

12. Do you have plan of returning to the Philippines for good?

- YES
 NO
 MAYBE

13. Do you consider yourself healthy?

- Yes
 No. If no, please check the possible health problems:
- Accidental injuries
 Cardiovascular disease
 Pregnancy and delivery related complications or other reproductive health problems
 Nutrition disorders
 Drug abuse and alcoholism
 Respiratory infections
 Diarrhea and other gastro-intestinal diseases
 Tuberculosis
 HIV/AIDs
 Cancer
 Other, please specify: _____

Bonus Questions:

14. Are you aware of the OFW Watch Italy?

- NO
 YES. How?
 Through this survey
 From a family member
 From a friend
 From a local leader
 From the news
 Through Facebook and other social media

Part II. Below are some of the common problems. Kindly rank them according to the level of seriousness using the following frequency:

- 1 – Less Serious**
2 – Serious
3 – Very Serious

A. Political

Rank Common Problems

- _____ Limited representation in the political arena
_____ Low awareness on issue affecting the Philippines (i.e. political, social, environmental issues etc.)
_____ Low interest of migrants on political issues affecting Italy and the Philippines

B- Socio-Cultural

Rank Common Problems

- _____ Unemployment
_____ Underemployment / Poor working condition
_____ Limited access to programs on increasing the financial literacy and management skills of Migrants

C. Economic

Rank Common Problems

- _____ Increasing number of “Out of school youth”
_____ Intercultural gap between the first generation (born and raised in the Philippines) and the second/third generation (born and raised in Italy) Filipinos
_____ Difficulty in cultural migration among new migrants

D. Technological

Rank Common Problems

- _____ Unemployment
_____ Underemployment / Poor working condition
_____ Limited access to programs on increasing the financial literacy and management skills of Migrants

Rank Common Problems

- _____ Limited access to internet
_____ Difficulty in using online platforms, i.e. social media, email and other online services
_____ Lack of accessible information/training on the use of technology

E. Legal

Rank Common Problems

- _____ Difficulty in understanding the Italian laws and regulations
_____ Inadequate access to legal remedies under the Italian laws
_____ Inadequate access to legal remedies under the Philippine laws



Survey of the Profile and Common Problems of the Filipino Migrants

Dear Kababayan,

On the 26th of November 2017, during the 3rd anniversary of the OFW Watch Italy, (OWatch), the national council approved the resolution advancing the protection of the rights of Filipino migrants and their families in the twenty (20) regions of Italy, which provides, among others the need to conduct a thorough evaluation of the profile of the Filipino Migrants in Italy, and identify their common political, social, cultural, economic, technological and legal problems.

The following questionnaire is designed for this purpose. Kindly complete this form by choosing your most honest response from the given options. A space is provided for items which require additional input. Rest assured that your response will be tabulated together with the responses of at least 10% of the Filipino Migrants that are passport holders, and its result will be used as basis of formulating the programs and actions of OFW Watch Italy to further promote the rights of Filipino Migrants and their families in Italy.

Thank you for your cooperation.

All the best,

OFW Watch Italy

Part I. Profile of the Respondents

1. Are you a holder of a valid Philippine passport?

- YES
 NO

If NO, please provide the details of your citizenship

- Filipino
 Italian
 Dual Citizenship

2. For non-Italian citizen, do you have "Codice Fiscale" issued by the Italian Government?

- YES
 NO

3. Age: Please check your applicable age group:

- 18 to 27 years old
 28 to 35 years old
 36 to 59 years old
 60 and above

4. Address: Please state your City/Municipality and Provincial Address in the Philippines: _____

Please state your City/Regional address in Italy: _____

5. How long have you been living/staying in Italy?

- Less than one year
 One year to five years
 Five years and one day to ten years
 Ten years and one day to twenty years
 More than twenty years.

Please describe the migration procedure that you had used in coming to Italy. Kindly check appropriate response.

- Directly hired from the Philippines by an Italian employer
 Tourist Visa
 Student or Exchange Visitor
 Sponsorship as minor dependent of either mother or father
 Sponsorship of other relatives
 Refugees/Asylees
 Illegal cross boarder (which is now granted an amnesty by the Italian government
Others, please specify: _____

6. Please check the appropriate form of home ownership:

- Full ownership
 Under financing
 Renting/leasing an apartment
 Living with relatives (free of charge)
 Other, please specify: _____

Number of households;

- Three and below
 Four to Six
 Seven to Nine
 Ten and above

7. Employment. Are you currently employed?

- YES
 NO

Yes. If yes please the appropriate type of employment:

- Domestic/House helper
 Factory /Construction Worker
 Teacher/Professor
 Medical Services
 Clerical Work
 Agricultural Work
 Others, please specify: _____

Do you have other sources of income aside from your current employment?

- NONE
 YES. Please specify: _____

8. Do you have previous work experience prior to migrating in Italy?

- YES
 NO

If your answer is YES, is it in the Philippines?

- YES. Please specify the number of years working in the Philippines _____ and kindly indicate the nature of your work: _____
 NO. Please specify the country: _____ and the number of years of experience _____ and the nature of your work: _____

9. Educational Attainment

- Elementary graduate, if not a graduate, please specify the highest level: _____
 High School Graduate, if not a graduate, please specify the highest level: _____
 Vocational/Technical Course: _____ please specify the program: _____
 College Graduate, please specify the degree: _____
 if not a graduate, please specify the highest level: _____
 Graduate School, please specify: _____

Languages: Please check all the languages that you know and state the level of proficiency (basic, advance, proficient):

- Filipino, and another dialect: _____ (please specify if any) _____
 Italian, please state the level of proficiency: _____
 English, please state the level of proficiency: _____
 Others, please specify: _____

Additional Skills: (please check all applicable)

- Driving
 Singing
 Dancing
 Painting/Drawing
 Cooking/Baking
 Others, please specify: _____

10. Are you a member of any organization in Italy?

- YES. Kindly specify: _____
 NO

11. Do you like any of the following activities: (please check all applicable)

- Drinking (alcoholic beverages)
 Playing with cards, bingo, mahjong, etc.
 Strolling with friends at night
 Partying with friends
 Others, please specify: _____