




## NDRRMC UPDATE

### Effects of Magnitude 5.1 Earthquake in Albuera, Leyte

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Sources: DOST-PHIVOLCS, DSWD, OCDRO VIII

#### I. Situation Overview:

- a. On 23 August 2017, an earthquake was felt in Albuera, Leyte with the following details:

<b>Date/Time</b>	06:66 AM, 23 August 2017
<b>Location</b>	10.97°N, 124.70°E - 005 km N 03° E of Albuera (Leyte)
<b>Depth of Focus (Km)</b>	005
<b>Origin</b>	TECTONIC
<b>Magnitude</b>	Ms. 5.1
<b>Reported Intensities</b>	Intensity V – Ormoc City Intensity IV – Pastrana, Leyte Intensity III – Tacloban City and Palo, Leyte
<b>Instrumental Intensities</b>	Intensity VI – Ormoc City Intensity I – Cebu City
<b>Expecting Damage/s</b>	No
<b>Expecting Aftershocks</b>	YES

#### II. Effects:

##### A. DAMAGES

1. As per OCD Region VIII initial monitoring, there are no reported damages or casualties in the affected areas.

##### B. SUSPENSION OF CLASSES

AREA	STATUS
Ormoc City	Suspended classes at 7:00 AM in all levels

AREA	STATUS
Albuera, Leyte	Suspended Classes at 9:00 AM in all levels by virtue of Executive Order No. 44, Series of 2017

Source: OCD VIII SitRep No. 03 issued on 26 August 2017

### C. AFFECTED POPULATION

1. A total of 17 families / 85 persons were reported affected due to the said earthquake.

REGION/PROVINCE/ MUNICIPALITY/CITY	AFFECTED		
	BRGY.	FAMILIES	PERSONS
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>85</b>
<b>REGION VIII</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>85</b>
<b>Leyte</b>			
Albuera	1	15	75
Ormoc City	2	2	10

### D. CASUALTIES

1. One (1) dead and one (1) injured persons were reported in the Province of Albuera Leyte (Region VIII):

<b>DEAD – 1</b>			
NAME	AGE / SEX	ADDRESS	CAUSE DEATH / REMARKS
Maria Contreras Colasito	51 / F	Brgy. Naunangan, Ormoc City	Due to traumatic intracranial injury secondary to fall

<b>INJURED – 1</b>			
NAME	AGE / SEX	ADDRESS	CAUSE DEATH / REMARKS
Jeralyn Mercones	18 / F	Brgy. Hibunaon, Ormoc City	Neck injury due to fall

Sources: DOH 8 HEMS HEARS Report as of 23 August 2017, OCD VIII

### E. DAMAGES

#### DAMAGED HOUSES

1. A total of seventeen (17) houses were partially damaged in the Municipality of Albuera (15) and Ormoc City (2) due to the earthquake.

#### DAMAGED TO SCHOOLS FACILITIES

1. A total of twelve (12) schools sustained minor damages in the Municipality of Albuera (4) and Ormoc City (8) due to the earthquake:

LOCATION	NAME OF SCHOOL
Albuera, Leyte	Albuera South Central School (3 Buildings = 11 Classrooms)
	Calingatan Elementary School (1 Buildings = 2 Classrooms)
	San Pedro Elementary School (1 Buildings = 2 Classrooms)
	Tinag-an Elementary School (1 Buildings = 1 Classrooms)
Ormoc City	Altavista Elementary School (8 Classrooms)
	Altavista Day Care Center
	Bagong Elementary School

LOCATION	NAME OF SCHOOL
	Ipil National High School (Grade 8 & 9 Building)
	Linao National High School
	Macabug Elementary School
	St. Peter's College
	Doña Feliza Mejia ALS Building

Source: OCD VIII SitRep No. 03 issued on 26 August 2017

### DAMAGE TO INFRASTRUCTURE

- Fourteen (14) infrastructure from different places in Ormoc City were damaged due to the earthquake.

LOCATION	INFRASTRUCTURE	DAMAGES
Barangay Altavista, Ormoc City	Covered Court	Damaged basketball board
	Barangay Hall	Notable cracks and ceiling damage
Barangay Bantigue, Ormoc City	Covered Court	Ground cracks in the foundation
Barangay Dolores, Ormoc City	Three-In-One Building	Notable additional cracks
	Covered Court	Ground cracks on the newly renovated three-in-one building
Barangay Don Felipe Larrazabal, Ormoc City	Barangay Hall	Cracks
Barangay Donghol, Ormoc City	Barangay Hall	Cracks
Barangay Ipil, Ormoc City	Three-In-One extension building	Gable end – loose concrete
Barangay Milagro, Ormoc City	UCCP Church	Cracks on the wall
	Temporary Center for Camp Staff	Cracked pavement
	Covered Court	Cracks
San Pablo, Ormoc City	Three-In-One Facility	Noted debris in the newly renovated hospital
Ormoc City	Development Bank of the Philippines (DBP)	Diagonal cracks at the ATM dispenser; broken glass partition, damaged exit door header parapet
	China Bank	Damaged main entrance

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## III. ACTIONS TAKEN

### A. NATIONAL

#### 1. NDRRM Operations Center

- Immediately disseminated the earthquake information to OCDROs VII and VIII, and other concerned stakeholders through facsimile, SMS, website, and twitter account for further dissemination to their respective local DRRMCs. Moreover, advised them to undertake precautionary measures

and to monitor the situation for any possible effects of said earthquake particularly in areas with reported intensities.

**2. DOST PHIVOLCS**

- a) Sent Earthquake Information No. 01, 02 and 03, and is closely monitoring the situation. Any new significant development will be immediately relayed to all concerned.

**3. DSWD**

- a) Continuously coordinating with DSWD-FO VII for significant reports on assistance and relief efforts

**B. REGIONAL AND LOCAL DRRM COUNCILS**

**1. REGION VIII**

**OCD VIII**

- a) Continuously monitoring the incident. No damages reported and monitored.
- b) Coordinated with the affected LGUs regarding the effects of the earthquake.

**DSWD VIII**

- a) In close coordination with Ormoc City and Albuera
- b) Relief assistance are readily available and can immediately be provided once requested.

**DOH RO VIII**

- a) Proceeded to Ormoc City to validate reported casualties due to earthquake and assigned nurses to manage health information.
- b) Continuous monitoring of events via all form of media and health offices in the affected areas.

**PDOH Leyte**

- a) Conducted data gathering and verification of reports
- b) Validated reported injured case at Ormoc Sugar Cane Planters Association-Farmer's Medical Center (OSPA-FMC) Hospital

**DPWH**

- a) Conducted assessment of roads and bridges.
- b) On-going assessment of school buildings.

**PDRRMC Leyte**

- a) Close monitoring of the incident, and coordinated with concerned Local Government Units (LGUs) in the Province of Leyte.

**CDRRMC Ormoc City**

- a) Conducted Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Council (DRRMC) meeting.
- b) Deployed teams to conduct Rapid Damage Assessment and Needs Analysis.
- c) Conducted debriefing to students.

**MDRRMC Albuera, Leyte**

- a) Closely monitoring the incident
- b) Conducted assessment of damages in the municipality.
- c) Suspended classes in all level

**MDRRMC Palompon, Leyte**

- a) Closely monitoring the incident

**MDRRMC Kananga, Leyte**

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