

PROVINCIAL STATISTICAL OFFICE OF OCCIDENTAL MINDORO



Conduct of Coastal Clean-up Drive at Barangay Balansay, Maburao

In a unified effort to protect the environment in partnership with Barangay Balansay, PSA Occidental Mindoro successfully conducted a coastal clean up in Barangay Balansay, Mamburao, Occidental Mindoro on 10 May 2025.

The activity was part of the social responsibility of the office to ensure that the shoreline in the community remains clean and safe for marine species. PSA personnel and barangay representatives worked together to remove accumulated waste and debris along the shoreline. The clean up-drive does not only demonstrated a shared commitment in ensuring the conservation of the environment but also serve as a wake up call to the community to address the ecological concern.

With this joint effort in addressing the problem of the environment, PSA Occidental Mindoro continuously takes its part as one of the government agency to ensure that the community we live in is safe and liveable for everyone.

Field Supervision on Retail Price Survey at San Jose Public Market



As part of the monthly Retail Price Survey of PSA Occidental Mindoro, Chief Statistical Specialist, Maribel L. Bernardo, PhD conducted her supervision to one of the sample outlet in the province.

The supervision was conducted to ensure the accuracy of data that is being collected by the hired statistical researcher. During the supervision it was observed that most of the store owners/respondents were cooperative and provide accurate data. Prices of some commodity like vegetables and rice has significantly dropped due to the higher production of the commodity in the province. However, prices of meat especially the pork was still in its peak compared to other meat products. The higher price of pork was an effect of the African Swine Fever in 2024 that leads to the shortage of supply of pork in all areas in the province.

The collected price in all sample outlets in Occidental Mindoro is used for the generation of the Consumer Price Index (CPI).

The CPI is a measure of the average change over time in the prices paid by local consumers for a basket of consumer goods and services. It is a key indicator of inflation, reflecting how prices of everyday goods and services are changing.

PSA Occidental Mindoro Conducts Third Level Training on Labor Force Survey with Volunteer Works

PSA Occidental Mindoro successfully conducted the training on monthly Labor Force Survey with Rider Questions on Volunteer Work on May 4-7, 2025 at Provincial Statistical Office of Occidental Mindoro.

The survey aims to generate reliable data on volunteerism in the province. Data collected will support the assessment of the economic impact of volunteer work that provide the policymakers and program managers with insights to formulate policies and guidelines that promote civic engagement, voluntary participation, and innovative volunteer infrastructure. The rider questions are designed to capture relevant information on volunteer activities within the labor force across the province.

The three-day training was done to equipped the statistical researchers on the proper concepts of the survey. The training helps the hired SRs to conduct the interview in a way that the respondents will provide accurate information and reliable data. With this, PSA encourages sample respondents to actively participates on the ongoing project of the office.



Over 457 Thousand Mindoreños Registered to the National ID System

In the continued effort to register all individuals in the National ID System in the province, PSO Occidental Mindoro deployed additional Registration Kit Operators (RKO) and Registration Assistants (RA) in different municipalities across the province.

This initiatives was to provide Mindoreños an accessible service and secure a proof of identity to access the social

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benefits from the government. National ID registration is one of the government's services which provide a unified identification system that can streamline administrative processes and improve efficiency in government operations.

As of 30 April 2025, PSA Occidental Mindoro's National ID registration team successfully registered 457, 313 individuals ages zero months old and above and issued 24, 139 National ID in paper form. PSA Occidental Mindoro is committed to provide an essential services to Mindoreños and will continuously conduct its registration services in all barangays in the province.



PSA Joins the Interactive Dashboard Training of Philippine Statistical Research Training Institute (PSRTI)



As part of Philippine Statistical Authority (PSA) commitment in enhancing data visualization and data driven decision-making, PSO Occidental Mindoro Chief Statistical Specialist, Maribel L. Bernardo, PhD., joined the Interactive Dashboard Training of the PSRTI at the PSA Central Office.

The three-day training was aimed to equip participants with the necessary skills in transforming data sets into dynamic and interactive visualization. After the training, participants learned the techniques on data importation and transformation as well as utilization of advance features in MS Power BI.

This initiative is part of PSRTI's commitment to enhance the capacity of PSA Regional Statistical Committee in enabling them to promote data-driven decision making in the region.

PSA Occidental Mindoro Achieved Top 5 in National ID Accepted Here Stickers



The National ID team of Occidental has achieved the 5th highest number of distributed National ID Accepted Here stickers for the year 2024. The distribution of these stickers to private and public establishments plays a crucial role in enhancing public awareness and facilitating smoother transactions for Mindoreños across the province.

This achievement reflects the team's commitment to excellence and a proactive approach in supporting the government's initiatives for a more inclusive and efficient identification system. PSO Occidental Mindoro remains committed in our mission to further promote the use and acceptance of the National ID, ensuring that Mindoreños can benefit from its convenience and reliability in various transactions.

PSA Joins the F1KD (First 1000 Days) i-Registro Registration of DSWD MiMAROPA



As part of the partnership and linkages of the office, PSA Occidental Mindoro joins the F1KD (First 1000 Days) i-Registro Registration initiative of Department of Social Welfare and Development MIMAROPA in Abra De Ilog, Occidental Mindoro on May 22, 2025.

The activity was attended by the Chief Statistical Specialist, Maribel L. Bernardo, PhD and the Provincial Focal Person of National ID System, Ms. Angelica F. Landicho. The office provided an essential services such as National ID registration and Birth Registration Assistance Project (BRAP) to the residents of Abra De Ilog.

As a result, the team registered 35 individuals in the National ID System and assisted 5 residents in BRAP. PSA Occidental Mindoro active participation, especially in community engagement marks meaningful commitment to the agency. The collaboration between PSA and DSWD leads to better outcomes, enhanced trust, and more inclusive and effective approaches to the community.

PSA Occidental Mindoro Attends the 2024 FLEMMS Regional Data Dissemination Forum of PSA MIMAROPA



In a momentous ceremony, the Philippine Statistics Authority Regional Statistical Services Office - MIMAROPA officially disseminates the results of the 2024 Functional Literacy, Education, and Mass Media Survey (FLEMMS) on May 30, 2025 in Calapan City, Oriental Mindoro.

The data dissemination was graced by the Regional Director, Leni R. Rioflorido, Oriental Mindoro Congressman, Hon. Arnan C. Pandigan, experts from the Department of Education, Department of Planning and Development, and attended by the Chief Statistical Specialist of Occidental Mindoro, Maribel L. Bernardo, PhD and Provincial Focal Person, Ms. Juliza S. Destor.

The regional dissemination forum revealed that nine out of ten aged 5 years and over or 89.2 percent are Basic Literate and seven out of ten aged 10-64 years or 68.8 percent are Functional Literate in Occidental Mindoro in 2024. The data will be used by the policymakers to formulate policies, especially in implementing interventions to improve literacy and education in the region. It also helps identify areas where further support is needed, such as addressing disparities in literacy rate or ensuring access to quality education.

Learn Something New Today!

Did you know? The Inflation Rate in the province of Occidental Mindoro for May 2025 dropped to (-1.9%) from (-1.5%) inflation in April 2025.

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