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The Apostolate of the Brothers of Charity in the Philippines



**Congregation of
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Partners

As we implement our programs, we are grateful for the assistance of friends, collaborators and organizations. Our friends and associates constitute the majority of our partners in our undertakings.

We are also grateful to the following local government units (LGUs) that assist us in our operations in some parts of the Province of Albay: LGU of Tabaco City, LGU of Tiwi, and LGU of Malinao.

The City Government of Gingoog, Misamis Oriental, through St. Dymphna Homecare Foundation, Inc., has been collaborating closely with us for mental health care activities.

We welcome other organizations and individuals who are interested in partnering with us for a longer period of engagement in mental health care programs. We need your help.



Volunteers

We welcome volunteers for our programs. Teachers, nurses, therapists, psychiatrists, and students who want to share their time, talent and treasure for the advancement of mental health care can take part in our undertakings.

ABOUT US

The Brothers of Charity (FC) was founded on December 28, 1807 by Father Peter Joseph Triest in Ghent, Belgium. The Congregation, in the beginning, was engaged in caring for the poor elderly and mentally ill. After some years of existence, it began to expand its mission to other countries in Europe, Africa, Latin America, and Asia. At present, the Congregation has established its presence in 25 countries worldwide. It is fulfilling zealously the original charism of the Congregation which is caring for persons with disabilities (PWDs).

The Congregation began in the Philippines in 1986. A group of brothers from Belgium were invited by the CICM fathers to take part in the apostolate to PWDs in the North Luzon area. In line with this, the brothers established San Lorenzo Ruiz Institute in Baguio City, a commitment of the Congregation for an apostolate for persons with physical disabilities, and children with special needs.



After a few more years in the Philippines, the early brothers engaged themselves in education for children with special needs. To respond more properly this growing need to at the time, they founded a school for special education in Pandacan, Manila which they called the Ortho-Pedagogical Institute (OPI).

Sometime in 2004, the brothers expanded their apostolate in the Bicol region. Within this year, they managed to establish the Holy Face Rehabilitation Center for Mental Health in Tabaco City, Albay. At present, the center is serving more than 3,000 patients every month. These patients come from different municipalities of Albay and nearby provinces.

Through the Catholic Bishops Conference of the Philippines (CBCP), the brothers were invited to establish their presence and apostolate in Misamis Oriental. Thus, in April 2014, the brothers accepted an offer to continue the administration of St. Dymphna Rehabilitation Center for Mental Health in Gingoog City, Misamis Oriental.

