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City of Ilagan
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OFFICE OF THE PROVINCIAL SOCIAL WELFARE AND DEVELOPMENT

ANNUAL ACCOMPLISHMENT REPORT CY 2017

INTRODUCTION

Pursuant to RA 7160, Section 17, the provision of Basic Social Welfare Services is vital in uplifting the living conditions and improving the quality of life of the poorest sector of the population to enable them to become self-reliant and contribute to national development. Hence the state is committed to the care, protection, and rehabilitation of that segment of the country's population (individual, family and community) that has the least in life in terms of physical, mental, and social well-being as well as social welfare assistance and social work intervention, to restore normal functioning and participation in community development.

In support to the mandate, the Provincial Social Welfare and Development Office continue to perform its responsibility with focus and dedication guided by the Vision, Mission, and Goal which are as follows:

VISION

Empowered individuals, families, and communities with improved quality of life and performing their expected roles, and able to mobilize resources to meet their basic needs.

MISSION

Provide a balanced approach to welfare and development whereby the needs and interest of the population are addressed not only at the outbreak of crisis but more importantly at the stage which leads to such crisis.

GOAL

To provide every Isabeleño access to world-class social services and social protection by the year 2030.

The PSWD office is geared towards uplifting the wellbeing of the disadvantaged sector through provision of the different programs and services, to wit:

I. CHILD AND YOUTH

Children’s Month Celebration

Pursuant to Republic Act 10661, the country celebrate the month of November of every year as National Children’s Month. The law emphasizes the importance of the role of the child with the Filipino family and in nation building.

In observance to the provision, the provincial government of Isabela, once again, celebrated the Children’s Month on its 25th year anniversary with the province’ sub theme: “*Araw Araw, Araw ng Batang Isabeleño!*”. The activity was conducted on November 23, 2017. It was also during this day where the chairman of the Local Council for the Protection of Children, the provincial governor Hon. Faustino G. Dy III, pronounced by virtue of an Executive Order, the declaration of celebration of “*Araw ng Batang Isabeleño*” every 23rd day of November of every year. The cheerful event was attended by more than 1,000 participants of which about 90% are children from the different public and private elementary schools in the province. The event was highlighted with other activities like public awareness through Bombo Radyo as part of the Drumbeat, Fun Games cum Gift-Giving with Agta children at Abuan, San Antonio, City of Ilagan and a Thanksgiving Mass at St. Michael the Archangel Cathedral.



Youth Summit

The Provincial Government of Isabela has been successful in tapping the support and participation of the youth sector in almost all of its successful endeavors. From civic and social activities, leadership and education, agriculture to disaster risk reduction and management, the role and the fullest potentials of the Isabeleño youth have been involved and recognized. However, Isabeleño youth of today is challenged with many issues and concerns especially with the postponement of the SK elections.

On the other hand, the PGI continue to empower the youth sector by providing them opportunities to address the many challenges confronted by their sector. On December 7-8, 2017, a multi-sectoral, bigger and more comprehensive 2nd Isabela Youth Summit was conducted among in-school youth, out of school, youth professionals, youth with special needs, etc. The summit has served as a great opportunity to continue educating the youth, learn from them, appreciate and develop their full potentials and inculcate to them their roles in addressing issues and concerns faced by their group.



Unlad Kabataan Program (UKP)

The Unlad Kabataan Program for youth is geared towards the total development of the disadvantaged youth in terms of his/her spiritual, economic, physical, psychological, cultural and social development. The goal of the program is to promote the development of the out of school youth and other disadvantaged youth to become self-reliant, economically productive, and socially responsible citizen able to contribute to the development of their family and community.

To support its goal, the provincial government has introduced various programs for the disadvantaged youth supplemented by the PSWD office with the following programs and services:

- 1. Organization of
of Pag-Asa
(PYA)



the Isabela Federation
Youth Association

2. Conduct of Meetings

A meeting with the officers of the Isabela Federation of Pag-Asa Youth Association and Youth Focal Officers at the Local Government Units is regularly conducted quarterly. The meeting intends to help their Focal officers in the formulation of their plan and concerns confronted by the group.



3. Networking

The office of the Provincial Social Welfare and Development coordinates with other agencies and facilitate for the conduct of appropriate activities that will address common issues and concerns confronted by many youth.



Day Care Service

Children enrolled in Child Development Centers are provided with opportunities for growth and development through continuous conduct of monitoring and evaluation of both the Center and the Service Provider using the Early Childhood Care and Development Center-based Programs Standard Tool (ECCD-CBPST).

2017 Day Care Service Data

City/Municipality	Number of Barangays	Number of Day Care Centers	Number of Day Care Workers	Total Children Served (SY 2017-2018)
ALICIA	34	38	38	1,334
AURORA	33	26	25	763
ANGADANAN	59	49	50	1,088
BENITO SOLIVEN	29	32	34	785

BURGOS	14	13	13	273
CABAGAN	26	33	34	1,162
CABATUAN	22	26	26	694
CAUAYAN CITY	65	74	82	2,691
CITY OF ILAGAN	91	120	121	4,050
CORDON	26	42	37	959
DELFIN ALBANO	29	23	24	743
DINAPIGUE	6	8	9	245
DIVILACAN	12	7	7	232
ECHAGUE	64	63	64	2,537
GAMU	16	18	18	598
JONES	42	44	44	1,087
LUNA	19	18	17	487
MACONACON	10	10	10	664
MALLIG	18	18	18	574
NAGUILIAN	25	26	26	949
PALANAN	17	33	33	682
QUEZON	15	20	20	747
QUIRINO	21	22	22	565
RAMON	19	30	24	1,198
REINA MERCEDES	20	22	21	650
ROXAS	26	33	35	1,086
SAN AGUSTIN	23	25	25	533
SAN GUILLERMO	26	30	29	615
SAN ISIDRO	13	13	13	430
SAN MANUEL	19	19	20	590
SAN MARIANO	36	57	53	1,966
SAN MATEO	33	37	33	886
SAN PABLO	17	26	25	736
SANTA MARIA	20	24	27	888
SANTO TOMAS	27	24	25	622
TUMAUINI	46	36	38	1,822
TOTAL	1,018	1,139	1,140	35,931

2017 Accreditation Accomplishments

Municipality	# of DCC Assessed	# of DCW Assessed
San Mariano	8	8
Cabatuan	16	16
Gamu	16	16
Burgos	14	14
Aurora	19	18
San Guillermo	7	7
Ramon	12	11
Sta. Maria	8	6
Sto. Tomas	6	6
Echague	6	4
Quirino	5	4

TOTAL	117	110
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Feeding Program

The PSWDO assists the PGI in providing Hot Meal for 120 days to reported malnourished children, it is launched in every municipality where Farmers Congress is conducted. The S



Another 120-day Provision of Hot meals to *Agta* Children in coastal areas including the municipalities of San Pablo and City of Ilagan and (10) other municipalities reported with high prevalence of malnutrition by the Health sector.

II. WOMEN

The KALIPI is a federation of women’s organization in the province, committed to respond to the need of organizing the women of Isabela which genuinely promotes women’s development and empowerment through harnessing their strengths and developing their full potentials as human beings.

The KALIPI is a strong partner of the unique federation of women in the province, the Isabela Green Ladies Organization (IGLO). The provincial government acknowledges the contributions of the federation in promoting gender equality and women empowerment. The

provincial government strongly supports the federation particularly in uplifting the economic condition of the disadvantaged women through income-generating projects.



The provincial government provides opportunities for women to improve and enhance knowledge and skills



The provincial government provides opportunities to acquire gainful occupation/livelihood through Practical Skills Development and Basic Management Skills

3. Community Participation Skills Development



highlighted with the following activities:

- 1. Free Popsmear
- 2. Free Haircut and Make-up
- 3. Lecture on women common illnesses
- 4. Display of OTOP
- 5. Lecture on Developing self-esteem



The PGI is continuously supporting the Federation by encouraging them to join in activities that enable them to compete favorably for available opportunities. On August 2017, the Federation celebrates the National Disability Prevention Week under Proclamation No. 1870 with the theme: “Karapatan ng may Kapansanan, Isakatuparan.... Now Na!” through a two-day seminar focusing on Skills on Entrepreneurship with the DTI and TESDA as Guest Lecturers.



Management Office on Disaster Preparedness and Typhoon Monitoring for them to be equipped in order to be prepared when calamity occurs.

Provision of Assistive Devices

Wheelchair	120
Cane	3
Crutches	6
Walker	6
Prosthesis	9

IV. ELDERLY



2. Election of Isabela Senior Citizen Senior Organization(ISCO)



President	: Mr. Ruben Tumbaga
Vice-president	: Mr. Baldovino Valdez
Secretary	: Mr. Arsenio Constantino
Asst. Secretary	: Ms. Ruth Ong
Treasurer	: Ms. Evelyn Alabon
Auditor	: Mr. Damian Duldulao
Business Manager	: Mr. Manuel Andrada
Press Relation Officer	: Mr. Narciso Baniqued
Spiritual Leader	: Mr. Roman Ruiz

3. Provision of transportation allowance

Recognizing the importance of elderly in the province, the PGI also extends transportation allowance to every SC Officer who comes to attend for the provincial regular meeting. This is one way to ease their burden from spending for their fare and one way to encourage them to join in the meeting so as to benefit from the organization.

4. Financial assistance for every local senior citizen chapter

Repair, renovation and construction of senior citizens building through financial assistance amounting to P300,000. Also, there were SC chapters who were able to received livelihood assistance from the Provincial Cooperative Office.

5. Pre-assessment evaluation of Senior Citizen Center in the different municipalities of Isabela

The PSWDO conducted technical assistance in the different local chapters to help the local senior citizen chapter in preparation for assessment of programs and services by the DSWD Standard Central Office. Accreditation is a requirement to determine whether the Center’s programs and services satisfactorily met the minimum standards of operation



6. Conduct of Elderly Filipino Week Celebration

The PSWD office in coordination with the Isabela Senior Citizen Organization conducted the Elderly Filipino Week Celebration last October 17, 2017 held at FNDY Session Hall, Alibagu, City of Ilagan, Isabela with the theme “Pagkilala sa Kakayahan, Ambag at Paglahok ng Nakatatanda sa Lipunan”. This activity emphasizes the senior citizens’ significant role in the society and to pay tribute to their efforts and contribution. Around 1,000 SC officers gathered together and showed-off their talents and creativity through singing and dancing. One of the highlights of the said activity was the presence of the Honorable Faustino G. Dy III as the Guest Speaker. Isabeleño-Centenarians were also awarded with P10,000 cash incentives, token and wheelchair. All participants were very delighted to be receiving a gift of neck pillow and 1,000 cash.

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Governor. Those who were not present during that day, a personal home visitation in the different municipalities were conducted together with their MSWDOs, OSCA Heads and FSCAP Officers to award the cash incentive of P10,000, gift pack and wheelchair. This breakthrough program of the PGI aims to recognize contribution of elderly in the history and development of Isabela and to honor them for reaching the milestone and historic age of hundred years.



8. Oath taking Ceremony of newly elected ISCO officers.

The oath taking ceremony of the newly elected Isabela Senior Citizen Organization 2017-2019 was officiated by the Honorable Faustino G. Dy III on October 17, 2017 held at the FNDY Session Hall Alibagu, City of Ilagan, Isabela. This was one of the activities during the Elderly Filipino Week Celebration.



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Senior Citizens Organization of Isabela (SCOI) Banzag, Isabela. The FSCAP Officers also inspected to determine the quality of services to be extended to every senior citizen of Isabela. The accreditation ended after the post evaluation.





10. Conduct of Elderly District Christmas Party

To establish harmonious and closer relationship among the OSCA Heads and FSCAP members during the Yuletide season, the four(4) district of Isabela conducted the Elderly Christmas party on four(4) different venues and schedule as follows:

December 7, 2017 – Roxas Astrodome, Roxas, Isabela



11. Provincial Mutual Award System

A death benefit assistance amounting to P30,000 is extended by the Provincial FSCAP to the nearest surviving relative of every deceased senior citizen member of PMAS. Around twelve(12) families received this cash-benefit as burial assistance. Aside from this, the PGI also extend P1,000 for the bereaved family.

12. Spiritual Services to members and officers

Spiritual services such as special prayers and intentions and visit to sick members were extended to express support. Last June 19, 2017, two s(2) FSCAP officers namely Mr. Jaime Gelacio was visited in Cagayan Valley Medical Center (CVMC) Tuguegarao City and Mrs. Ruth Ong who was under therapy was visited in her residence in Tumauni, Isabela. While two other deceased officers were visited during their wake.

V. CRISIS INTERVENTION/QUICK RESPONSE AND REHABILITATION

Administrative Code of 1991 mandates the DSWD to provide a balanced approach to welfare whereby the needs and interest of the population are addressed not only at the outbreak of crisis but more importantly at the stage that would inexorably lead to such crisis. The Provincial Government of Isabela thru the Provincial Social Welfare and Development Office, as the welfare arm of the government, provide immediate and appropriate interventions to help individuals and families cope with social, psychological, physical and economic problems arising from crisis situations. The PSWD has different programs and services that would respond to the different needs of the client who are in crisis situations such as:

- a. AICS (Financial Assistance) extended to individuals who seek possible intervention brought by health and medical problems or loss of loved ones
- b. Shelter and food assistance during disaster/calamities
- c. Psycho-social interventions or the Critical Incident Stress Debriefing (CISD) for individuals suffering from trauma and other related emotional distress.



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No. of Beneficiaries	Amount Extended
1,070	P 1,591,500

Food Assistance

Provision of Relief Packs to Coastal Towns

Typhoon	Dinapigue	Palanan	Maconacon	Divilacan
JOLINA	35,790	62,000	62,500	26,070
KIKO	35,790	62,000	64,650	24,860
MARING	35,790	62,000	62,496	-
ODETTE	35,640	-	64,250	25,702
QUEDAN	35,390	-	67,550	-
GALEWARNING	-	-	69,150	-
MOONSOON RAIN	35,790	-	66,650	56,350
GALEWARNING	42,048	62,400	66,650	44,400



affected by the monsoon rain.

November 2017

Municipality	No. of Packs
Ilagan	1000
Sta. Maria	300
Delfin Albano	300
Sto. Tomas	300

Tumauini	600
Cabagan	500
TOTAL	3,000

December 2017

Municipalities	No. of Packs
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	150 boxes noodles
	150 boxes sardines

VI. INDIGENOUS PEOPLE (IPs)

The Social Development Plan (SDP) for the Ilagan-Divilacan Road Rehabilitation and Improvement Project is aimed at providing sustainable livelihood for the affected communities (IPs and non-IPs) within and near the vicinities of the project. Services extended by the PGI are as follows;

- Supplemental Feeding of 120 days to Agta Children
- Provision of monthly food subsidy
- Parenting Skills Session
- Monthly Medical and Dental Check-up
- Provision of yearly school supplies and uniform



VII. COMPREHENSIV

Comprehensive Local Integration Program for the Province of Isabela was established by virtue of Executive Order 27 series of 2014 issued by Hon. FAUSTINO G. DY III, Provincial Governor, this covers FRs who surfaced from 2011 onwards. The Provincial Government of Isabela extends its program to Rebel Returnees (RRs) who are recipient of various reconciliation programs during 1980-2000. The Provincial Government of Isabela has 13 components of BRO Program which includes BRO Livelihood, BRO Paiwi and others. BRO Paiwi Program and BRO Livelihood Program aims to provide additional income to farm families and alternative means of livelihood at times of crop failure and to give them opportunity to manage their small livelihood project. As per directive of the Governor, the FRs/RRs are given priority to avail of the programs.



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- Extended food assistance to 146 RR
- Continues monitoring of FRs in coordination with the MSWD's and AFP regarding status
- FRs extended with P3,000 each.

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