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BIRTH STATISTICS IN QUEZON: May 2024 (Preliminary Results)

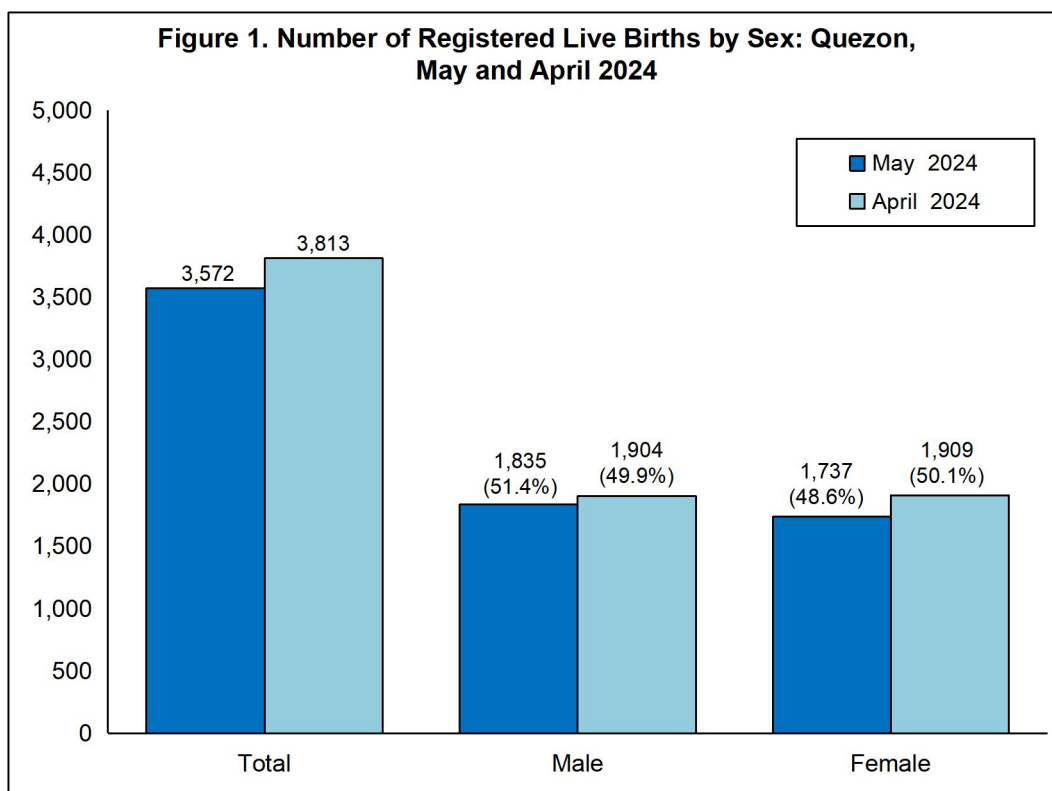
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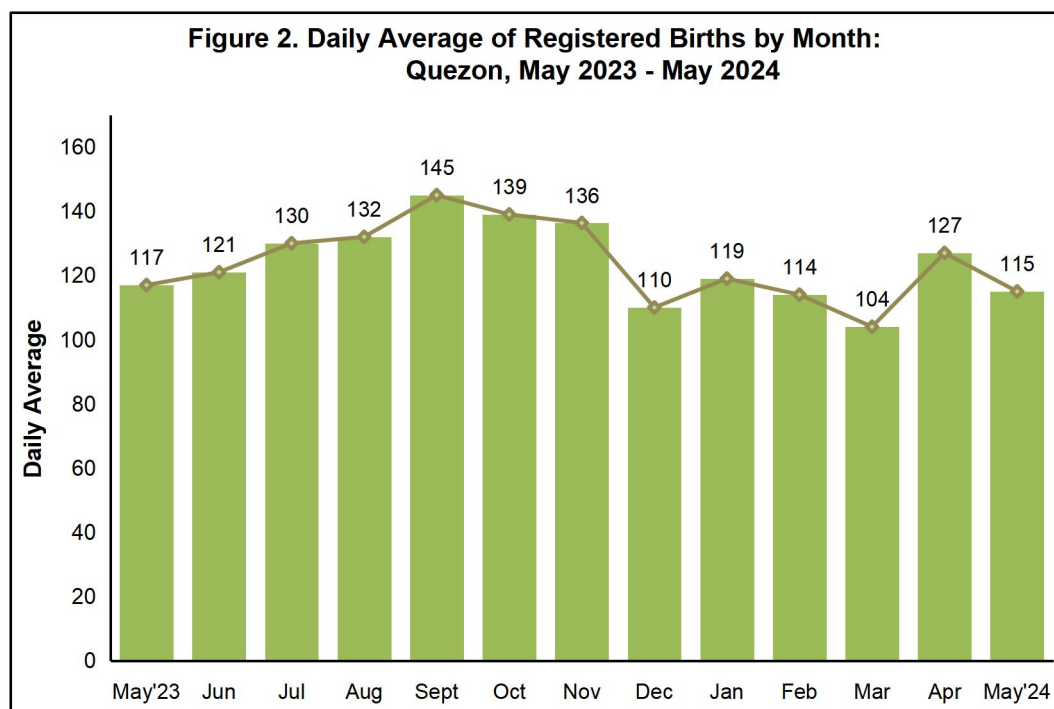


Number of Live births...

- A total of 3,572 live births were registered in the province in May 2024. It recorded a decrease of 6.3 percent from the April 2024 figure of 3,813.
- Of the total births registered, 51.4 percent were males and 48.6 percent were females. This resulted to a birth sex ratio of 106 males for every 100 females.



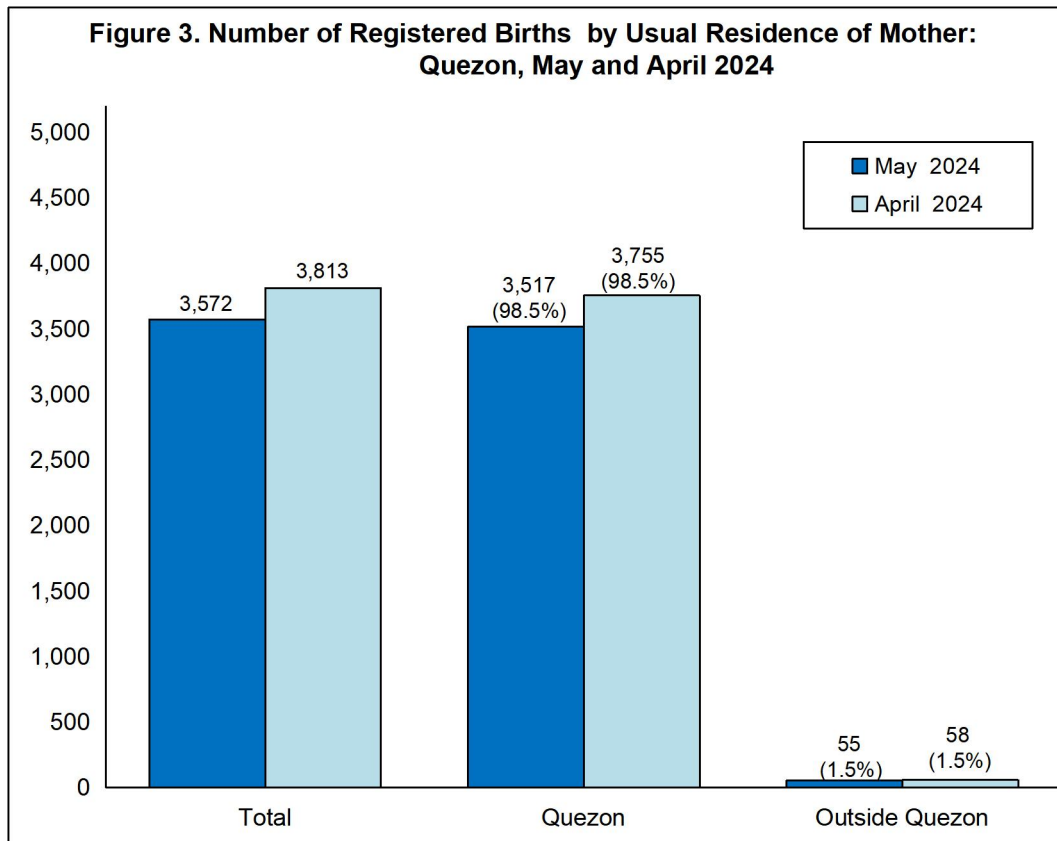
- The daily average of birth occurrences during the month was 115, lower than the recorded daily average of 127 in April 2024.
- Lucena City recorded the highest number of live births with a total of 954 or 26.7 percent of the total births registered in the province. It was followed by Lopez and Candelaria with 261 or 7.3 percent and 228 or 6.4 percent, respectively.
- The three (3) municipalities with the least number of registered births were Agdangan and Plaridel (both with 2 or 0.06%) and Quezon (1 or 0.03%).



Place of Occurrence and Usual Residence of Mother...

- Majority of the registered births were born to mothers whose usual residence is in Quezon province (3,517 or 98.5%).
- Only a small percentage of the birth occurrences (55 or 1.5%) were born to mothers whose usual residence is outside Quezon province.
- Nine (9) out of the 39 municipalities and 2 cities of Quezon province showed a positive difference in the number of births by place of occurrence and the usual place of residence of the mother. This implies that there were mothers who opted to give birth to places where there are available or better health care facilities and social services.
- The highest positive difference of 447 was reported in Lucena City. This may be attributed to higher number of hospitals and health care facilities located in the city.

- In contrast, the highest negative difference of 73 was observed in Pagbilao. This may be explained by its proximity to Lucena City where there are more health care facilities.



TECHNICAL NOTES

Vital Registration is a continuous process. Hence there is a need to specify certain cut-off period for purposes of reporting. The Birth Statistics in Quezon presented in this report contains highlights and summary of statistical tables of births that occurred on or before May 2024 and registered within the said month. Events that occurred in May 2024 but were not registered during the month were not included in this publication. For this report, Vital Events Information (VEI) system was used in data encoding.

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Table 1. Number of Registered Live Births by City/Municipality and by Sex: Quezon, May and April 2024

City / Municipality	May 2024			April 2024		
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female
QUEZON	3,572	1,835	1,737	3,813	1,904	1,909
Agdangan	2	1	1	5	3	2
Alabat	34	19	15	48	18	30
Atimonan	98	48	50	97	42	55
Buenavista	34	18	16	39	19	20
Burdeos	67	29	38	50	31	19
Calauag	53	20	33	118	55	63
Candelaria	228	123	105	218	113	105
Catanauan	122	62	60	130	67	63
Dolores	14	4	10	21	3	18
General Luna	23	9	14	28	15	13
General Nakar	29	16	13	29	16	13
Guinayangan	45	24	21	35	17	18
Gumaca	170	80	90	193	100	93
Infanta	160	80	80	166	86	80
Jomalig	16	8	8	18	4	14
Lopez	261	128	133	257	141	116
Lucban	39	24	15	39	26	13
Lucena City	954	531	423	986	509	477
Macalelon	19	11	8	25	10	15
Mauban	73	36	37	113	59	54
Mulanay	38	21	17	65	33	32
Padre Burgos	8	3	5	18	7	11
Pagbilao	70	33	37	56	32	24
Panukulan	18	8	10	16	6	10
Patnanungan	24	8	16	30	18	12
Perez	3	1	2	5	3	2
Pitogo	5	2	3	7	4	3
Plaridel	2	1	1	0	0	0
Polillo	80	36	44	56	21	35
Quezon	1	1	0	2	1	1
Real	65	37	28	44	23	21
Sampaloc	9	4	5	10	2	8
San Andres	53	20	33	56	17	39
San Antonio	31	19	12	26	18	8
San Francisco	113	55	58	125	63	62
San Narciso	144	75	69	184	93	91
Sariaya	133	66	67	143	64	79
Tagkawayan	86	50	36	81	42	39
City of Tayabas	100	46	54	144	65	79
Tiaong	107	57	50	97	50	47
Unisan	41	21	20	33	8	25

**Table 2. Number and Daily Average of Registered Births by Month:
Quezon, May 2023 - May 2024**

Month	Number	Daily Average
2023		
May	3,628	117
June	3,619	121
July	4,033	130
August	4,103	132
September	4,335	145
October	4,303	139
November	4,090	136
December	3,397	110
2024		
January	3,685	119
February	3,301	114
March	3,214	104
April	3,813	127
May	3,572	115

Table 3. Number and Percent Distribution of Registered Births by Usual Residence of Mother: Quezon, May and April 2024

City/ Municipality	May 2024		April 2024	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total	3,572	100.0	3,813	100.0
Quezon	3,517	98.5	3,755	98.5
Outside Quezon	55	1.5	58	1.5
Agdangan	12	0.3	15	0.4
Alabat	23	0.6	20	0.5
Atimonan	116	3.2	115	3.0
Buenavista	76	2.1	65	1.7
Burdeos	74	2.1	58	1.5
Calauag	108	3.0	183	4.8
Candelaria	199	5.6	174	4.6
Catanauan	108	3.0	118	3.1
Dolores	18	0.5	27	0.7
General Luna	36	1.0	41	1.1
General Nakar	49	1.4	45	1.2
Guinayangan	60	1.7	55	1.4
Gumaca	113	3.2	105	2.8
Infanta	123	3.4	136	3.6
Jomalig	19	0.5	18	0.5
Lopez	124	3.5	125	3.3
Lucban	62	1.7	65	1.7
Lucena City	507	14.2	527	13.8
Macalelon	42	1.2	43	1.1
Mauban	85	2.4	138	3.6
Mulanay	72	2.0	101	2.6
Padre Burgos	32	0.9	33	0.9
Pagbilao	143	4.0	120	3.1
Panukulan	30	0.8	23	0.6
Patnanungan	25	0.7	32	0.8
Perez	20	0.6	30	0.8
Pitogo	16	0.4	37	1.0
Plaridel	7	0.2	16	0.4
Polillo	74	2.1	51	1.3
Quezon	10	0.3	18	0.5
Real	88	2.5	69	1.8
Sampaloc	16	0.4	13	0.3
San Andres	78	2.2	75	2.0
San Antonio	37	1.0	38	1.0
San Francisco	120	3.4	134	3.5
San Narciso	136	3.8	178	4.7
Sariaya	201	5.6	228	6.0
Tagkawayan	93	2.6	90	2.4
City of Tayabas	148	4.1	209	5.5
Tiaong	175	4.9	153	4.0
Unisan	42	1.2	34	0.9

Table 4. Number of Registered Live Births by Place of Occurrence and Usual Residence of Mother : Quezon, May 2024

City/ Municipality	Place of Occurrence	Usual Residence of Mother	Difference
Quezon	3,572	3,572	
Agdangan	2	12	-10
Alabat	34	23	11
Atimonan	98	116	-18
Buenavista	34	76	-42
Burdeos	67	74	-7
Calauag	53	108	-55
Candelaria	228	199	29
Catanauan	122	108	14
Dolores	14	18	-4
General Luna	23	36	-13
General Nakar	29	49	-20
Guinayangan	45	60	-15
Gumaca	170	113	57
Infanta	160	123	37
Jomalig	16	19	-3
Lopez	261	124	137
Lucban	39	62	-23
Lucena City	954	507	447
Macalelon	19	42	-23
Mauban	73	85	-12
Mulanay	38	72	-34
Padre Burgos	8	32	-24
Pagbilao	70	143	-73
Panukulan	18	30	-12
Patnanungan	24	25	-1
Perez	3	20	-17
Pitogo	5	16	-11
Plaridel	2	7	-5
Polillo	80	74	6
Quezon	1	10	-9
Real	65	88	-23
Sampaloc	9	16	-7
San Andres	53	78	-25
San Antonio	31	37	-6
San Francisco	113	120	-7
San Narciso	144	136	8
Sariaya	133	201	-68
Tagkawayan	86	93	-7
City of Tayabas	100	148	-48
Tiaong	107	175	-68
Unisan	41	42	-1
Outside Quezon	0	55	-55