

Overcoming the Effects of Super Typhoon Yolanda

A Joint Presentation of the Philippine Statistics Authority and the Initiatives for Dialogue and Empowerment through Alternative Legal Services, Inc.

ABCD Targets

- ABCD aimed to deliver 83,790 civil registration records to survivors of Super Typhoon Yolanda.
- It also aimed to provide legal services to some 8,000 individuals who needed legal documents such as affidavits in order to reconstruct their identities.



Strategies

- **Forging partnerships**
 - UNHCR
 - Philippine Statistics Authority
 - Department of Social Welfare and Development
 - Local Civil Registrars
 - Local Government Units

Mobile Civil Registration and Conduct of Legal Mission

- Mobilized around 200 community facilitators and lawyers to reach out to remote areas



Mobilized Government Resources

- Local Government Units (LGUs) waived registration fees for civil registration by enacting ordinances



Philippine Statistics Authority

- Reconstruction
- Omnibus Certification



Department of Social Welfare and Development



- Linking with other organizations to facilitate benefits and claims of ABCD beneficiaries

Capacity Building of Local Civil Registrars

- Provision of equipment
- Staff augmentation

