# Joint CSC-CRC UPR Submission, $3^{\text {rd }}$ Cycle - Philippines 

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## Member-Organizations



## About the CSC-CRC

The Civil Society Coalition on the Convention on the Rights of the Child (CSC-CRC), formerly known as the Philippine NGO Coalition on the UN CRC, was established in 1993 by the child rights groups which are members of the CSC-CRC (i.e., ChildFund Philippines, Consuelo Foundation, ECPAT Philippines, ERDA Foundation, Salinlahi Alliance for Children's Concerns, and Save the Children) to monitor the implementation of the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child (UN CRC) in the Philippines.

To date, the CSC-CRC is composed of 17 local and international non-government organizations, namely, Child Hope Asia, Fundacion Educacion Y Cooperacion (EDUCO), Good Neighbors International Philippines, John J. Carroll Institute on Church and Social Issues (ICSI), Kindernothilfe Ev. Philippines (KNH), Open Heart Foundation, Philippines Against Child Trafficking (PACT), Plan Philippines, Unang Hakbang Foundation, VIDES Philippines Volunteers Foundation Inc., World Vision Development Foundation, Inc., and the six original founding organizations.

Through its advocacy and capacity building activities, the CSC-CRC leads civil society efforts towards strengthening government accountability for children's rights through systematic monitoring of the implementation of the UN CRC in the Philippines. It has been submitting periodic reports to the UN Committee on the Rights of the Child following the Philippines' ratification of the UN CRC in 1990. It al so prepared a submission to the $2^{\text {nd }}$ Cycle of the Universal Periodic Review (UPR) in 2012, and has contributed to civil society joint submissions/reports to the UPR, and other human rights monitoring mechanisms.

