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## **ABSTRACT**

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The study was conducted from May 2016 to May 2017 in all barangays of Municipality of Indang, Cavite. The participants were barangay captain, barangay VAW desk officer and victim survivor of different barangay in Indang, Cavite. The study mainly focused on level of implementation of Duties and responsibilities of Violence against women and their children desk officer and problems encountered by the VAW desk officer in implementing their duties and responsibilities. Furthermore, the significant difference on the level of implementation of duties and responsibilities of VAWC desk officer and the assessment of victim- survivor to the duties and responsibilities of VAWC desk officer in Indang, Cavite

Descriptive method was used in the study to determine the assessment of the barangay officials and victim survivor in the level of implementation of duties and responsibilities of VAWC desk officer and also the problem encountered by the VAW desk officer in implementing their duties and responsibilities. The participants were composed of 106 which are divided into two sets, 72 barangay officials and 34 victim survivors. A self-made survey questionnaire was used to assess the level of implementation of Duties and responsibilities of Violence against women and their children desk officer.

Based on the result of the study, level of implementation of Duties and responsibilities of Violence against women and their children desk officer are implemented with the total mean score of 3.10 while on the assessment of the victim to level of implementation of Duties and responsibilities of Violence against women and their children desk officer are implemented with the total means score of 2.7. In addition, financial report was the most common problem of barangay officials in implementing Barangay Violence against women Desk System. This implies that the duties and responsibilities of Violence against women and their children desk officer was implemented in Municipality of Indang, Cavite as assessed by the barangay officials and victim survivor.

Therefore, the null hypothesis of no significant difference between the level of implementation of duties and responsibilities of VAWC desk officer and the assessment of victim- survivor to the duties and responsibilities of VAWC desk officer in Indang, Cavite was accepted.

Based on the major conclusions, the Barangay officials and victim- survivor had the same assessment to the duties and responsibilities of Violence against women and their children desk officer in Indang, Cavite which is interpreted as implemented.

For recommendation, The VAW desk officer should maintain their performance but there always a room for improvement to make highly Implemented of its operation especially in handling VAW cases.

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## **INTRODUCTION**

“Violence against women and their children is perhaps the most shameful human rights violations. It knows no boundaries of geography, culture or wealth, as long as it continues, we cannot claim to be making real progress, towards equality, development and peace” – Kofi Annan, United Nations General Assembly.

Thinking of the word crime and violence creates a disturbing thought in the minds of the people. Most of us think that it only happens in the movies and televisions but in reality, it does exist. Crime and violence happens in different places around the globe, anytime, in different forms, and to whomever. But sadly, women and children are more susceptible to different kind of abuses because we are living in a world where the male dominates the power and control of everything. (Investigation of Police service, 2008)