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2023 POVERTY STATISTICS in Central Visayas



Based on the Preliminary 2023 Family and Income Expenditure Survey

Republic Act 8425 of 1997 (Social Reform & Poverty Alleviation Act)

Defines Poor as "Individuals and families whose income fall below the poverty threshold as defined by the NEDA and/or cannot afford in a sustained manner to provide their minimum basic needs of food, health, education, housing and other essential amenities of life." (Section 3 of RA 8425).



is the minimum income required for a family or individual to meet the basic food & non-food needs, also known as the "POVERTY LINE"

AMONG POPULATION

Filipino needed at least



on average, per month, to meet his/her basic food and non-food needs in 2023.



AMONG FAMILIES

In 2023, a Filipino family with 5 members needed around

f 14,397

on average, per month, to meet their basic food and non-food needs.

POVERTY INCIDENCE

is the proportion of families or individuals with per capita income less than the per capita POVERTY THRESHOLD to the total number of families or individuals.

AMONG POPULATION

17.3%

of Filipinos were poor 2023, which translates to

1.16 million

poor Filipinos.



AMONG FAMILIES

12.3%

of Filipino families were poor in 2023, which translates to

207 thousand

poor Filipino Families.



is the proportion of families or individuals with per capita income less than the per capita FOOD THRESHOLD to the total number of families or individuals.

SUBSISTENCE INCIDENCE

AMONG POPULATION

of Filipinos were not able to meet their basic food needs in 2023, which translates to

354 thousand

food poor Filipinos.



AMONG FAMILIES

3.2%

of Filipinos families were not able to meet their basic food needs in 2023, which translates to

53 thousand

food poor Filipino Families.

is the minimum income required for a family or individual to meet the basic food needs, which satisfy the nutritional requirements for economically necessary and socially desirable physical activities.

FOOD THRESHOLD



In 2023, a Filipino needed at least

2,004

on average, per month, to meet his/her basic food needs.



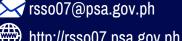
AMONG FAMILIES

A family with 5 members needed around

₱10,020 on average, per month, to meet their basic food needs in 2023



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