

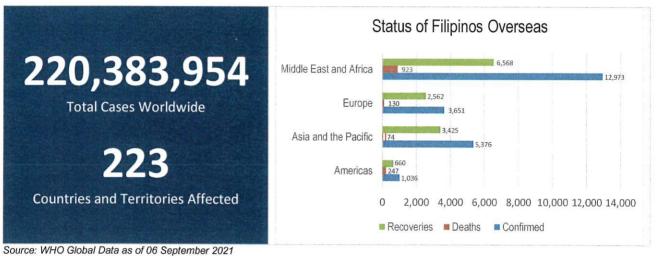
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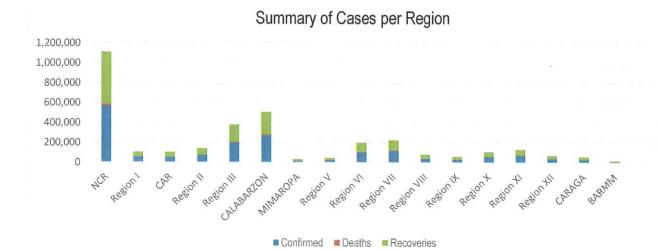
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GLOBAL SITUATION



PHILIPPINE SITUATION

	TOTAL	NEW	REMARKS
TOTAL CASES	2,103,331	+22,415	
Active Cases	159,633		7.6% Positivity Rate
DEATHS	34,337	+103	1.63% Case Fatality Rate
RECOVERIES	1,909,361	+20,109	90.8% Case Recovery Rate

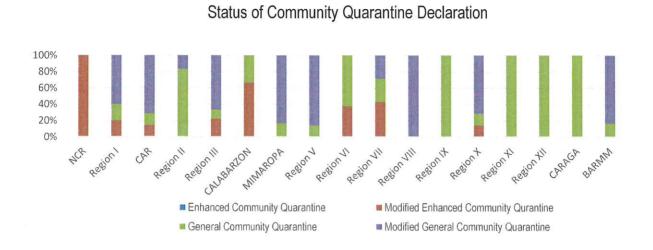


P-D-I-T-R STRATEGY

With reference to the National Action Plan (NAP) for COVID-19, the National Task Force is intensifying efforts to PREVENT the spread of the COVID-19, TEST individuals, and communities, ISOLATE those that are identified to be confirmed cases, TREAT and provide with appropriate health care, and REINTEGRATE them back to the community.

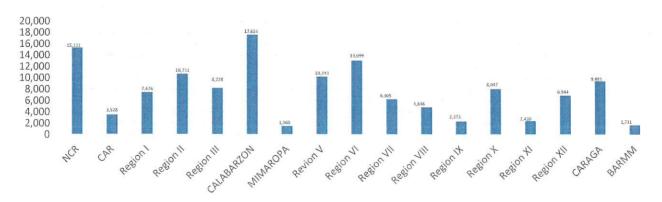
PREVENT

PREVENT enables to change mindsets and behaviors to advocate for shared responsibility in ensuring compliance to minimum public health standards and protocols and address stigma and division in the communities, workplaces, schools. To implement the PREVENT strategy, community quarantine declarations are made in various localities, enforcing stricter regulations and disease preventive measures particular for areas with high cases. The status of community quarantine declarations is summarized as follows:



DETECT

DETECT entails active screening of those presenting with signs and symptoms of COVID-19 in the community as well as other disease surveillance activities. For this purpose, contact tracing teams have been organized and provided with appropriate training. Summary is as follows:



Contact Tracing Team Members

The overall results of contact tracing are summarized as follows:



Also, part of DETECT strategy is the enhancement of the COVID-19 testing capacities of the country. For this purpose, testing laboratories are setup and provided with appropriate licensing. The summary is as follows:

278	20
270	29
Licensed RT-PCR and GeneXpert Laboratories	Laboratories with Ongoing Licensing Applications

The overall testing results is summarized as follows:

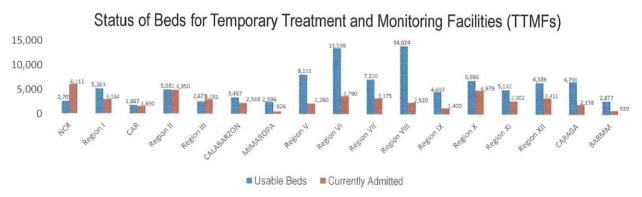
	TOTAL	NEW	
TESTS CONDUCTED	19,216,097	+51,814	
UNIQUE INDIVIDUALS TESTED	18,058,287	+48,589	
POSITIVITY RATE	12.4	4%	
BACKLOGS	361		

To aid in the testing efforts, Mega Swabbing Sites have been established. The outputs of the Mega Swabbing Sites are as follows:

	TOTAL	NEW
ACT MOBILE TEAM	380,340	+1,032
MOA ARENA	365,468	+1,262
NINOY AQUINO STADIUM	377,474	+1,468
PHILIPPINE SPORTS ARENA	532,328	+2,119

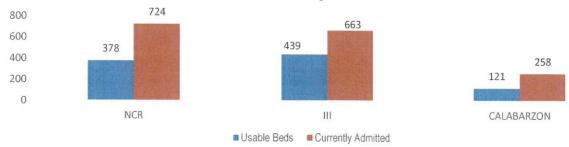
ISOLATE

Isolate involves implementation of measures to separate those identified as exposed and confirmed cases and provide medical interventions to further prevent the spread of the disease. This strategy involves setting up of Temporary Treatment and Monitoring Facilities (TTMFs). The summary of TTMFs established is as follows:



Source: DOH as of 16 August 2021

Aside from the TTMFs, Mega LIGTAS facilities have also been established. The summary of occupancies for the Mega LIGTAS facilities is as follows:

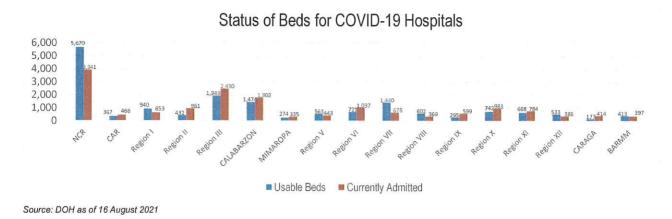


Status of Beds for Mega LIGTAS facilities

Source: DOH as of 16 August 2021

TREAT

For the TREAT strategy, One Hospital Command has been established to facilitate a centralized referral system. Further, wards, isolation, and intensive care units are in operation to provide treatment services for COVID-19 positives. The occupancy rate for all beds dedicated to COVID-19 (Ward, Isolation, Intensive Care) among reporting hospitals is summarized as follows.



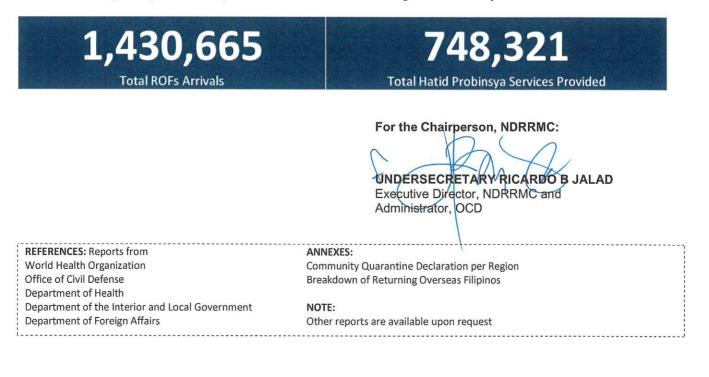
DONATIONS MONITORING

In terms of resources, the following is the summary of total domestic and international donations received by the Philippine government, particularly various medical supplies, monitored by OCD in compliance with the Administrative Order No. 27, s. 2020, signed by the President of the Philippines on 31 March 2020.



MANAGEMENT OF RETURNING OVERSEAS FILIPINOS

Returning Overseas Filipinos are provided with assistance by facilitating their arrival from different points of origin abroad until their return to their respective homes, and attend to their medical and social needs, in order to give them comfort, ensure their safety, and prevent the spread of COVID-19. The following is the summary of ROFs



Community Quarantine Declaration per LGU As of 05 September 2021

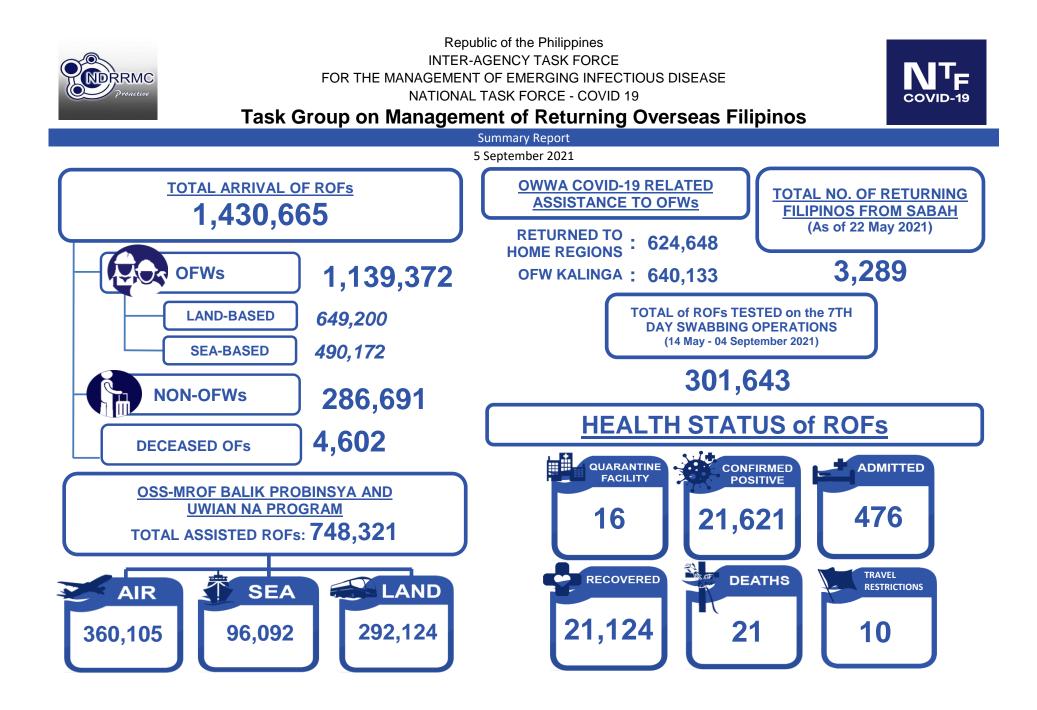
PROVINCE/ CHARTERED CITY / MUNICIPALITY	COMMUNITY QUARANTINE DECLARATION (ECQ, MECQ, GCQ, MGCQ)	EFFECTIVITY DATE
NCR		
Caloocan	MECQ	01-07 September 2021
Malabon	MECQ	01-07 September 2021
Navotas	MECQ	01-07 September 2021
Valenzuela	MECQ	01-07 September 2021
Pasig	MECQ	01-07 September 2021
Pateros Marikina	MECQ	01-07 September 2021
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Taguig Quezon City	MECQ	01-07 September 2021
Manila	MECQ	01-07 September 2021
Marina Makati	MECQ	01-07 September 2021
Mandaluyong	MECQ	01-07 September 2021
San Juan	MECQ	01-07 September 2021
Muntinlupa	MECQ	01-07 September 2021
Paranague	MECQ	01-07 September 2021
Las Pinas	MECQ	01-07 September 2021
Pasay	MECQ	01-07 September 2021
CAR		
Abra	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021
Арауао	MECQ	01-07 September 2021
Benguet	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021
lfugao	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021
Kalinga	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021
Mt. Province	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021
Baguio City	GCQ	01-07 September 2021
Region I		
La Union	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021
Pangasinan	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021
llocos Sur	GCQ	01-07 September 2021
llocos Norte	MECQ	01-07 September 2021
Dagupan City	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021
Region II	WOOQ	
Batanes	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021
Cagayan	GCQ	01-07 September 2021
Isabela	GCQ	01-07 September 2021
Santiago City	GCQ	01-07 September 2021
Quirino	GCQ	01-07 September 2021
Nueva Vizcaya		
Region III	GCQ	01-07 September 2021
Aurora	MGCQ	01.07 Sontomber 2021
		01-07 September 2021
Bataan	MECQ	01-07 September 2021

PROVINCE/ CHARTERED CITY / MUNICIPALITY	COMMUNITY QUARANTINE DECLARATION (ECQ, MECQ, GCQ, MGCQ)	EFFECTIVITY DATE
Bulacan	MECQ	01-07 September 2021
Nueva Ecija	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021
Pampanga	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021
Tarlac	GCQ	01-07 September 2021
Zambales	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021
Angeles City	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021
Olongapo City	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021
CALABARZON		
Cavite	MECQ	01-07 September 2021
Laguna	MECQ	01-07 September 2021
Batangas	GCQ	01-07 September 2021
Rizal	MECQ	01-07 September 2021
Quezon	GCQ	01-07 September 2021
Lucena City	MECQ	01-07 September 2021
MIMAROPA		
Oriental Mindoro	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021
Occidental Mindoro	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021
Marinduque	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021
Romblon	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021
Palawan	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021
Puerto Princesa City	GCQ	01-07 September 2021
Region V		
Albay	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021
Camarines Norte	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021
Camarines Sur	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021
Naga City	GCQ	01-07 September 2021
Catanduanes	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021
Masbate	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021
Sosorgon	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021
Region VI		
Aklan	MECQ	01-07 September 2021
Antique	GCQ	01-07 September 2021
Capiz	GCQ	01-07 September 2021
Guimaras	GCQ	01-07 September 2021
Iloilo	MECQ	01-07 September 2021
lloilo City	MECQ	01-07 September 2021
Negros Occidental	GCQ	01-07 September 2021
Bacolod City	GCQ	01-07 September 2021
Region VII		
Bohol	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021
Cebu	GCQ	01-07 September 2021
Cebu City	MECQ	01-07 September 2021
Lapulapu City	MECQ	01-07 September 2021

PROVINCE/ CHARTERED CITY / MUNICIPALITY	COMMUNITY QUARANTINE DECLARATION (ECQ, MECQ, GCQ, MGCQ)	EFFECTIVITY DATE		
Mandaue City	MECQ	01-07 September 2021		
Negros Oriental	GCQ	01-07 September 2021		
Siquijor	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021		
Region VIII				
Leyte	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021		
Southern Leyte	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021		
Biliran	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021		
Samar (Western Samar)	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021		
Eastern Samar	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021		
Northern Samar	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021		
Ormoc City	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021		
Region IX				
Zamboanga Del Norte	GCQ	01-07 September 2021		
Zamboanga Del Sur	GCQ	01-07 September 2021		
Zamboanga Sibugay	GCQ	01-07 September 2021		
Zamboanga City	GCQ	01-07 September 2021		
Region X				
Bukidnon	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021		
Camiguin	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021		
Lanao del Norte	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021		
Iligan City	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021		
Misamis Occidental	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021		
Misamis Oriental	GCQ	01-07 September 2021		
Cagayan de Oro City	MECQ	01-07 September 2021		
Region XI				
Davao del Norte	GCQ	01-07 September 2021		
Davao del Sur	GCQ	01-07 September 2021		
Davao City	GCQ	01-07 September 2021		
Davao de Oro	GCQ	01-07 September 2021		
Davao Occidental	GCQ			
Davao Oriental		01-07 September 2021		
Region XII	GCQ	01-07 September 2021		
General Santos City	633	01.07 September 2021		
North Cotabato	GCQ	01-07 September 2021		
	GCQ	01-07 September 2021		
Sarangani South Cotabato	GCQ	01-07 September 2021		
South Cotabato Sultan Kudarat	GCQ	01-07 September 2021		
CARAGA	GCQ	01-07 September 2021		
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Agusan del Norte	GCQ	01-07 September 2021		
Butuan City	GCQ	01-07 September 2021		
Agusan del Sur	GCQ	01-07 September 2021		
Surigao del Norte	GCQ	01-07 September 2021		
Surigao del Sur	GCQ	01-07 September 2021		

PROVINCE/ CHARTERED CITY / MUNICIPALITY	COMMUNITY QUARANTINE DECLARATION (ECQ, MECQ, GCQ, MGCQ)	EFFECTIVITY DATE	
Dinagat Islands	GCQ	01-07 September 2021	
BARMM			
Maguindanao	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021	
Cotabato City	GCQ	01-07 September 2021	
Basilan	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021	
Lanao del Sur	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021	
Sulu	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021	
Tawi-Tawi	MGCQ	01-07 September 2021	

Source: IATF Resolution No. 135 - A dated 26 August 2021





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ARRIVALS

OFWs

	TOTAL ARRIVAL ON AIRPORT: 1,362,767														
		NINOY AQ	UINO INTE	RNATIONAL	AIRPORT		CLARK INTERNATIONAL		MACTAN-CEBU INTERNATIONAL		LAOAG DAVAO		SUBIC	GRAN	TOTAL
ROFs	Tern	ninal 1	Terr	ninal 2	Tern	ninal 3		PORT		PORT	AIRPORT	AIRPORT	AIRPORT		OF ROFs
		ril 2020 - mber 2021)		ril 2020 - nber 2021)		ly 2020 - nber 2021)		ne 2020 - mber 2021)		ne 2020 - mber 2021)	(18 June - 04 Sep. 2021)	(27 June - 04 Sep. 2021)	(18 June - 04 Sep. 2021)		
	Now	Cumulative	Now	Cumulative	Now	Cumulative	Now	Cumulative	Now	Cumulative	Cumulative	Cumulative	Cumulative	Now	Cumulative
SUBTOTAL	785	332,885	913	446,841	458	320,580	225	146,895	522	107,018	266	3,121	5,161	2,903	1,430,665
OFWs	687	280,676	471	317,479	256	251,121	205	134,582	270	84,169	251	2,720	5,078	1,889	1,139,372
Land-based	605	195,921	171	210,601	147	136,782	94	66,852	74	31,447	241	2,550	4,806	1,091	649,200
Sea-based	82	84,755	300	106,878	109	114,339	111	67,730	196	52,722	10	170	272	798	490,172
NON-OFWs	98	52,209	442	129,362	202	69,459	20	12,313	252	22,849	15	401	83	1,014	286,691
Deceased OFs	5	4,602												5	4,602
				тот	AL ARRI\	AL ON SE	APORT:	63,296							
ROFs	MA	NILA	LA CEBU SUBIC BATAAN TAWI-TAWI/ DAVAO						BATAN	GAS					
	Now	Cumulative	Now	Cumulative	Now	Cumulative	Now	Cumulative	Now	Cumulative	Now	Cumulative	Now	Cumulative	
SUBTOTAL	0	57.206	0	593	0	832	0	1.011	0	3.289	0	48	0	317	

1,011

3,289

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832 57,206 0 593 0 832 1,011 0 3,289 0 48 0 0 Sea-based Sources: 1) OSS Report dated 04 September 2021, 2) BOQ Report No. 473 dated 05 September 2021, 3) BOQ Human Remains Report No. 416 dated 05 September 2021, and 4) OCD BARMM Report dated 22 May 2021.

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57,200

				AIRPORTS	3						
ROFs		NAIA			CLARK MACTA			GRAND TOTAL OF TESTED ROFs			
RUFS	Terminal 1	Terminal 2	Terminal 3		INTERNATIONAL INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT AIRPORT			120122 11010			
	Cumulative	Cumulative	Cumulative	Cumulative		Cumu	lative	Cumulative			
SUBTOTAL	193,297	270,090	186,044	67,026		67,026		42,	925	810,139	
RT-PCR (Viral Test)											
Conducted by PCG	170,310	210,044	161,860	67,0	7,026 42,92		67,026		026 42,925		702,922
Arranged by LMA	2,256	2,011	0	0		0		0 0		4,267	
Arranged by MARIKINA LGU	20	27	44	0		0		91			
Arranged by PAMPANGA LGU	907	1,747	592	0	0)	3,246			
Conducted by PAGSS/PADL	19,804	0	23,548	0	0		0		0	43,352	
Conducted by PAL/DETOXICARE	0	56,261	0	0	0 0)	56,261			
			9	SEAPORT	s						
ROFs	MANILA	CEBU	SUBIC	BATAAN		-TAWI/ OANGA	DAVAO				
	Cumulative	Cumulative	Cumulative	Cumulative	Cum	ulative	Cumulative				
SUBTOTAL	47,509	119	438	697 1,9		986	8				
RT-PCR (Viral Test)											
Conducted by PCG	47,509	119	438	697	1,:	986	8				

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Sources: 1) OSS Report dated 31 January 2021, and 2) BOQ Report No. 258 dated 02 February 2021.

6TH DAY SWABBING OPERATIONS

Agency	GRAND TOTAL OF TESTED ROFs							
	Cumulative							
SUBTOTAL	233,767							
RT-PCR (Viral Test)								
PCG	154,815							
BOQ	25,082							
DETOXICARE	19,795							
PADL	22,727							
PRIMERCARE	11,348							

Source: 1) OSS Report dated 15 May 2021. (Note: Figures from previous reports may differ due to data verification process.)

7TH DAY SWABBING OPERATIONS (May 14 - September 4, 2021)

		GRAND TOTAL OF					
Agency	NAIA	CLARK	CEBU	LAOAG	DAVAO	SUBIC	TESTED ROFs
	Cumulative	Cumulative	Cumulative	Cumulative	Cumulative	Cumulative	Cumulative
SUBTOTAL	235,006	31,805	28,350	266	2,377	3,839	301,643
RT-PCR (Viral Test)							
PCG/GOV'T LABS	175,944	0	0	0	0	0	175,944
BOQ CLARK	0	28,898	0	0	0	0	28,898
DETOXICARE	33,312	0	0	0	0	0	33,312
PADL	25,750	2,907	0	0	0	0	28,657
DOH-RESU 7	0	0	28,350	0	0	0	28,350
M. MARIANO MEM HOSPITAL	0	0	0	266	0	0	266
SOUTHERN PHIL MED CTR	0	0	0	0	2,377	0	2,377
BOQ SUBIC	0	0	0	0	0	3,839	3,839

Source: 1) OSS Report dated 04 September 2021. (Note: Figures from previous reports may differ due to data verification process.)



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QUARAN	TINE									
ROFs IN TREATMENT AND MONITORING FACILITIES ROFs IN ACCOMMODATION ESTABLISHMENTS (AEs)								ON ESTABLISHMENTS (AEs)		
No. of QFs	Confirm	ed Positive	Adn	nitted	Recovered Deaths		No. of AEs	Non-OFWs		
16	Now	Cumulative	Now	Cumulative	Now	Cumulative	Now	Cumulative	0	
10	26	21,621	2	476	23	21,124	0	21		0
Source: 1) BOQ Report No. 473 dated 05 September 2021. (Note: Figures from previous reports may differ due to data verification process.)										

OSS-MROF BALIK PROBINSYA & UWIAN NA PROGRAM (May 25, 2020 - September 4, 2021)

MODE				
Air (NAIA T2)	Land (PITX)	Sea (N. Harbor)	GRAND TOTAL	
Cumulative	Cumulative	Cumulative		
360,105	292,124	96,092	748,321	
	Air (NAIA T2) Cumulative	Air (NAIA T2) Land (PITX) Cumulative Cumulative	Cumulative Cumulative Cumulative	Air (NAIA T2) Land (PITX) Sea (N. Harbor) GRAND TOTAL Cumulative Cumulative Cumulative Cumulative

Sources: 1) OSS Report as of 04 September 2021, 2) PITX Report (Uwian Na Program) dated 05 September 2021, and "DOTr (Hatid Tulong Program) Report dated 14 May 2021 "Data starting from June 2 includes LSI and APOR. (Note: Figures from previous reports may differ due to data verification process.)

OWWA COVID-19 RELATED	ASSISTANCE TO OF	WS (March 2020 - July 11, 2021)
Returned to Home Regions	624,648	
OFW Kalinga	640,133	

Source: 1) OWWA Monitoring Report dated 21 July 2021.

REMAINS OF DECEASED OFs

COU	NTRY OF ORIGIN	CAUSE C	OF DEATH	
COUNTRY	NOW	CUMULATIVE		CUMULATIVE
TOTAL	5	4,602		4,602
Saudi Arabia	0	798	COVID-19	621
USA	0	287	NON COVID-19	3,981
United Arab Emirates	0	149		
Qatar	0	67		
Kuwait	0	51		
Others	5	3,250		
ource: 1) BOQ Human Remains Report No. 416 dated 05 September 2021. (Note: Figures from previous reports may differ due to data verification process.)				

RETURNING FILIPINOS FROM SABAH

		••			
TOTAL NO. OF R FRO	3,289				
First Batch	July 5, 2020	395			
Second Batch	July 29, 2020	394			
Third Batch	August 13, 2020	400			
Fourth Batch	August 28, 2020	379			
Fifth Batch	September 24, 2020	400			
Sixth Batch	November 12, 2020	151			
Seventh Batch	December 13-20, 2020	Failed deportation due to force majeure			
Eighth Batch	March 7, 2021	316			
Ninth Batch	April 17, 2021	358			
Tenth Batch	May 22, 2021	496			
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As of June 21, 2021, **4,683** remaining Filipinos are still in Sabah for transfer. Source: 1) OCD BARMM Report dated 22 May 2021. (Note: Figures from previous reports may differ due to data verification process

TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS COUNTRY PERIOD India April 29 - September 5, 2021 Pakistan May 7 - September 5, 2021 Sri Lanka 2021

Bangladesh	
United Arab Emirates	May 15 - September
Oman	5, 2021
Indonesia	July 16 - September 5, 2021
Thailand	July 25 - September 5, 2021
	July 25 - September

 Malaysia
 5, 2021

 Sources: 1) Memo from the ES, OP dated January 5, 8, 12, 15, May 4, 15, June 1, July 14, and July 23, 2021, and 2) IATF Resolution No. 112, 123, 126, 130, 133, 135-C dated August 30, 2021.

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Republic of the Philippines Inter-Agency Task Force FOR THE MANAGEMENT OF EMERGENCY INFECTIOUS DISEASE NATIONAL TASK FORCE COVID-19 Task Group on Management of Returning Overseas Filipinos

NARRATIVE REPORT 5 September 2021

ACTIONS TAKEN: Management of Returning Overseas Filipinos (MROF)

The Task Group on Management of Returning Overseas Filipinos (TG-MROF) was created by the National Incident Command-National Task Force COVID 19 to solely cater to the medical and social needs of Returning Overseas Filipinos (ROFs). The TG-MROF in coordination with various government agencies, private entities, and other task groups created to response with the prevailing crisis, regional task units, and local government agencies that are task to facilitate the safe return of the ROFs back to their home provinces.

Members: DND, DOTr, DOLE, DILG, DFA, DOT, DSWD, DOH, OCD, OWWA, BOQ, CAAP, MARINA, PCG, PNP and AFP

ARRIVALS: As of 04 September 2021, a total of <u>1,430,665</u> **Returning Overseas Filipinos (ROFs)** arrived at the NAIA Terminals 1, 2, and 3, Clark International Airport, Mactan-Cebu International Airport, Laoag International Airport, South Harbor, Subic, Bataan, Zamboanga, and Batangas Port. Of which, a total of <u>1,139,372</u> are **OFWs** (<u>649,200</u> are **land-based** and <u>490,172</u> are **sea-based**) and <u>286,691</u> are **non-OFWs**.

A total of <u>4,602</u> deceased ROFs had arrived in the country from 07 July 2020 – 5 September 2021. Of which, <u>621</u> died due to COVID-19.

TESTING: From May 9, 2020 to 31 January 2021, a total of <u>810,134</u> ROFs were tested thru RT-PCR.

6TH DAY OF SWABBING OPERATIONS: From 01 February to 13 May 2021, a total of <u>233,767</u> Returning Overseas Filipinos (ROFs) were tested thru RT-PCR, on the 6th day of their quarantine period.

7TH DAY OF SWABBING OPERATIONS: As of 4 September, a total of <u>301,643</u> Returning Overseas **Filipinos (ROFs)** were tested thru RT-PCR on the 7th day of their quarantine period. Of which, <u>175,944</u> were tested by PCG, <u>28,898</u> were tested by BOQ Clark, <u>33,312</u> were tested by Detoxicare, <u>28,657</u> were tested by PADL, <u>28,350</u> were tested by DOH-RESU 7, <u>266</u> were tested by M. Mariano Memorial Hospital, <u>2,377</u> were tested by Southern Philippine Medical Center, and <u>3,839</u> were tested by BOQ Subic.

QUARANTINE: As of 5 September 2021, a total of 21,621 ROFs were confirmed positive with COVID-19. Of which, 476 are admitted at 16 quarantine facilities, 21,124 were able to recover and 19 died.

OSS-MROF BALIK PROBINSYA AND UWIAN NA PROGRAM: As of 4 September 2021, a total of <u>748,321</u> ROFs were assisted back to their home provinces. Of which, <u>292,124</u> were assisted by land, <u>360,105</u> by air, and <u>96,092</u> by sea.

OWWA COVID-19 RELATED ASSISTANCE TO OFWs: From March 2020 to 21 July, 2021, a total of **624,648** OFWs were assisted by OWWA on their "Returned to Home Regions" program and **640,133** OFWs are also assisted through "OFW Kalinga" program.

RETURNING FILIPINOS (REFs) from SABAH: As of 22 May 2021, a total of <u>3,289</u> REFs from Sabah had arrived in the country. While as of 21 June 2021, a total of <u>4,683</u> remaining Filipinos are still in Sabah for transfer.

TRAVEL BANNED COUNTRIES: As of 31 August 2021, Travelers from <u>10</u> countries namely India, Pakistan, Nepal, Sri Lanka, Bangladesh, United Arab Emirates, Oman, Indonesia, Thailand, and Malaysia are prohibited to enter the Philippines until 5 September 2021.

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