

Philippines - Vital Statistics Report on Deaths in the Philippines 2004

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Overview

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v1.1: Edited data, for internal use only.

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Overview

ABSTRACT

Vital Statistics are derived from information obtained at the time when the occurrences of vital events and their characteristics are inscribed in the civil register. Vital acts and events like the 2004 deaths are recorded in the civil register at the Local Civil Registry Office (LCRO). These administrative documents underwent processing, controlling, compilation and analysis.

The 2004 Vital Statistics report on deaths provides information on the number and percent distribution of deaths recorded, the place and month of occurrence, crude death rate, daily average number of deaths, leading causes of registered deaths number of Infant deaths by age and sex, leading causes of infant deaths, maternal deaths and fetal deaths.

Statistics generated from these data are used for planning and policy-making concerning health and population programs.

KIND OF DATA
Administrative records data [adm]

UNITS OF ANALYSIS
Individual registered records

Scope

NOTES
2004 compilation of registered deaths in the Philippines.

TOPICS

Topic	Vocabulary	URI
morbidity and mortality [14.4]	CESSDA	http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/coomon

KEYWORDS
Death, Place of Occurrence, Usual Residence, Crude Death Rate, Daily Average, Daily Index

Coverage

GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE

National, regional, provincial, city/municipal

GEOGRAPHIC UNIT

City/Municipality

UNIVERSE

All registered deaths for the reference year

Producers and Sponsors

PRIMARY INVESTIGATOR(S)

Name	Affiliation
National Statistics Office	National Economic and Development Authority

OTHER PRODUCER(S)

Name	Affiliation	Role
Local Civil Registrar's Office	Local Government Unit	Registration of Deaths

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Name	Abbreviation	Role
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Name	Affiliation	Role
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Sampling

Sampling Procedure

Not applicable

Deviations from Sample Design

Not applicable

Response Rate

Not applicable

Weighting

Not applicable

Questionnaires

Overview

The form used to gather the required information is the Municipal Form No. 103 (Revised 1993) or the Certificate of Death

Data Collection

Data Collection Dates

Start	End	Cycle
2004-01-01	2005-03-31	N/A

Time Periods

Start	End	Cycle
2004-01-01	2004-12-31	N/A

Data Collection Mode

Other [oth] Monthly reporting from NSO Provincial/Regional Offices

Data Collection Notes

The data collection was done using continuous process of registration as mandated in Act 3753 (i.e., all vital events that marked the entry and departure of a person in his lifetime and the changes in his/her civil status shall be registered).

The place of registration is the Local Civil Registry Office (LCRO) of the city or municipality where the death of an individual occurred. The registered death documents will then undergo processing at the NSO Provincial Offices and NSO Central Office.

Below is the timetable of activities at the Provincial Offices.

ACTIVITY TIMETABLE

1. Receipt and Control - within a month after the reference month
2. Screening and sorting - within a month after the reference month
3. Batching/labeling - within a month after the reference month
4. Coding/checking of codes - within a month after the reference month
5. Data entry - on the 3rd up to the 5th week following the reference month
6. Completeness Check - on the 3rd up to the 5th week following the reference month
7. Data Editing - on the 3rd up to the 5th week following the reference month
 - 7.1 Manual Editing
 - 7.2 Machine Updating
8. Record Listing - on the 3rd up to the 5th week following the reference month
9. Certification Pass Report - on the 3rd up to the 5th week following the reference month
10. Tabulation - on the 5th Transmittal to Central Office

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Data Collectors

Name	Abbreviation	Affiliation
Local Civil Registrars	LCRO	LGU

Data Processing

Data Editing

Data processing are done at the Local Civil Registry Office (LCRO) and the National Statistics Office (NSO). Data editing/verification and quality control were done at various stages:

1. Registration of Deaths

1.1 The City/Municipal Civil Registrars (C/MCRs) are responsible on the proper and complete registration of deaths.

1.2 The hospitals, clinics, rural health units and similar institutions including barangay secretaries, practicing physicians are required to assist in the reporting of deaths at the LCROs

2. Processing

2.1 The Vital Statistics Division (VSD) of the Civil Registration Department (CRD) at the NSO is responsible for the processing of the registered deaths documents. These includes editing and coding, structure checking and completeness check. Secondary editing is also done during the process.

Other Processing

Data were processed through the use of Decentralized Vital Statistics System (DVSS).

Data Appraisal

Estimates of Sampling Error

Not applicable