

**Poverty Alleviation in the Wake of Typhoon Yolanda:**

**Results of the 2016 Survey of Individuals in Selected Communities[[1]](#footnote-1)**

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The 2016 Poverty Alleviation in the Wake of Typhoon Yolanda Survey is a household

survey of 800 individuals in selected communities, in Tacloban, Tanauan and Palo in the

province of Leyte. It is the second in a series three cross sectional surveys, conducted by the University of Nottingham, United Kingdom in cooperation with the University of

Nottingham, Ningbo, China and the University of the Philippines, Diliman. It aims to identify strategies that work in relation to poverty alleviation in post-disaster environments and the conditions necessary for the success and scaling up of these strategies based on the case of relief efforts in selected Yolanda areas. Generating data on urban population risks and vulnerability to disasters as well as resilience towards environmental shocks, are examined in this study.

The survey covers post-Yolanda experiences. Recovery, resilience, community

support and capacity-building through training are its main focus. Respondents were asked questions on their experiences, attitudes and perceptions on assistance, relief and relocation. Questions about their access to food, health services and education, livelihood, community support and training on livelihood were also included. The respondents’ background characteristics and the household roster were also gathered by survey.

There are two types of data generated by the survey: one is the individual as unit of

analysis and the other is the household level data, derived from the household roster form. To generate the individual data, the household head or the spouse of the household head was interviewed. In case when both are not available, any responsible adult who is knowledgeable about the personal details of the members of the household is interviewed.

The data generated from this survey serves as baseline data of this study on poverty

alleviation two years after selected localities of Tacloban, Tanauan and Palo were devastated by Yolanda.

The central variable used in the analyses is poverty alleviation. It was determined by

asking at self-perceived poverty, access to food, housing, health, education, and livelihood.

Respondents were also asked to assess the assistance that they received from within and outside their community.

The questions were ordered in a manner that approximates the natural sequence of

experiences in the aftermath of Yolanda experience, in order to help the respondents, recall their experiences and to ensure accuracy and consistency of responses.

Cross tabulations of 2016 Yolanda Variables by City/Municipality

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| A4. Sex by city/municipality | |  |  |  |
|  | |  |  |  |
|  | | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Male | | 28.0 | 26.7 | 20.4 |
| Female | | 72.0 | 73.3 | 79.6 |
| Total | | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | | 321 | 240 | 240 |
|  | |  |  |  |
|  | |  |  |  |
| A5. Age of respondent | | |  |  |
|  |  | |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | | Tanauan | Palo |
| 18 | .9 | | .8 |  |
| 19 |  | | .4 |  |
| 20 | 1.9 | | 1.3 | .8 |
| 21 | .6 | | .8 | 1.3 |
| 22 | 2.2 | | 1.7 | 1.3 |
| 23 | 1.2 | | .8 | .8 |
| 24 | 1.6 | | 4.2 | 1.3 |
| 25 | 3.1 | | 3.8 | .4 |
| 26 | 1.9 | | 1.7 | 2.1 |
| 27 | .9 | | 1.7 | .4 |
| 28 | 2.8 | | 2.1 | 1.3 |
| 29 | 1.9 | | 1.3 | 1.3 |
| 30 | 1.9 | | 1.7 | 1.3 |
| 31 | 2.2 | | .4 | 1.3 |
| 32 | 2.5 | | 2.5 | .8 |
| 33 | 2.5 | | .8 | 2.5 |
| 34 | 1.6 | | 2.1 | 2.5 |
| 35 | 2.5 | | 2.9 | 2.1 |
| 36 | 2.2 | | 2.5 | 4.2 |
| 37 | 2.5 | | 2.5 | 2.1 |
| 38 | 2.8 | | 2.5 | 1.3 |
| 39 | 3.4 | |  | 2.1 |
| 40 | 4.0 | | 3.3 | 5.0 |
| 41 | 2.5 | | 2.1 | 1.7 |
| 42 | 2.2 | | 2.5 | 2.1 |
| 43 | 1.6 | | 4.2 | .8 |
| 44 | .6 | | 1.7 | 1.7 |
| 45 | 3.7 | | 4.2 | 5.0 |
| 46 | 2.5 | | 2.1 | 1.7 |
| 47 | 1.2 | | 2.1 | 1.7 |
| 48 | 1.2 | | 2.5 | 1.7 |
| 49 | 1.9 | | 1.3 | 3.3 |
| 50 | 4.0 | | 4.2 | 4.2 |
| 51 | 2.8 | | .8 | 1.3 |
| 52 | 1.2 | | 1.3 | .8 |
| 53 | 1.9 | | 2.1 | 3.8 |
| 54 | .9 | | 1.7 | 2.5 |
| 55 | 1.9 | | 1.3 | 2.1 |
| 56 | 1.6 | | 2.1 | 1.3 |
| 57 | 1.9 | | 2.1 | 1.7 |
| 58 | .9 | | 2.1 | 4.2 |
| 59 | .9 | | 2.5 | 2.1 |
| 60 | 1.6 | | 1.7 | .8 |
| 61 | 2.2 | | 1.3 | .8 |
| 62 | .9 | |  | 2.1 |
| 63 | .6 | | 2.1 | 1.7 |
| 64 | .6 | | .4 | 1.3 |
| 65 | .6 | | .4 | .8 |
| 66 |  | | .4 | 1.7 |
| 67 | 1.2 | | .4 | 2.5 |
| 68 | 1.6 | | .8 | .8 |
| 69 | 1.2 | | .4 | .8 |
| 70 | .3 | | 1.3 | 1.3 |
| 71 | .6 | |  | .4 |
| 72 | .9 | | .4 | .8 |
| 73 | .6 | | .8 | .4 |
| 74 | .9 | |  | .4 |
| 75 |  | |  | 1.7 |
| 76 |  | | .8 |  |
| 77 | .3 | | .4 | .8 |
| 78 |  | | .8 |  |
| 80 |  | | .4 |  |
| 81 | .3 | |  |  |
| 84 | .3 | | .4 |  |
| 98 | 2.5 | | 2.1 | 1.7 |
| 99 |  | | .4 |  |
|  | 100.0 | | 100.0 | 100.0 |
|  | 321 | | 240 | 240 |

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| A6. Do you have any physical disability? |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Yes | 0.3 | 2.5 | 3.0 |
| No | 99.7 | 97.5 | 97.0 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | 289 | 240 | 237 |
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| A7. Civil status |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Single | 5.6 | 12.9 | 7.1 |
| Married | 80.7 | 76.3 | 80.4 |
| Widowed | 10.9 | 8.7 | 12.1 |
| Separated/Divorced | 2.8 | 2.1 | 0.4 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | 321 | 240 | 240 |
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| A8. Highest level of schooling completed |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| None | 0.9 | 1.3 | 0.4 |
| Elementary level | 16.3 | 16.7 | 10.4 |
| Elementary graduate | 16.3 | 10.4 | 13.3 |
| High school level | 21.7 | 22.9 | 19.2 |
| High school graduate | 21.7 | 22.1 | 30.8 |
| Vocational level | 0.6 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Vocational level | 0.3 | 1.3 | 2.5 |
| College level | 14.1 | 14.5 | 13.4 |
| College graduate | 7.5 | 10.8 | 10.0 |
| Post-graduate | 0.6 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | 319 | 240 | 240 |
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| A9. Are you currently working? |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Yes | 39.3 | 47.1 | 34.2 |
| No | 60.7 | 52.9 | 65.8 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | 321 | 240 | 240 |
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| A10. Standard categories for work |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Unemployed | 59.2 | 52.9 | 65.8 |
| Elementary occupation | 12.1 | 15.4 | 9.6 |
| Small business | 11.5 | 11.3 | 14.6 |
| Farmers/fishermen | 2.5 | 6.3 | 0.8 |
| Service workers/shops/sales | 10.6 | 6.3 | 5.0 |
| Government employee/barangay worker | 0.9 | 1.3 | 0.4 |
| Professional | 1.9 | 3.7 | 2.9 |
| Others | 1.3 | 2.8 | 0.9 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | 321 | 240 | 240 |
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| A11. Reason for not working |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Cannot find work | 5.2 | 5.5 | 6.3 |
| Health reasons/disability | 1.6 | 1.6 | 0.0 |
| Housewife | 85.9 | 79.5 | 77.8 |
| Student | 1.6 | 1.6 | 1.9 |
| Retired | 3.6 | 8.7 | 12.0 |
| Other | 2.1 | 3.1 | 1.9 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | 192 | 127 | 158 |
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|  |  |  |  |
| A12. Total family income in the course of an ordinary month | |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Less than P1,000 | 6.3 | 5.5 | 9.3 |
| P1,001 to P10,000 | 86.4 | 82.3 | 73.3 |
| P10,001 to P25,000 | 7.3 | 11.4 | 15.3 |
| More than P25,000 | 0.0 | 0.8 | 2.1 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | 317 | 237 | 236 |
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|  |  |  |  |
| A13. In the past year, where does your total family income in the course of an ordinary month come from? | | | |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Wages and salaries | 47.8 | 66.2 | 67.2 |
| Gift from relatives and other people | 13.2 | 26.9 | 6.7 |
| Pension and retirement benefits | 2.9 | 2.1 | 3.1 |
| Rentals of property or any asset | 0.5 | 2.8 | 4.6 |
| Business income | 49.8 | 26.2 | 35.4 |
| Others | 1.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| N | 205 | 145 | 195 |
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| A14. Are you a member of any organization? |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Yes | 34.8 | 41.4 | 34.2 |
| No | 65.2 | 58.6 | 65.8 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | 313 | 239 | 240 |
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| B1. Do you still receive any assistance from typhoon Yolanda donors? | | |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Yes | 95.3 | 98.8 | 98.8 |
| No | 4.7 | 1.3 | 1.3 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.1 | 100.1 |
| N | 321 | 240 | 240 |
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| B2. What kind of assistance did you receive? |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Cash | 87.9 | 98.3 | 90.2 |
| Shelter materials | 37.9 | 92.7 | 34.8 |
| Livelihood | 17.7 | 26.3 | 7.6 |
| Education of children | 1.6 | 0.9 | 1.5 |
| Other | 10.9 | 19.0 | 79.5 |
| N | 248 | 232 | 132 |
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| B3A. Would you say that the CASH assistance you received were adequate? | | |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Yes | 29.9 | 22.5 | 67.2 |
| No | 70.1 | 77.5 | 32.8 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | 224 | 218 | 119 |
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|  |  |  |  |
| B3B. Would you say that the SHELTER MATERIALS assistance you received were adequate? | | | |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Yes | 30.3 | 19.4 | 53.5 |
| No | 69.7 | 80.6 | 46.5 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | 99 | 206 | 43 |
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| B3C. Would you say that the LIVELIHOOD assistance you received were adequate? | | | |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Yes | 36.4 | 52.6 | 75.0 |
| No | 63.6 | 47.4 | 25.0 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | 55 | 57 | 12 |
|  |  |  |  |
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| B3D. Would you say that the EDUCATION OF CHILDREN assistance you received were adequate? | | | |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Yes | 20.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| No | 80.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | 167 | 209 | 180 |
|  |  |  |  |
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| B3E. Would you say that the OTHER assistance you received were adequate? | | |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Yes | 47.2 | 85.7 | 78.0 |
| No | 52.8 | 14.3 | 22.0 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | 36 | 7 | 100 |
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| B5. Did you receive an offer to move to a relocation site? | |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Yes | 43.0 | 25.8 | 12.9 |
| No | 57.0 | 74.2 | 87.1 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | 320 | 234 | 235 |
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| B6. Do you intend to stay permanently in your current residence? | | |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Yes | 62.9 | 87.5 | 90.3 |
| No | 37.1 | 12.5 | 93.3 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 6.7 |
| N | 321 | 240 | 240 |
|  |  |  |  |
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| B7. In terms of your general well-being, would you say that you are: | | |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Better off now than one year after Yolanda | 10.9 | 16.3 | 22.5 |
| Just the same | 44.9 | 35.4 | 32.5 |
| Worse off now than before Yolanda | 44.2 | 48.3 | 45.0 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | 321 | 240 | 240 |
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| B8. Did you lose household member as a result of Yolanda? | |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Yes | 19.0 | 15.4 | 12.9 |
| No | 81.0 | 84.6 | 87.1 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | 321 | 240 | 240 |
|  |  |  |  |
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| B9. Did you take in relatives or friends in a long term (at least 6 months) basis? | | | |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Yes | 20.9 | 16.3 | 12.5 |
| No | 79.1 | 83.8 | 87.5 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.1 | 100.0 |
| N | 320 | 240 | 240 |
|  |  |  |  |
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| B10. Did you have school aged children in June 2013? | |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Yes | 62.8 | 51.3 | 60.7 |
| No | 37.2 | 48.7 | 39.3 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | 320 | 238 | 239 |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| B11. Would you say that your children's access to education is: | |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Better than before Yolanda | 20.8 | 23.3 | 21.2 |
| Same | 49.0 | 50.4 | 45.7 |
| Worse than before Yolanda | 30.2 | 26.4 | 33.1 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.1 | 100.0 |
| N | 202 | 129 | 109 |
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|  |  |  |  |
| B12. Would you say that your access to health care and facilities is: | | |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Better than before Yolanda | 19.6 | 31.4 | 25.9 |
| Same | 61.3 | 53.1 | 53.3 |
| Worse than before Yolanda | 19.1 | 15.5 | 20.8 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | 320 | 239 | 240 |
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|  |  |  |  |
| B13. Did Yolanda affect your family's main source of livelihood? | |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Yes | 91.2 | 96.2 | 88.3 |
| No | 8.8 | 3.8 | 11.7 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | 319 | 240 | 239 |
|  |  |  |  |
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| B14. Would you say that your source of livelihood is: | |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Better than before Yolanda | 10.9 | 12.5 | 18.3 |
| Same | 41.1 | 27.5 | 39.2 |
| Worse than before Yolanda | 48.0 | 60.0 | 42.5 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | 321 | 240 | 240 |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| B15. Would you say that your access to food is: |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Better than before Yolanda | 9.7 | 4.6 | 14.2 |
| Same | 53.0 | 57.9 | 62.9 |
| Worse than before Yolanda | 37.4 | 37.5 | 22.9 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | 321 | 240 | 240 |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| B16. Are there organizations that help people in the community to have a regular source of livelihood? | | | |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Yes | 25.0 | 1.3 | 30.0 |
| Not safe | 75.0 | 98.7 | 70.0 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | 320 | 240 | 240 |
|  |  |  |  |
| B16a |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| C1. Before Yolanda, did people in your community support (credit, loan, babysitting, labor, pintakasi) each other if their household income is not enough? | | | |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Yes | 71.3 | 95.0 | 68.3 |
| No | 28.7 | 5.0 | 31.7 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | 320 | 240 | 240 |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| C2. Two years after Yolanda, did people in your community (credit, loan, babysitting, labor, pintakasi) each other if their household income is not enough? | | | |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Yes | 18.5 | 81.8 | 0.0 |
| No | 53.7 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Total | 72.2 | 81.8 | 0.0 |
| N | 54 | 11 | 0 |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| C31. Top 1 Organization that helped you after Yolanda? | |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Yourself or your family | 49.2 | 49.6 | 21.3 |
| Barangay Government | 4.0 | 21.6 | 2.5 |
| City/Municipality | 7.2 | 17.5 | 2.9 |
| Provincial Government | 5.3 | 0.0 | 0.4 |
| National Government | 26.5 | 0.0 | 51.6 |
| Local NGOs | 7.8 | 2.5 | 2.1 |
| International NGOs | 0.0 | 6.7 | 19.2 |
| Foreign Governments | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Others | 0.0 | 2.1 | 0.0 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | 321 | 240 | 240 |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| C32. Top 2 Organization that helped you after Yolanda? | |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Yourself or your family | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Barangay Government | 1.6 | 15.4 | 0 |
| City/Municipality | 3.4 | 34.2 | 1.3 |
| Provincial Government | 1.2 | 0.4 | 0.4 |
| National Government | 6.2 | 16.3 | 22.1 |
| Local NGOs | 47.4 | 5.0 | 10.4 |
| International NGOs | 20.9 | 19.5 | 44.6 |
| Foreign Governments | 0.0 | 0.4 | 0.4 |
| Others | 19.3 | 8.8 | 20.8 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | 321 | 240 | 240 |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| C33. Top 2 Organization that helped you after Yolanda? | |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Yourself or your family | 0.0 | 0.0 | 9.0 |
| Barangay Government | 0.3 | 0.0 | 9 |
| City/Municipality | 0.0 | 0.8 | 9.0 |
| Provincial Government | 0.0 | 0.0 | 9.0 |
| National Government | 0.0 | 0.0 | 9.0 |
| Local NGOs | 3.1 | 0.0 | 0.4 |
| International NGOs | 53.0 | 69.6 | 32.1 |
| Foreign Governments | 13.1 | 2.5 | 0.8 |
| Others | 30.5 | 27.1 | 66.7 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 145.0 |
| N | 321 | 240 | 240 |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| C4. To what extent has your community helped itself in the two years since the disaster? | | | |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| A lot | 3.4 | 19.2 | 1.3 |
| Not much | 48.6 | 52.1 | 72.1 |
| Some but could have more | 24.9 | 24.5 | 22.1 |
| Did not help itself | 23.1 | 4.2 | 4.6 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.1 |
| N | 321 | 240 | 240 |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| C5. To what extent has your Yolanda affected the well-being of your family? | | |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| It has not, we are the same as before | 19.2 | 5.8 | 23.1 |
| It is marginally more difficult to manage | 37.0 | 37.5 | 43.3 |
| It is significantly more difficult to manage | 43.8 | 56.7 | 33.6 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | 308 | 240 | 238 |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| C6. Would you say that your family has recovered from the effect of Yolanda? | | | |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Yes | 62.3 | 61.7 | 73.8 |
| No | 37.7 | 38.3 | 26.2 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | 321 | 240 | 240 |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| C7. Would you describe yourself as disaster resilient before/pre-Yolanda? | | |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Yes | 68.5 | 42.5 | 78.8 |
| No | 31.5 | 57.5 | 21.2 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | 321 | 240 | 240 |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| C8. Would you describe yourself as disaster resilient post-Yolanda? | | |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Yes | 66.4 | 75.8 | 56.3 |
| No | 33.6 | 24.2 | 43.8 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | 321 | 240 | 240 |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
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| C10. Why do you think the typhoon impacted to your region? | |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Fate | 19.0 | 21.7 | 36.3 |
| Poverty | 11.5 | 8.3 | 10.0 |
| Politics (bad governance/corruption) | 21.8 | 2.1 | 3.3 |
| Geography | 34.0 | 37.9 | 11.7 |
| Others | 13.7 | 30.0 | 38.7 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | 321 | 240 | 240 |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| C11. Did you receive duplicate aid (two or more of the same kind at the same time)? | | | |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Yes | 40.8 | 0.0 | 38.8 |
| No | 59.2 | 100.0 | 61.2 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | 321 | 240 | 240 |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| C12. Did you receive aid of a type that you did not need? | |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Yes | 11.2 | 0.0 | 23.8 |
| No | 88.8 | 100.0 | 76.2 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | 321 | 240 | 240 |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| C13. Did you receive aid or training that allow you to re-establish your livelihood? | | | |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Yes | 18.1 | 17.5 | 17.5 |
| No | 81.9 | 82.5 | 82.5 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | 321 | 240 | 240 |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| C14. To what extent did the aid or training you received allow you to re-establish your livelihood? | | | |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| A lot, it was an essential equipment | 13.1 | 12.9 | 12.1 |
| Not at all it was not useful for my livelihood | 2.5 | 1.7 | 3.8 |
| Training or equipment allowed me to change my livelihood | 3.4 | 1.7 | 0.8 |
| I did not receive any training or equipment | 81.0 | 83.8 | 82.3 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.1 | 83.3 |
| N | 321 | 240 | 240 |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| C15. To what extent did the aid or training received has increased your self-confidence? | | | |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| A lot | 15.9 | 15.0 | 14.3 |
| Not much | 2.9 | 1.3 | 2.5 |
| It made me more insecure and less confident | 0.6 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| I did not receive any | 80.6 | 83.7 | 83.2 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | 315 | 240 | 237 |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| C16. Do you think you or your community can deal with problems caused by Yolanda? | | | |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Tacloban | Tanauan | Palo |
| Yes | 73.2 | 99.2 | 76.7 |
| No | 26.8 | 0.8 | 23.3 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| N | 321 | 240 | 240 |
|  |  |  |  |

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