

PRESS RELEASE

PSA RSSO 8 CONTINUES ITS PARTNERSHIP WITH DSWD PROVIDING MAJOR PHILSYS SERVICES TO BENEFICIARIES

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The Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) Region VIII continues to offer its services to the beneficiaries of the various programs of the Department of Social Welfare and Development (DSWD) particularly on Philippine Identification System (PhilSys) Step 2 Registration, Authentication, Retrieval of Transaction Numbers and ePhilID Issuance.



*DSWD FDS Colocation at Macrohon, Southern, Leyte
 (Photo Courtesy: PSA Southern Leyte)*

The roll-out of this colocation activities in Eastern Visayas commenced on 11 March 2024 after all agreements between PSA and DSWD were finalized during the coordination meeting held on 08 March 2024. PSA PhilSys teams were deployed in various municipalities and barangays to cater populace both one to four years old and 5 years old above.

As of 26 March 2024, below is the breakdown of services and total number of transactions logged under the DSWD FDS colocation;

REGION/PROVINCE	STEP 2 Registration	ePhilID Printing	TRN Retrieval	Authentication
Region	13,684	4,850	1,160	47,923
Biliran	722	553	8	2,214
Eastern Samar	1,142	336	281	3,582
Leyte	3,186	306	3	4,342
Northern Samar	1,686	656	187	8,809
Samar	4,330	1,488	144	10,982
Southern Leyte	2,618	1,511	537	17,994

The endeavor is being done pursuant to the memorandum issued in January 2024 by the DSWD Secretary Rex Gatchalian with the goal of registering about 24 Million beneficiaries and their children nationwide to PhilSys while those aged five (5) years and above who were registered with PhilSys before 01 February 2024 must undergo the PhilSys Authentication for them to be able to avail the Family Development Sessions (FDS) equivalency.

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