



Gender Watch

An annual update on statistics on women and men in Eastern Visayas

Indicator	Women	Men	Reference Period/Source
Population and Families			
Household Population	2,150,968	2,274,204	Census Year 2015/PSA
Household Population of Youth Aged 15-29 by Age Group	566,099	621,651	Census Year 2015/PSA
15 - 19	230,656	253,756	
20 - 24	186,687	204,803	
25 - 29	148,756	163,092	
Household Population of Senior Citizens by Age Group	209,280	173,976	Census Year 2015/PSA
60-64	63,559	62,046	
65-69	51,600	45,411	
70-74	38,809	31,221	
75-79	27,992	19,704	
80 years and over	27,320	15,594	
Age Dependency Ratio	69.1	65.5	Census Year 2015/PSA
Marital Status of Household Population 10 Years Old and Over	1,665,918	1,751,483	Census Year 2015/PSA
Single	669,792	852,887	
Married	604,121	596,555	
Widowed	122,435	43,401	
Divorced/Separated	28,794	23,722	
Common-Law/Live-in	240,599	234,297	
Unknown	177	621	
Number of Registered Live Births by Usual Residence of Mother	33,123	36,262	2017/PSA
Median Age at First Marriage Among Women 25 to 49 Years Old	21.4	..	2017 NDHS/PSA
Median Age at First Birth Among Women 25 to 49 Years Old	22.3	..	2017 NDHS/PSA
Average Number of Children Ever Born Among Women 40 to 49 Years Old	4.0	..	2017 NDHS/PSA
Total Fertility Rate	3.1	..	2017 NDHS/PSA
Total Wanted Fertility Rate	2.1	..	2017 NDHS/PSA
Percent of Women 15-24 Years Old Who Have Begun Childbearing	23.5	..	2017 NDHS/PSA
Work			
Labor Force (In thousands)	743	1,249	April 2018 LFS/PSA
Labor Force Participation Rate (%)	48.2	77.5	
Employment Rate (%)	95.9	95.1	
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.0	4.9	
Underemployment Rate (%)	
Most Common Occupation	Elementary Occupations	Elementary Occupations	April 2018/PSA

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Most Dominated Industry	Services	Agriculture	April 2018/PSA
Employed Women and Men by Highest Grade Completed (In thousands)	715	1,186	April 2018/PSA
No Grade Completed	5	18	
Elementary	205	512	
Undergraduate	109	329	
Graduate	96	183	
Junior High School	242	423	
Undergraduate	94	193	
Graduate	148	230	
Senior High School	16	20	
Undergraduate	8	10	
Graduate	8	10	
Post Secondary	27	30	
Undergraduate	7	10	
Graduate	20	20	
College	220	183	
Undergraduate	74	87	
Graduate	146	96	
Employed Women and Men by Class of Worker (In thousands)	714	1,202	April 2018/PSA
Wage and Salary Workers	329	636	
Self Employed without any paid employee	268	438	
Employer on own family-operated farm or business	15	40	
Worked without pay in own family-operated farm or business	101	89	
Employment in Metallic Mines	114	572	2018/MGB
Employment in Non-Metallic Mines	32	142	2018/MGB
Membership in Workers Organizations	176,132	190,755	2018/DOLE
Number of Workers Terminated due to Closure	33	160	2018/DOLE
Number of Registered Job Applicants in Public Employment Service Office (PESO)	23,387	24,400	2018/DOLE
Number of Employed Persons in Roadside Maintenance	8	1,038	2017/DPWH
Entrepreneurship			
Workers Provided with Livelihood Assistance	2,398	3,716	2018/DOLE
Informal Sector	2,398	3,716	
Disadvantaged Workers	-	-	
Wage Workers	-	-	
Membership in Operating Cooperatives	250,989	151,623	2018/CDA
Regular	144,359	90,794	
Associate	106,630	60,829	
Agriculture and Environment			
Holders of Emancipation Patents/Certificate of Land Ownership Award (CLOA)	523	1,227	2018/DAR
Trainees of DA Programs			
Rice Program	178	225	2018/DA
Corn Program	472	311	2018/DA
High Value Crops Development Program	761	771	2018/DA
Livestock Program	87	36	2018/DA
Organic Agriculture Program	86	77	2018/DA

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Beneficiaries of BFAR Programs			2018/BFAR
Fingerling Distribution	364	908	
Fishing Gear Paraphernalia	119	3,187	
FB Pagbabago	...	746	
Technology Demonstration	15	66	
Technical Assistance	845	2,118	
Trainings	742	2,151	
Market Matching	13	20	
Post Harvest Equipment (fiberglass tank)	20	82	
Conduct of IEC Activities	557	887	
Number of Patentees	2,653	3,161	2018/DENR
Residential Free Patent	1,923	2,353	
Agricultural Free Patent	730	808	
Business Owners/Operators who Applied for Clearance	333	820	2018/EMB
Environmental Compliance Certificate (ECC)	51	157	
Certificate of Non-Coverage (CNC)	282	663	
Education			
Total Population 5 Years Old and Over by Highest Educational Attainment	1,914,742	2,026,335	Census Year 2015/PSA
No Grade Completed	62,970	82,322	
Pre-School	54,557	61,610	
Special Education	315	385	
Elementary	768,040	950,999	
High School	633,172	608,948	
Post Secondary	25,649	17,389	
College Undergraduate	171,810	155,600	
Academic Degree Holder	192,315	144,634	
Post Baccalaureate	4,999	2,936	
Not Stated	915	1,512	
Simple Literacy Rate (%)	97.9	96.6	Census Year 2015/PSA
Functional Literacy Rate (%)	78.2	67.8	2008 FLEMMS/PSA
Higher Education Enrolment	59,314	45,790	AY 2017-2018/CHED
Student Financial Assistance Program (StuFAP)	5,850	2,738	AY 2017-2018/CHED
Full Merit Scholarship	467	264	
Half Merit/PESFA/Partial Scholarship	824	417	
Grant-in-Aid	3,814	1,713	
Student Loan	150	41	
Other CHED Student Financial Assistance Program	595	293	
Net Enrolment Ratio (%)			SY 2017-2018/DepEd
Elementary	92.6	92.7	
Secondary	80.6	68.2	
Cohort Survival Rate (%)			SY 2017-2018/DepEd
Elementary	98.9	94.9	
Secondary	86.3	75.3	
Graduates in TVET Programs	54,428	45,116	CY 2018/TESDA
Community-based (Rural Development)	28,777	20,618	
School/Center-Based (Regular)	25,322	24,079	
Enterprise-Based	329	419	

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Health and Nutrition			
Family Planning/Contraceptive Users (%)			2017 NDHS/PSA
Any Modern Method	40.9	..	
Female Sterilization	6.7	..	
Pill	18.6	..	
IUD	5.4	..	
Injectables	6.1	..	
Male Condom	..	1.7	
LAM (Lactational Amenorrhea Method)	0.1	..	
Any Traditional Method	17.9	..	
Calendar/Rhythm/Periodic Abstinence	3.8	..	
Withdrawal	14.0	..	
Percentage of Married Women 15-49 Years Old Not Currently Using Contraceptives	41.2	..	2017 NDHS/PSA
Percentage of Women 15-49 Years Old who have Heard of HIV or AIDS	97.0	..	2017 NDHS/PSA
Percentage of Women 15-49 Years Old who have Knowledge of HIV prevention methods	70.1	..	2017 NDHS/PSA
Number of People Living with HIV/AIDS	63	711	Nov. 2018/DOH
Victims of Sexually Transmitted Diseases by Etiologic Diagnosis	376	-	2018/DOH
Non-gonococcal Infections	166	-	
Bacterial Vaginosis	56	-	
Trichomoniasis	154	-	
Maternal Mortality Ratio (Deaths per 100,000 live births)	83.57	..	2017 ⁹ /DOH
Number of Registered Deaths by Usual Residence	10,339	13,482	2016/PSA
Percentage of Women receiving two or more Tetanus Toxoid Injections during the Pregnancy for the most recent live birth	45.4	..	2017 NDHS/PSA
Proportion of Underweight Children 0-59 Months Old (%)	8.3	8.9	2018/NNC
Projected Life Expectancy at Birth (in years)	73.79	69.35	2015-2020/PSA
Social Welfare			
Number of Cases Served			
Women in Especially Difficult Circumstances (WEDC) and Other Needy Adults (ONA)	17,151	7,220	2018/DSWD
Community-based	1,164	344	
Crisis Intervention Unit (CIU)	15,987	6,876	
Children in Need of Special Protection	13	14	2018/DSWD
Beneficiaries of Pantawid Pamilya Pilipino Program (4Ps)			2018/DSWD
Pregnant Women ^{1/}	449	..	
Children ^{2/}	246,302	262,947	2018/DSWD

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Public Life			
Number of Registered Voters	1,509,011	1,542,638	2018/COMELEC
Voters Turnout (%)	86.2	84.9	2016/COMELEC
Number of Women and Men Politicians by Position	430	1,093	2016/DILG
Congresspersons	4	8	
Governors	1	5	
Vice-Governors	-	6	
Board Members	21	34	
Mayors	43	100	
Vice-Mayors	38	105	
Councilors	323	835	
Number Government Personnel	64,181	37,374	2018/CSC
Career	61,116	32,915	
Non-Career	3,065	4,459	
Number of Justice Professionals by Type of Profession			
Government Lawyers (PAO)	50	54	2018/Regional Public Attorney's Office
Prosecutors	35	61	2018/Regional Prosecution Office
Judges	42	60	2018/Supreme Court
Migration			
Number of Overseas Filipino Workers	20,075	28,181	2017 Survey on Overseas Filipinos/PSA
Household Population 5 Years Old and Over by Place of Residence 5 Years Ago			
Total Household Population 5 Years Old and Over	1,758,134	1,852,625	Census Year 2010/PSA
Same City/Municipality	1,705,822	1,803,418	
Other City/Municipality/Same Province	15,175	13,325	
Other Province	35,590	34,444	
Foreign Country	1,540	1,432	
Unknown	7	6	
Peace and Human Rights			
Number of Women and Men in Peacekeeping	1,420	7,057	2018/PNP
Officer	21	399	
Non-officer	1,399	6,658	
Number of Probationers	62	863	2018/Parole & Probation Administration
Number of Parolees	13	573	2018/PPA
Number of Pardonees	-	1	2018/PPA
Average Jail Population			2018/Bureau of Jail Management and Penology
Sentenced	9	181	
Adult	9	181	
Minor	-	-	
Detained	200	2,851	
Adult	199	2,845	
Minor	1	6	
Average Number of Children in Conflict with the Law (CICL) Detained at BJMP Jails by Type of Crime Committed	1	6	2018/BJMP
Murder	-	-	
Homicide	-	1	
Robbery	-	5	
Theft	-	-	
Others	1	-	

Violence Against Women and Children					
Indicator	Number	Indicator	Women	Men	
Number of Cases on Women Reported to the PNP: 2018		Number of Cases on Women Reported to CHR: 2018			
Total	997	Total	25	58	
Rape	94	Physical Injuries	-	1	
Attempted Rape	29	Rape	1	-	
Acts of Lasciviousness	85	Grave Threats	1	-	
Anti-Trafficking in Persons (RA 9208)	1	Violation of RA 9262 (Violence Against Women and Their Children)	5	-	
Abduction	1	Murder	-	10	
Forcible Abduction	1	Threats	4	12	
Parricide	4	Harassment	2	1	
Violation of RA 9262 (Violence Against Women and Their Children)	705	Violation of RA 10175 (Cyber Crime Against Women and their Children)	-	1	
Concubinage	4	Rehabilitation Assistance	1	1	
Physical Injury	66	Arbitrary and Illegal Detention	2	4	
Attempted/ Frustrated Parricide	5	Arbitrary Arrest	-	1	
Sexual Abuse	1	Hamletting/Threats	3	3	
Photo and Video Voyeurism (RA 9995)	1	Murder-Drug Related	-	4	
		Violation of Domicile	-	1	
		Neglect of Duty	-	1	
		Planting of Evidence	-	1	
		Violation of RA 3019 (Anti-Graft & Corrupt Practices Act)	1	-	
		Illegal Encampment	-	1	
		Enforced Disappearance	-	1	
		Article 364 of the Revised Penal Code (Intriguing Against Honor)	-	1	
		Coercion	1	-	
		Violation of Article 334 (Concubinage)/	-	1	
		Violation of RA 333 (Adultery)	-	1	
		Malicious Mischief	-	1	
		Intimidation	-	1	
		Abuse of Authority	1	-	
		Sexual Harassment	1	-	
		Less Serious Physical Injuries	1	1	
		Unlawful Arrest	-	2	
		Grave Misconduct	-	3	
		Slight Physical Injuries	1	5	
Indicator	Girls	Boys	Indicator	Girls	Boys
Number of Cases on Children Reported to the PNP: 2018		Number of Cases on Children Reported to CHR: 2018			
Total	709	347	Total	5	4
Rape	296	8	Rape	4	-
Attempted Rape	25	-	Violation of RA 7610 (Child Abuse)	-	4
Acts of Lasciviousness	93	3	Acts of Lasciviousness in relation to Cyber Crime Law	1	-
Physical Injuries/Maltreatment	12	67			
Violation of RA 9995 (Anti-Photo and Video Voyeurism Act of 2009)	2	-			
Anti-Trafficking in Persons (RA 9208)	8	1			
Child Trafficking					
Child Abuse Act of RA 7610	233	253			
Illegal Recruitment	-	1			
Parricide	1	-			
Violation Against Women and their Children (RA 9262)	23	7			
Sexual Abuse	-	2			
Attempted/Frustrated Parricide	-	1			
Kidnapping & Failure to return a Minor	4	3			
Qualified Seduction	1	-			
Forcible Abduction	2	-			
Consented Abduction	8	1			
Abortion	1	-			

Violence Against Women and Children

Indicator	Women	Men	Indicator	Women	Men
Number of Cases Served through DSWD's Community-Based Programs/Projects			Trafficked Victims Served by Place of Origin, 2018		
Women in Especially Difficult Circumstances, 2018			Total	52	46
Total	1,164	344	Biliran	13	2
Abandoned/Neglected	1	-	Eastern Samar	1	2
Other Needy Adult	1,032	300	Leyte	26	39
Overseas Filipino Workers	22	1	Northern Samar	1	-
Persons with Disability	5	-	Southern Leyte	2	1
Senior Citizen	104	43	Samar	9	2
			Other Regions	-	-
Children in Need of Special Protection, 2018			Trafficked Victims Served by Age Group, 2018		
Total	13	14	Total	52	46
Abandoned	1	-	0-12	16	5
Neglected	6	4	13-17	16	9
Sexually Exploited	-	1	18-22	10	19
Mentally Challenged	1	-	23-28	5	3
Children in Conflict with the Law	-	5	29-33	2	4
Other Needy Children	5	4	34-40	3	2
			41 and above	-	4

1/ Number of pregnant women served.

2/ Number of children enrolled in day care, elementary and high school.

Note: Details may not add up to totals due to rounding for labor and employment data.

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