GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT DURING COVID 19 PANDEMIC

(Implementation of PCB Management Program for Electric Cooperatives and Safe E-wastes Management)

GEF Project ID 9078

Department of Environment and Natural Resources

PHILIPPINES
Informal recycling activities in the Philippines
Socio-Economic Data (baseline)

- 10 women out of 30 officers in the organization of dismantlers
- Average monthly income of e-wastes dismantlers in the area: 80$ - 320$ per month.
- Number of dismantlers: 530 men, 160 women and 10 children (below 12 yrs. old)
## Project Information

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Gender Analysis

- Gender Mainstreaming strategies by the GEF, UNIDO and DENR used as framework

- Stakeholder mapping showed the need to target women beneficiaries

- Project incorporated gender responsive indicators
  - Targets: At least 40% women beneficiaries; equal access to training and opportunities
Mobilizing Project Partners and Stakeholders

DENR and local government units

Private Sector Partner

Community-based Organizations

NGOs
Project Results:
Skills Upgrading of Women Dismantlers

Gender and Development Workshop was participated in by 39 women and 4 men.

Hands on training on dismantling of e-wastes participated in by 22 men and 8 women.
Project Results: Involving the Youth

- Awareness Raising workshops were organized for High School Students in 6 schools in the 4 project sites which targeted 245 students (129 male, 116 female)
Project Results: Proper TSD facility
Other Project Activities

- PBDE analysis in e-wastes and segregating for proper disposal

- Monitoring of PBDE and other contaminants
Scaling Up:
Sustaining Community Acceptance

- Continuing Awareness Raising Activities
- Improving women’s participation and leadership
Scaling Up:
Gender and Development during COVID

- Assessment of selected ongoing GEF projects regarding **effect of the pandemic on project** beneficiaries and communities

- Formulation of **Green Recovery Program** (Response, Recovery, Resiliency) to make actions more responsive
Thank You!