



Gender Watch

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

REGIONAL STATISTICAL SERVICES OFFICE VIII

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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	31,575	34,612	2018/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)	747	1,247	July 2019 LFS/PSA
Labor Force Participation Rate (%)	47.4	74.9	
Employment Rate (%)	95.9	95.5	
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.1	4.5	
Most Common Occupation	Elementary Occupations	Elementary Occupations	July 2019 LFS/PSA
Most Dominated Industry	Services	Agriculture	July 2019 LFS/PSA

Indicator	Women	Men	Reference Period/Source
Employed Women and Men by Highest Grade Completed (In thousands)	717	1,192	July 2019 LFS/PSA
No Grade Completed	10	18	
Elementary	204	522	
Undergraduate	89	340	
Graduate	115	182	
Junior High School	235	396	
Undergraduate	98	192	
Graduate	137	204	
Senior High School	18	30	
Undergraduate	7	11	
Graduate	11	19	
Post Secondary	26	34	
Undergraduate	9	14	
Graduate	17	20	
College	225	193	
Undergraduate	41	58	
Graduate	184	135	
Employed Women and Men by Class of Worker (In thousands)	717	1,192	July 2019 LFS/PSA
Wage and Salary Workers	355	690	
Self Employed without any paid employee	252	390	
Employer on own family-operated farm or business	14	29	
Worked without pay in own family-operated farm or business	96	83	
Employment in Metallic Mines	69	512	2019/MGB
Employment in Non-Metallic Mines	41	204	2019/MGB
Membership in Workers Organizations	11,218	29,657	2019/DOLE
Number of Workers Terminated due to Closure	154	468	2019/DOLE
Number of Registered Job Applicants in Public Employment Service Office (PESO)	23,576	29,006	2019/DOLE
Number of Employed Persons in Roadside Maintenance	19	1,432	2019/DPWH
Entrepreneurship			
Workers Provided with Livelihood Assistance	2,353	2,324	2019/DOLE
Informal Sector	2,353	2,324	
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)	568	996	2019/DAR
Trainees of DA Programs			
Rice Program	251	310	2019/DA
Corn/Cassava Program	404	356	2019/DA
High Value Commercial Crops Program	910	957	2019/DA
Livestock Program	57	36	2019/DA
Organic Agriculture Program	120	160	2019/DA
HALAL Program	100	100	2019/DA

Indicator	Women	Men	Reference Period/Source
Beneficiaries of BFAR Programs			2019/BFAR
Fingerling Distribution	438	1,205	
Fishing Gear Paraphernalia	15	990	
Distribution of Seaweed Farm Implements	2	62	
Technical Assistance	740	2,383	
Trainings	746	2,095	
Market Matching	6	7	
Post Harvest Equipment (Solar dryer)	1	28	
Seaweed Farming	59	92	
Fish Culture	112	255	
Mudcrab Fattening	...	4	
Lobster Production	...	67	
Fish Processing	68	72	
Rootcrop Production	10	13	
Rice-Fish Culture/Backyard Pond	58	13	
Lapu-lapu Cage Culture	...	22	
Oyster and Mussel Culture	45	15	
Wings Oyster Culture	...	40	
Distribution of Shallow Payao	192	15	
Bangus Fry Gathering	3	30	
Number of Patentees	2,319	2,590	2019/DENR
Residential Free Patent	1,446	1,610	
Agricultural Free Patent	873	980	
Business Owners/Operators who Applied for Clearance	395	1,261	2019/EMB
Environmental Compliance Certificate (ECC)	67	175	
Certificate of Non-Coverage (CNC)	328	1,086	
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	75,767	57,261	AY 2018-2019/CHED
Student Financial Assistance Program (StuFAP)	4,768	2,427	AY 2018-2019/CHED
Full Merit Scholarship	435	233	
Half Merit/PESFA/Partial Scholarship	659	283	
Grant-in-Aid	2,759	1,464	
Student Loan	-	-	
Other CHED Student Financial Assistance Program	915	447	
Net Enrolment Ratio (%)			SY 2018-2019/DepEd
Elementary	91.2	91.8	
Secondary	84.5	74.3	

Indicator	Women	Men	Reference Period/Source
Cohort Survival Rate (%)			SY 2018-2019/DepEd
Elementary	97.0	92.6	
Secondary	88.8	78.8	
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	14	149	2019/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)	74.39	..	2019/DOH
Number of Registered Deaths by Usual Residence	10,903	14,389	2018/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 (%)	6.0	6.5	2019/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)	21,957	9,260	2019/DSWD
Community-based	397	189	
Crisis Intervention Unit (CIU)	21,560	9,071	
Children in Need of Special Protection	3	2	2019/DSWD
Beneficiaries of Pantawid Pamilya Pilipino Program (4Ps)			2019/DSWD
Pregnant Women ^{1/}	721	..	
Children ^{2/}	227,964	239,938	2019/DSWD

Indicator	Women	Men	Reference Period/Source
Public Life			
Number of Registered Voters	1,509,114	1,543,153	2019/COMELEC
Voters Turnout (%)	80.1	78.3	2019/COMELEC
Number of Women and Men Politicians by Position	416	1,069	2019/DILG
Congresspersons	4	8	
Governors	-	6	
Vice-Governors	1	5	
Board Members	23	33	
Mayors	45	98	
Vice-Mayors	41	102	
Councilors	302	817	
Number Government Personnel	52,888	33,196	As of May 31, 2019/CSC
Career	49,857	28,827	
Non-Career	3,031	4,369	
Number of Justice Professionals by Type of Profession			
Government Lawyers (PAO)	50	55	January 2020/Regional Public Attorney's Office
Prosecutors	38	61	2019/Regional Prosecution Office
Judges	54	60	As of January 24, 2020/Supreme Court
Migration			
Number of Overseas Filipino Workers	25,680	23,368	2018 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	1,528	7,298	2019/PNP
Officer	43	448	
Non-officer	1,485	6,850	
Number of Probationers	107	2,229	2019/Parole & Probation Administration
Number of Parolees	3	775	
Number of Pardonees	-	-	
Average Jail Population			2019/Bureau of Jail Management and Penology
Sentenced	21	97	
Adult	21	90	
Minor	-	7	
Detained	138	2,336	
Adult	138	2,327	
Minor	-	9	
Average Number of Children in Conflict with the Law (CICL)	1	6	2019/BJMP
Detained at BJMP Jails by Type of Crime Committed			
Murder	-	-	
Homicide	-	-	
Robbery	-	1	
Theft	-	1	
Others	-	7	

Violence Against Women and Children

Indicator		Number	Indicator	Women	Men
Number of Cases on Women Reported to the PNP: 2019			Number of Cases on Women Reported to CHR: 2019		
Total		828	Total	15	54
Rape		92	Physical Injuries	-	2
Attempted Rape		23	Sec. 29, RA 9165 (Planting of Evidence)	-	1
Acts of Lasciviousness		88	Grave Threats	-	1
Anti-Trafficking in Persons (RA 9208)		3	Violation of RA 9262 (Violence Against Women and Their Children)	4	-
Forcible Abduction		2	Murder	3	19
Parricide		2	Violation of Anti-Torture Law	-	1
Violation of RA 9262 (Violation Against Women and Their Children)		611	Violation of RA 10593 (Illegal Cutting of Coconut Tree)	-	1
Concubinage		4	Libel	1	-
Bigamy		1	Estafa	-	1
Sexual Harassment		1	Abduction	-	1
Photo and Video Voyeurism (RA 9995)		1	Arbitrary Deprivation of Property	1	1
			Cyber Crime (Libel)	1	1
			Murder-Drug Related	-	11
			Violation of Domicile	1	-
			Red Tagging	2	4
			Misconduct	-	2
			RA 8042 (Illegal Recruitment) and RA 9208 (Anti-Trafficking in Persons Act of 2003)	-	1
			Attempted Murder	-	2
			Frustrated Homicide	-	1
			Homicide	-	1
			Abuse of Authority	-	1
			Less Serious Physical Injuries	1	1
			Slight Physical Injuries	1	1
Indicator	Girls	Boys	Indicator	Girls	Boys
Number of Cases on Children Reported to the PNP: 2019			Number of Cases on Children Reported to CHR: 2019		
Total	603	259	Total	9	4
Rape	267	19	Rape	5	-
Attempted Rape	23	-	Violation of RA 7610 (Child Abuse)	3	3
Acts of Lasciviousness	88	8	Murder	1	1
Physical Injuries/Maltreatment	13	45			
Anti-Bullying Act of 2013 - RA 10627	1	-			
Anti-Trafficking in Persons (RA 9208)	7	2			
Child Trafficking					
Child Abuse Act of RA 7610	172	182			
Anti-Child Pornography Act of 2009-RA 9775	1	-			
Parricide	1	-			
Violation Against Women and their Children (RA 9262)	19	-			
Kidnapping & Failure to return a Minor	-	3			
Seduction	5	-			
Consented Abduction	6	-			

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, 2019		
Women in Especially Difficult Circumstances, 2019			Total	71	39
Total	428	209	Biliran	21	8
Victims of Trafficking	28	20	Eastern Samar	7	2
Solo Parent	44	14	Leyte	34	28
Others			Northern Samar	2	1
Persons Living with HIV-AIDS	13	44	Southern Leyte	1	-
Senior Citizen	58	19	Samar	5	-
Person with Disability	-	20	Other Regions	1	-
Overseas Filipino Worker	66	19			
Porspective Adoptive Parents	1	2			
Other Needy Adults	218	71			
Children in Need of Special Protection, 2019			Trafficked Victims Served by Age Group, 2019		
Total	46	21	Total	71	39
In Crisis	3	2	0-12	19	2
Victims of Trafficking	43	19	13-17	24	17
			18-22	9	7
			23-28	9	4
			29-33	5	4
			34-40	5	2
			41 and above	-	3

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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