



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
DIGOS CITY DIVISION

Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

DIVISION MEMORANDUM

SGOD-2023- 094

To : Elizabetha R. Bueron, School Head-DICNHS
Jun Rey D. Dequina, MATCC, School Head- Cor Jesu College, Inc.
Merly B. Viernes, MAED-LA, School Head- Digos Seventh-Day
Adventist Elementary School, Inc.

Subject : CONDUCT OF THE MIGRATION IMPACT STUDY

Date : March 13, 2023

In reference to the Memorandum OUCOS-PS_2022-014 from the Office of the DepEd Secretary dated February 4, 2023 regarding the request of data on the conduct of study entitled "The Impact of Migration on Educational Outcomes of Children Left Behind, this Office issued this memorandum to this effect.

In line with this, the Innovations for Poverty Action (IPA) through Planning and Research Office of Digos City Division, will be requesting scanned copies of the School Forms (SF) 2 (Learner Daily Attendance), SF 9 (Learner Progress Report Card), and SF 10 (Learner's Permanent Record) of the following students:

Region	School_Division	School_Name	Student_Fullname
Region XI	Digos City	Digos City NHS (Davao Del Sur NHS)	Elaine Therese Baldomero Lumangtad
Region XI	Digos City	Digos Seventh-Day Adventist Elementary School, Inc.	Kyle Shan Baldomero
Region XI	Digos City	Cor Jesu College Basic Education Dept.	April Xyren Monroid dela Peña
Region XI	Digos City	Digos City NHS (Davao Del Sur NHS)	Romeo Pantorilla Nunday Jr.

Attached in this Memorandum is the letter request of RO-XI PPRD and approved recommendation from the office of the Schools Division Superintendent.

The Data Privacy Act of 2012 and the Data Sharing Agreement between DepEd and Innovations for Poverty Action guide this data collection approach.

For submission of scanned documents, and/or questions and clarifications, kindly send an email message to DepEd Digos City Division at prme.digoscity@deped.gov.ph.

For information, guidance and compliance.

DepEd Schools Division of Digos City

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BY: 

CRISTY C. EPE

Schools Division Superintendent

Enclosed: As stated.
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Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION XI
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF DIGOS CITY

March 1, 2023

RE: Memorandum from Roger B. Masapol, Director IV, Planning Service with the subject Conduct of Study titled "The Impact of Migration on Educational Outcomes of Children Left Behind", proposed by Mr. Siu Yuat Wong, a PhD researcher in the Department of Economics of Yale University.

- In the Memorandum, the researcher will be conducting data gathering through School Forms, Learner Daily Attendance, Learner Progress Report Card, and Learner's Permanent Record through the SDO SEPS for Planning and Research. Likewise, the data gathering ensured that:

The data collection methodology is in accordance with the Data Privacy Act of 2012 and Data Sharing Agreement between DepEd and Innovations for Poverty Action.

RECOMMENDATION:

- It is recommended that the request of the researcher will be approved as the data handling mechanism is within the bounds of the legal context which ensured the protection of the data to be provided. Likewise, this Office requests for the copy of results of the study once it has been completed.

Prepared:

TITO M. ENDRINA
EPS
Division Research Coordinator

Approved:

CRISTY C. EPE
Schools Division Superintendent



DATE: 27 FEB 2023 TIME: 8:02 am
BY: [Signature]

From: Policy Research and Development Division <ps.prd@deped.gov.ph>
Sent: Monday, 27 February 2023 5:55 PM
To: DepEd SDO Digos City
Cc: marjun.rebosquillo@deped.gov.ph; migrationstudy@poverty-action.org; Karisha Anne Cruz; pprd.region11@depd.gov.ph
Subject: Fwd: [MEMORANDUM] Conduct of the Migration Impact Study (SDO Focal Persons)
Attachments: Migration and Education Study_FAQs.pdf; Migration and Education Study_Instructions for SDOs.pdf; Migration and Education Study_School Submission Guidelines.pdf; [OUCOS-PS-2022-014] Conduct of Migration Impact Study.pdf

Dear Sir / Maam:

Resending this Memo, for your reference po. Should you have questions on this matter, kindly email us at ps.prd@deped.gov.ph and [@migrationstudy@poverty-action.org](mailto:migrationstudy@poverty-action.org).

Thank you!

Best,
Lawrence

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Policy Research and Development Division <ps.prd@deped.gov.ph>
Date: Mon, Apr 11, 2022 at 11:44 AM
Subject: [MEMORANDUM] Conduct of the Migration Impact Study (SDO Focal Persons)
To: migrationstudy@poverty-action.org <migrationstudy@poverty-action.org>

Dear Research Coordinators,

Greetings from PS-PRD!

Relative to the recently conducted Orientation on the Data Collection on Migration Impact Study last Feb 17-18, 2022, attached is the Memorandum OUCOS-PS-2022-014 re: Conduct of the Study Titled "**The Impact of Migration and Education Outcomes of Children Left Behind**" (Migration Impact Study). Enclosed in the Memo are the following instructions:

- 1) Instructions for SDO Research Focal Person
- 2) Instructions for Schools in the submission of learner data
- 3) Frequently Asked Questions

In case you missed the orientation last Feb 17-18, you can view the recorded presentation and other related materials in this link: <https://tinyurl.com/depedorientation>.

Kindly note the change of email address of the Focal Person from IPA. All correspondence shall be communicated to migrationstudy@poverty-action.org instead to Ariane Rodillas (arodillas@poverty-action.org).

For questions and clarifications, do not hesitate to contact us.

This Memo is for your information and appropriate actions.

Thank you!

Best,

PS-PRD

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*"Research is to see what everybody else has seen, and to think what nobody else has thought". -
Albert Szent-Gyorgyi*

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MEMORANDUM
OUCOS-PS-2022-014

FOR : **Minister of Basic, Higher, and Technical Education of BARMM
Regional Directors
Schools Division Superintendents
Public and Private Schools**

FROM : 
ROGER B. MASAPOL
Director IV, Planning Service

SUBJECT : **Conduct of the Study titled "The Impact of Migration on
Educational Outcomes of Children Left Behind"**


DATE : 04 February 2022

The International Labor Organization (ILO) and Innovations for Poverty Action (IPA), in partnership and coordination with the Department of Education (DepEd), are supporting a study proposed by Mr. Siu Yuat Wong, a PhD researcher in the Department of Economics of Yale University, titled "The Impact of Migration on Educational Outcomes of Children Left Behind". This study aims to understand the impact of temporary migration of parents on the academic outcomes of their children who are left behind. This will provide us evidence on how to further support our Overseas Filipino Workers (OFW) and their families.

In line with this, the IPA will be conducting the data gathering for the said study. Manual data collection through the School Forms (SF) 2 (Learner daily attendance), 9 (Learner Progress Report Card), and 10 (Learner's Permanent Record) will be employed with the assistance of the Regional Research Coordinators and the SDO SEPS for Planning and Research. This will be conducted from March to October 2022, subject to extension depending on the data gathered from the survey. Attached is the background information and data collection methodology of the study, for your reference (Annex 1). The data collection methodology is in accordance with the Data Privacy Act of 2012 and the Data Sharing Agreement between DepEd and IPA.

For questions and clarifications related to this matter, kindly send an email message to IPA at arodillas@poverty-action.org and PS-PRD at ps.prd@deped.gov.ph with the subject "Migration Impact Study".

Noted by:


ATTY. NEPOMUCENO A. MALALUAN
Undersecretary and Chief of Staff

Annex 1:

The Impact of Migration on Educational Outcomes of Children Left Behind

A research project of Mr. Siu Yuat Wong, Department of Economics of Yale University in partnership with International Labor Organization (ILO) and Innovations for Poverty Action (IPA)

Background of the Proposed Study

One of the studies to be conducted under this partnership is the “**The Impact of Migration on Educational Outcomes of Children Left Behind**”, proposed by Siu Yuat Wong, IPA’s Principal Investigator and Lead Researcher. This research project aims to understand the impact of temporary migration of parents on the academic outcomes of their children who are left behind.

To implement the research project, it will employ a novel approach that combines aspects from the forefront of child development literature and migration literature. The researcher will first estimate a model of the causal relationship between the academic development of the child and parental time and money investments. Identification will rely on family fixed effects and instrumental variables for identification of the parameters of interest. These parameters will then be used to simulate counterfactual scenarios for migration decisions made by the parent. He will simulate potential academic outcomes for children at a specific age when a parent migrates and when a parent does not migrate. The simulations will be sensitive to nuances such as whether it was the father or mother who migrated, the country of destination and occupation of the migrant, and the presence of other potential caretakers and siblings within the household the child is raised in.

Data Collection Methodology

The data collection process will occur in 3 main stages. First, recruitment of a large number of migrants from a sample frame using a 5 minute self-administered survey via a Facebook (FB) messenger chatbot. Within this initial FB messenger chatbot survey, **electronic consent will be sought from the migrant-respondent to access their children’s School Forms and National Achievement Test scores.** From the pool of eligible migrants, which are a subset of the initial sample of migrants, there will be randomly selecting 4000 migrant households. Each migrant household will have two or more children who will be the “learners of interest” for this study.

The SDO SEPS for Planning and Research shall inform the school that learners of interest are currently enrolled in their school. Learner data from SF 2, 9, and 10 of the learners of interest will be scanned and sent electronically to Ariane Rodillas and Siu Yuat Wong of IPA at arodillas@poverty-action.org and siuyuat.wong@yale.edu , copy furnished the SDO SEPS for Planning and Research. These data must be verified by the school registrar or school head, whoever is most authorized to release learner data. In case the school has difficulty in sending the learner data, the school shall seek the assistance of the SDO SEPS for Planning and Research.

The data collection methodology is in accordance with the Data Privacy Act of 2012 and the Data Sharing Agreement between DepEd and IPA.