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## Training on Technical Writing for GAD Statistical Reports

by: Statistical Analyst Ramil Kent R. Casidsid

TAGUM CITY, Davao del Norte – The Provincial Planning and Development Office (PPDO) of Davao del Norte held a one-day capacity-building on “Technical Writing for GAD Statistical Report” on May 8, 2025, at the DNSTC Pavilion, Government Center, Mankilam.

The event aimed to strengthen the technical and analytical capabilities of personnel from various provincial offices in crafting comprehensive statistical reports that are gender-responsive and results-oriented. Participants were equipped with skills to present data clearly and accurately in support of GAD initiatives.

Providing technical insights during the training was Statistical Analyst Ramil Kent R. Casidsid, who served as the resource person. He shared best practices and methodologies in statistical data analysis and reporting, emphasizing the importance of quality data presentation in policy and program development.

The PSO's participation highlights its strong commitment to promoting statistical appreciation and supporting data-driven policy formulation

## Technical Writing Workshop for Effective Communication

by: Statistical Specialist II Dawn Rhea D. Cabingatan

**TAGUM CITY, Davao del Norte** - To further strengthen the communication and documentation capabilities of its personnel, the PSO- Davao del Norte successfully conducted a one-day Training on Technical Writing on June 5, 2025, at the PSA Training Room in Tagum City.

The training focused on enhancing the participants' skills in preparing narrative reports, press releases, special releases, and official correspondence—key outputs that reflect the agency's commitment to clarity, accuracy, and professionalism in public communication.



Serving as the resource speaker was CCR Editha G. McCartney, who shared her expertise in crafting effective technical documents. She provided valuable insights on writing strategies, common pitfalls, and techniques for organizing complex information in a clear and reader-friendly manner.

Ms. Michelle O. Maningo, Officer-in-Charge of PSO Davao del Norte highlighted the significance of the activity, stating: "This training is part of our ongoing effort to ensure that the information we produce is not only statistically sound but also well-communicated to our stakeholders and the public."

The initiative aligns with the PSA's mandate to deliver reliable statistics, ensure efficient civil registration services, and promote inclusive identification for all Dabaonons.

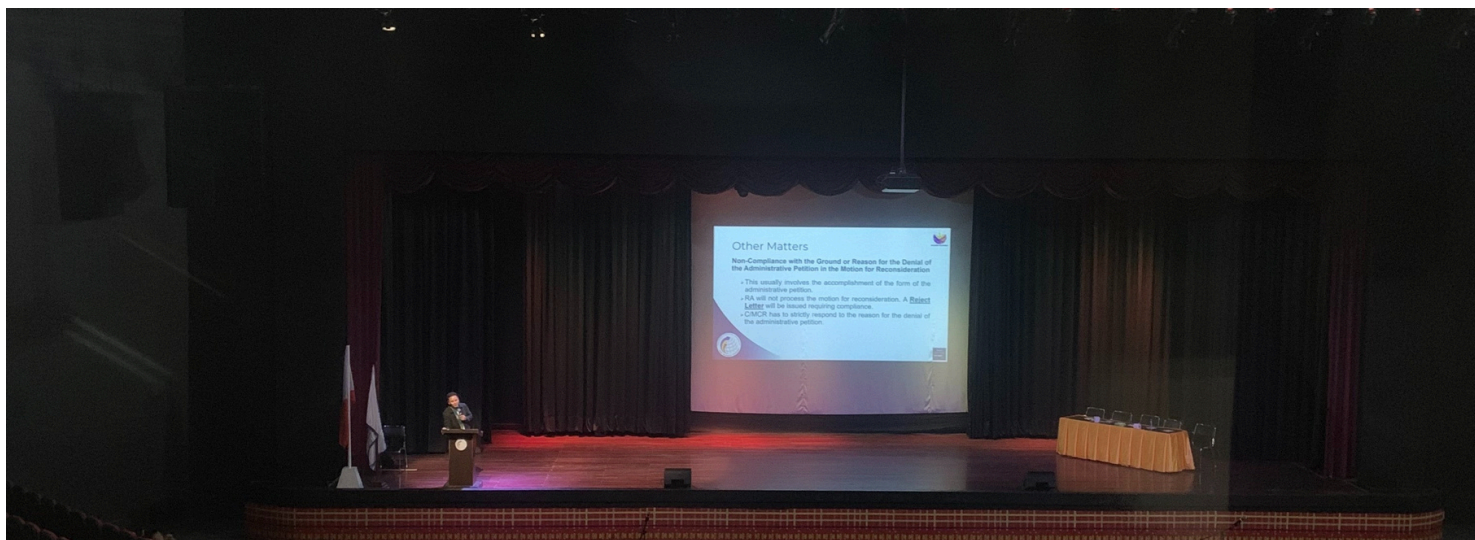


PSA Davao del Norte extends its sincere appreciation to CCR Editha G. McCartney for her invaluable contribution, and to all participants for their active engagement in this meaningful learning experience.



## PSA-RSSO XI Holds 2025 LCRO Forum in Davao del Norte

by: QMS Clerk Alvin F. Villas



Atty. Harjade S. Dammang on his discussion on Civil Registration Laws for the Local Civil Registrars

TAGUM CITY, Davao del Norte – The Regional Statistical Services Office XI (PSA-RSSO XI) successfully held the 2025 Local Civil Registry Offices (LCRO) Forum on 29 May 2025, at the Tagum City Historical and Cultural Center.

The forum convened civil registrars and key representatives from local registry offices across the Davao Region, providing a vital platform for dialogue and collaboration on current developments in civil registration. Highlights of the one-day event included updates on registration protocols, clarification of relevant memoranda, and the rollout of auditing procedures aimed at strengthening transparency and compliance among LCROs.

Participants actively took part in open forums and technical consultations, raising operational concerns and sharing field-level insights. In response, RSSO XI committed to facilitating targeted follow-up actions and providing continued support to address identified challenges.

The forum was warmly received, with participants commending the initiative for fostering regional solidarity and enhancing their capacity to deliver efficient and responsive civil registration services.

## PSA Extends Birth Registration Services to Remote Communities on Talicud Island

by: QMS Clerk Alvin T. Villas

IISLAND GARDEN CITY OF SAMAL, Davao del Norte - In its continued advocacy to promote universal legal identity, the Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) – Birth Registration Assistance Project Team, in partnership with the City Civil Registry Office of the Island Garden City of Samal, conducted a successful birth registration outreach in the isolated areas of Barangay Dadatan and Barangay Sta. Cruz, Talicud Island, Kaputian District.

The initiative forms part of PSA's wider efforts to strengthen access to civil registration services and reduce the number of unregistered individuals. The activity was tailored to reach residents with limited mobility and documentation, some of whom had never undergone formal registration.

A total of 40 individuals were directly assisted, taking their first step toward securing legal identity and gaining access to essential public services, including education, health care, and social welfare programs.

The success of the outreach highlights the unwavering commitment of PSA and the local government in advancing the right to identity and inclusion for all, regardless of age or geographic location.

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## PSA Davao del Norte Joins USeP Tagum-Mabini Career Fair to Offer Key Services

by: Information Officer I Charnel Fate C. Albite

TAGUM CITY, Davao del Norte – The PSO – Davao del Norte, National ID Unit actively participated in the Career Fair organized by the University of Southeastern Philippines (USeP) Tagum-Mabini Campus, held on 07 May 2025 at the PECC Gymnasium, Barangay Apokon.



National ID Unit assisted the National ID Mobile Services at USeP Tagum City

The event featured an Employment One-Stop Shop, which aimed to assist graduating students and local job seekers by providing access to employment opportunities and essential government services. The PSO's participation underscored its commitment to promoting awareness and public engagement in the Philippine Identification System (PhilSys) and other ongoing PSA programs.



In behalf of PSO Davao del Norte, Information Officer I Charnel Fate Albite received the Certificate of Appreciation

As part of this initiative, PSA-PSO DavNor provided on-site assistance for several services, including:

- Step 2 Registration for the Philippine Identification System (PhilSys);
- Issuance of the paper-based National ID (ePhilID);
- Processing of replacement PhilIDs for those with damaged or faded photos;
- Assistance in requesting PSA-issued birth and marriage certificates, particularly for first-time job seekers.

Through on-site information booths and direct interaction with attendees, the National ID Unit highlighted the benefits of national registration and emphasized the importance of accessible and efficient public service delivery, especially for young professionals entering the workforce. The initiative also served as a platform for advocacy, outreach, and support for inclusive digital identity coverage across the province.



## Strengthens National ID Awareness at Tagum City ABC Meeting

by: Information Officer I Charnel Fate C. Albite

**CITY OF TAGUM, Davao del Norte** - In a continuous effort to boost awareness and encourage active participation in the Philippine Identification System (PhilSys), the PSO - Davao del Norte participated in the Association of Barangay Captains (ABC) Meeting held on 27 June, at the ABC Function Hall, Tagum City Hall.



Information Officer I Charnel Fate Albite presented the Steps on the National ID Registration and Distribution Process

Information Officer I Charnel Fate C. Albite, served as the resource speaker during the meeting. The presentation focused on vital updates on the implementation of the National ID in Tagum City and emphasized the importance of intensified information dissemination at the barangay level.

One of the main points raised during the discussion was the retrieval of unclaimed National ID cards at the barangay level. IO I Albite inquired whether any IDs remained in the custody of the barangays, emphasizing that, as mandated, all remaining National ID cards will be turned over to and collected at the PSA Provincial Office for proper distribution.

The collaboration between PSA and the barangay officials is seen as a crucial step in addressing challenges related to unclaimed National IDs and in promoting civil registration and identity access.

## PSO Davao del Norte Undergoes 2025 Regional Cybersecurity Assessment

by: Information Officer I Charnel Fate C. Albite

**CITY OF TAGUM** - The PSO - Davao del Norte recently underwent the 2025 Regional Cybersecurity Assessment conducted by the Information and Cybersecurity Division of PSA.

The assessment team included ISAs Jaypee M. Varon and Sphie Marty C. Dabon, along with ISAs Lynie Rose F. Abrot, Hazel B. Solivio, and Computer Maintenance Technologist II Arnel B. Bulambao. They were assisted by PSO-DavNor's Officer-in-Charge Michelle O. Maningo and Registration Officer II Arnel J. Lagansua.

The evaluation covered office facilities, data storage areas, and IT systems to ensure strict compliance with cybersecurity standards. The initiative aims to protect sensitive data, prevent unauthorized access, and strengthen the agency's digital security infrastructure.

This activity forms part of PSA's continuing efforts to enhance its cybersecurity posture and ensure the integrity of its information systems nationwide.

## Empowering 4Ps Leaders Through Orientation on Birth Registration Assistance Project

by: Information Officer I Charnel Fate C. Albite



Key PSA Davao del Norte personnel led the session: Mr. Jomar F. Juayang, BRAP Coordinator; Ms. Charnel Fate C. Albite, Information Officer I; and Mr. Ronald Victor Q. Membreve, Registration Officer II

**CITY OF TAGUM, Davao del Norte** - In a continuing effort to promote inclusive civil registration, PSO - Davao del Norte conducted a targeted orientation on the Birth Registration Assistance Project (BRAP) for leaders of the Pantawid Pamilyang Pilipino Program (4Ps) on 27 May, held at the DSWD-Pantawid Pamilya Conference Area in Magugpo East, Tagum City.

The orientation aimed to strengthen the capacity of eleven 4Ps team leaders across the province, ensuring they are well-informed about BRAP's mission to increase birth registration rates among the most vulnerable sectors – including Indigenous Peoples (IPs), Muslim Filipinos, and low-income families.

This recent orientation marks another milestone in PSA's advocacy for universal and inclusive civil registration, and strengthens the role of 4Ps team leaders as community frontliners in spreading awareness and facilitating registration.



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