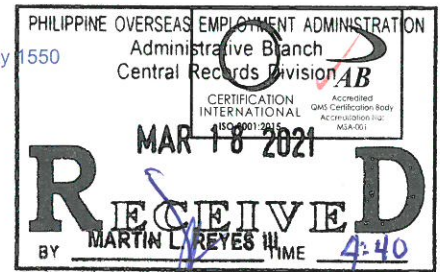




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The Philippine Overseas Labor Office (POLO) in Milan, Italy, has announced the suspension of its operations from 10 to 23 March 2021, as a workplace safety precaution and prevent the spread of COVID-19 among its staff.

Consequently, the verification of OFW recruitment documents in the following jurisdictions that are under POLO-Milan are likewise suspended:

1. Milan and other Consular Service Jurisdiction of the Philippine Consular General (PCG) Milan: Emilia-Romagna, Friuli-Venezia Giulia, Liguria, Lombardia, Piemonte, Trentino-Alto Adige, Valle d'Aosta, and Veneto.
2. Concurrent jurisdictions: Austria and Concurrent Jurisdiction of Philippine Embassy in Vienna, Austria: Republic of Croatia, Republic of Slovenia, Slovak Republic, Hungary and Concurrent Jurisdiction of Philippine Embassy in Budapest, Hungary: Republic of Bosnia and Herzegovina, Republic of Montenegro, Republic of Serbia, and Romania.

Meanwhile, online services are available for the following:

1. OWWA Membership thru:  
OWWA Mobile App>>(iOS and Android-Renewal thru Next of Kin in the Philippines)
2. OEC or Balik-Manggagawa thru:  
>><https://bmonline.ph> (or through POEA BM office)
3. OWWA COVID-19 Aftercare Financial Assistance Program thru:  
>><https://tinyuri.com/owwacovid19>

For emergency transactions, POLO-Milan may be contacted through:  
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For the information and guidance of all concerned.

  
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