



<p>Name of Extension/Public Service (The name of the service being offered)</p>	<p>Technical Assistance in Ecological Profiling</p>
<p>Objective (Description of the service being provided; History of service provision)</p>	<p>The general objective of this service is to update and/or develop the Ecological Profile of the client municipality. This involves conducting a resource inventory and environmental scanning to identify availability of required data and information, including GIS-based maps, and collecting the required data for ecological profiling. It also involves characterizing the situation of the municipality in terms of environment and natural resources, population and social services, local economy, physical infrastructures, and local institutional capabilities. At the end, an Ecological Profile report is prepared.</p>
<p>Duration/Date</p>	<p>Ecological profiling takes about two to four months, upon request of concerned municipality or city.</p>
<p>Target Beneficiaries</p>	<p>Municipalities, cities and provinces in the Philippines</p>
<p>Cost of Participation</p>	<p>To be determined</p>
<p>Office in Charge</p>	<p>Department of Community and Environmental Resource Planning College of Human Ecology University of the Philippines Los Baños (UPLB)</p>
<p>Office Profile Degree granting or non-degree granting Purpose of creation Location in the hierarchy (Background of the office providing the service i.e. Number of personnel and Key personnel providing the service)</p>	<p>The Department of Community and Environmental Resource Planning (DCERP) is one of the four academic units of the UPLB College of Human Ecology. It functions following the harmonizing framework of man in relation to his environment. Its ultimate aim is to contribute towards the national goal of improving the quality of life and general well-being of the Filipino people, particularly those living in the countryside.</p> <p>DCERP came into being through, was nurtured and is guided by a vision of human settlements where man-man-environment interaction translates into a desirable quality of life. Its mission is to promote the development of human settlements.</p> <p>The Department offers the only undergraduate Human Settlements Planning course in the Philippines, a four-year curricular program under the Bachelor of Science in Human Ecology.</p>

	<p>As of 2017, DCERP has 14 faculty members, one REPS, one administrative staff, and two non-government workers.</p> <p>Faculty members of the department form the project team depending on the expertise needed. Specialists from other colleges (e.g. CEAT, CFNR) in UPLB are also invited to be part of the multidisciplinary team. Graduating Human Ecology students major in Human Settlements Planning taking Hume 198 (Supervised Field Experience) can also be tapped upon request.</p>
<p>Awards/recognition received by the office (The awards given by or received by the office offering the service, if any)</p>	<p>None</p>
<p>Official website and Social media accounts (The link to the official website of the service)</p>	<p>https://www.facebook.com/dcerpcheuplb/</p>
<p>External links for documentation (The external links featuring the service [for the electronic copy, e.g. features in newspapers etc.])</p>	<p>N/A</p>
<p>Contact details (The contact details of the head of the unit offering the service: fax, telephone, email, snail mail, map)</p>	<p>Tel. no: (049) 536-3645 E-mail: che_dcerp.uplb@up.edu.ph</p>
<p>Other Remarks</p>	<p>Graduating students of the department also take part in the conduct of the profiling through the HUME198: Supervised Field Experience or Practicum.</p>