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PhilSys La Union registers over 691 thousand Filipinos under Step 2 registration as of 31 July 2024

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The Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) - La Union Provincial Statistical Office, through its Philippine Identification System (PhilSys) team, has successfully registered a total of 691,016 individuals registered under the PhilSys under Step 2 registration as of 31 July 2024.

Step 2 registration process involves verifying demographic data and capturing biometric information such as fingerprints, iris scan, and front-facing photo.

A detailed breakdown of the number of registered individuals by city/municipality in La Union since its initial implementation in the first quarter of 2021 is presented in the table below.

Table 1. Number of Registered Applicants for the PhilSys Step 2 Registration by City/Municipality, La Union: as of 31 July 2024

City/Municipality	Number of Registered
	Applicants
La Union	691,016
Agoo	55,305
Aringay	40,229
Bacnotan	36,454
Bagulin	11,993
Balaoan	34,797
Bangar	32,148
Bauang	60,241
Burgos	8,442
Caba	19,036
Luna	32,944
Naguilian	44,360
Pugo	15,762
Rosario	48,055
San Fernando City	119,012
San Gabriel	15,769
San Juan	33,275
Sto Tomas	32,879
Santol	10,840
Sudipen	14,628
Tubao	24,847

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority - La Union



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The PSA-La Union has implemented various strategies to cover PhilSys-unregistered residents of the province of La Union. These included the conduct of mobile registration activities in different barangays and collaboration with institutions to facilitate PhilSys institutional registration.

To make PhilSys registration more accessible, the PSA-La Union continuously operates its Fix Registration Center situated at Doña Pepita Bldg., Quezon Ave., Brgy. II, City of San Fernando, La Union, and deploys PhilSys personnel at the Civil Registration Services (CRS) Outlet of PSA-Regional Statistical Services Office I (PSA-RSSO I), Parammata Bldg., Biday, City of San Fernando, La Union. Additionally, the PSA-La Union has also continuously deployed PhilSys on-site registration at the DSWD Field Office I at Quezon Avenue, City of San Fernando, La Union every Monday to allow clients seeking assistance through DSWD programs to complete their PhilSys registration alongside their application processes.

To increase public awareness about PhilSys, the PSA-La Union conducted information campaigns during mobile registration and participated in barangay meetings. The agency also utilized media platforms, such as radio, to disseminate information about the National ID, including details in obtaining a Digital National ID for PhilSysregistered individuals.

The PhilSys is designed to streamline transactions and improve access to government and private services.

For more information about PhilSys, individuals can visit the official PhilSys website at https://philsys.gov.ph/ or the official Facebook page at PSAPhilSysOfficial.

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Registration Kit Operator (RKO) Kathleen Joy Lacsa covers the National ID registration of Police Regional Office I personnel during PhilSys institutional registration.



RKO Charlene Andaya facilitates the registration of children 1 to 4 years old during PhilSys mobile registration in San Francisco Sur, City of San Fernando, La Union.



RKO Angelica C. Costales informs on PhilSys during mobile registration in San Francisco Norte, Sudipen, La Union.