN Statistical Yearbook
Thailand	98	98	2004 /2005 ASEAN Statistical Yearbook
Viet Nam	-	-	2004 /2005 ASEAN Statistical Yearbook
Life Expectancy at Birth ^{j/}			
Brunei Darussalam	-	-	2004 /2005 ASEAN Statistical Yearbook
Cambodia	63.4	57.2	2004 /2005 ASEAN Statistical Yearbook
Indonesia	70.7	66.7	2004 /2005 ASEAN Statistical Yearbook
Lao PDR	-	-	2004 /2005 ASEAN Statistical Yearbook
Malaysia	76.2	70.4	2004 /2005 ASEAN Statistical Yearbook
Myanmar	-	-	2004 /2005 ASEAN Statistical Yearbook
Philippines	72.8	67.5	2004 /2005 ASEAN Statistical Yearbook
Singapore	81.3	77.4	2004 /2005 ASEAN Statistical Yearbook
Thailand	-	-	2004 /2005 ASEAN Statistical Yearbook
Viet Nam	-	-	2004 /2005 ASEAN Statistical Yearbook

^{i/} Adult Literacy Rate refers to 15+

^{j/} Human Development Report, UNDP, 2004

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