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CRC also document cases of human rights violations against children. Reports from its regional offices, outreach programs and other human rights defenders in the regions are stored, collated and analyzed by the national office. CRC maintains a databank and publicizes quarterly analysis on the human rights situation of children in the Philippines.

Children's Rehabilitation Center has participated in the 13th Session of the Universal Periodic Review and is part of the Philippine UPR Watch, a network of faith-based and human rights organizations in the Philippines engaging in the UPR process.

The data cited in this report are gathered and collected from CRC's regional centers and outreach areas through the databank CRC maintains.