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(MINISTRY OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE)  
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MEMORANDUM  
No. 80, s. 1982

GUIDELINES ON THE 1982 NATIONAL CENSUS ON DISABLED PERSONS

To: Regional Directors  
Schools Superintendents  
Presidents, State Colleges and Universities  
Heads of Private Schools, Colleges and Universities

1. As a fitting contribution to the nationwide program concerning the disabled as directed by His Excellency, President Ferdinand E. Marcos to the National Commission Concerning the Disabled Persons (NCCDP), this Ministry together with the Ministry of Local Government as lead agencies, with the support of the Ministries of Health, Media Affairs, and Social Services and Development; Philsucom Computer Center, National Census and Statistics Office and the YCAP Foundation of the Philippines, Inc., shall conduct the 1982 National Census on Disabled Persons.
2. The taking of the census shall provide the necessary head count as a broad base for the planning and implementation of programs and projects pertaining to disability prevention and rehabilitation.
3. As a major project of the Ministry of Education and Culture, the objectives of this project are as follows:
  - a. To encourage the in-school youth at all levels to appreciate conditions obtaining in their respective communities through their participation in this census thereby developing positive attitude towards government effort for the welfare of the disabled citizens.
  - b. To provide a more meaningful venue for the participation of the youth in the nationwide program concerning the disabled persons.
  - c. To operationalize the effective implementation of the redefined structure of the Youth Civic Action Program whereby each school is required to adopt a barangay as its YCAP laboratory.
  - d. To gather first-hand demographic data obtaining in the community with the active volunteer manpower support of youth enrolled in the YCAP.

4. This national census, to be conducted from March to June 1982, shall be coordinated by the National Youth Service Council (NYSC) under the Office of the Minister of Education and Culture. The regional directors and schools superintendents are hereby directed to take the necessary steps to insure complete and comprehensive coverage of the project and to maximize the involvement of their respective schools, districts, divisions and regional YCAP Management Committees as the Project Secretariat in their respective areas of coverage.

5. Implementing guidelines for the 1982 census on disabled persons is inclosed for the information and guidance of all concerned.

6. The active participation and involvement of coordinators, teachers and other school personnel shall be provided with corresponding service credits. Elementary, secondary, and post-secondary in-school youths selected to actively participate in this project shall be granted corresponding YCAP credits for graduation requirements at all levels.

7. A list of the members of the 1982 regional, division and district YCAP Management Committees organized pursuant to MEC Order No. 1, s. 1982, and all reports or communications regarding this project shall be submitted to:

The Project Director  
1982 National Census on Disabled Persons  
of the Philippines  
Office of the Minister  
Ministry of Education and Culture  
Arroceros, Manila

8. It is desired that the contents of this Memorandum be given the widest publicity possible.

(SGD.) CNOFRE D. CORPUZ  
Minister

Incl.:

As stated

Reference:

MEC Order: (No. 1, s. 1982)

Allotment: 1-2-3-4--(D.O. 1-76)

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CENSUS OF DISABLED PERSONS  
(PAGPAPATALA NG MGA MAY KAPANANAN)

To be filled out by the disabled or parent or any responsible family member.  
(Sasagutin ng may kapananan o ng kaniyang nagulang o ng isang nananagutang  
miyembro ng pamilya)

Please print clearly. (Linawin ang pagsulat)

BARANGAY	CITY/TOWN (LINGSOD/BAYAN)	PROVINCE (LALAWIGAN)
LAST NAME (APELYIDO)	FIRST NAME (UNANG PANGALAN)	MIDDLE NAME (PANGGITHANG PANGALAN)
ADDRESS (BILANG NG TIRAHAN AT PANGALAN NG DAAN)	BIIRTHDAY (BUWAN, ARAW AT TAON NG KAPANANAKAN)	AGE (CULANG)

Check accordingly. (Lagyan ng tsek (/) ang nauukol)

1. Sex (Kasarian)

- a. Male (Lalaki)  
 b. Female (Pabae)

2. Civil Status (Kalagayang Sibil)

- a. Single (Walang asawa)  
 b. Married (May asawa)  
 c. Widow/er (Biyudo/Biyuda)  
 d. Separated/Divorced (Hivalay sa asawa)

3. Schooling (Pag-aaral)

- a. In-School (Nag-aaral) (Academic/Vocational)  
 b. Out-of-School (Hindi nag-aaral)

4. Employment Status (Kalagayang Panghanapuhay)

- a. Employed/Self Employed (Nagtatrabaho/May kabuhayang pansarili)  
 b. Not employed (Hindi nagtatrabaho)

I. Physical Handicap/Disability (Kapananan sa Katawan)

1. Leg and Arm (Binti at Bisig/Braso)

- a. Missing (Wala o Putol)  
 b. Weak/Paralyzed (Mahina/Paralisado)

2. Eyes (Mata)

- a. Can see a little (Di gaanong nakakakita)
- b. Cannot see at all (Di nakakakita)

3. Ears (Tingra)

- a. Can hear a little without hearing aid (Nakarininig ng bahagya kahit walang pantulong)
- b. Cannot hear without any aid (Di makarinig kung walang pantulong)
- c. Cannot hear in any condition (Di makarinig sa kahit anumang kondisyon)

4. Speech (Pagsasalita)

- a. Can speak but not sufficiently clear (Nakapagsasalita ngunit hindi gaanong malinaw)
- b. Can make only meaningless sound (Nakagagawa lamang ng mga walang kahulugang tunog)
- c. Cannot make sound at all (Hindi makapagsalita/makagawa kahit anumang tunog)

5. Deformity (Kapinsalaan)

- a. Face (Mukha)
- b. Arm (Pisig/Braso)
- c. Leg/Foot (Binti/Paa)
- d. Body (Katawan)

6. Pain for more than 6 months (Pananakit na tumatagal nang higit sa anim na buwan)

- a. Bone (Buto)
- b. Muscle (Kalamnan)
- c. Joint (Kasukasuan)

7. Lungs (Baga)

- a. Cough more than six months (Ulo na tumatagal nang higit sa anim na buwan)
- b. Shortness or difficulty of breathing (Hindi gaanong makahinga/nahihirepang huminga)

II. Mental Impairment (Kapansanan Pangkaisip)

- 1. Mentally ill (Nagbago at naging ligalig, balisa, nawawala sa sarili at nagsasabi o gumagawa ng mga bagay na hindi pangkaraniwan).
- 2. Mentally Retarded (Karaniwang mahina ang ulo o mabagal natuto ng mga laray na karaniwang ginagawa ng mga kasinggulang)

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 Signature or Thumbprint of Disabled Person/  
 Parent/Any Other Responsible Family Member  
 (Lagda ng may Kapansanan/Magulang/Isang Nanagu-  
 tang Miyembro ng Pamilya)

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that the foregoing statement of \_\_\_\_\_  
 about his name and residence are correct. (Ito ay nagpapatunay na  
 ang mga inilathad ukol sa kanyang pangalan at tirahan ay totoo.)

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Barangay Captain or his Authorized Representative  
 (Pinuno ng Barangay o Kanyang Kinatawan)

INSTRUCTIONS IN FILLING THE FORM

- 1. Fill all blanks pertaining to barangay, town/province, name and other particulars pertaining to the respondent.
- 2. Read carefully and be sure to answer all questions pertaining to the disability of the respondent.
- 3. If an impairment cannot be classified under any of the categories stated in this form, the respondent is not a disabled person for purposes of this census.
- 4. Check appropriate blanks. Any additional information written in the form will not be considered.
- 5. If the disabled is unable to sign, he should affix his thumbprint; otherwise the parent or any other responsible family member may sign for the respondent.
- 6. The Barangay Captain or his authorized representative shall affix his signature on the appropriate blank to certify the correctness of the information given by the respondent.