

Activity Title:	Aquaculture Farm Personnel Training on Good Aquaculture Practice (Luzon leg)
Component:	Standards Harmonisation and Sanitary and Phytosanitary (SPS) Conformity/ SPS Subcomponent
Activity Number:	2S.1.2.14.1
Dates:	20-22 December 2010
Partner Agency:	Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources (BFAR)



BFAR Fish Health Chief Semiona Regidor (left standing) with GAQP expert Ernesto Morales (seated right of Regidor) facilitate the workshop on land and water use for GAQP.



TRTA Imprest Administrator (IA) Brenda Mendoza (inset above photo) opens the first leg of a nationwide GAQP training series. Participants with the GAQP expert, Fish Health officers, and TRTA IA (inset right photo) gather for the closing of the GAQP training in Clark, Pampanga.

Outcome:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To have a broader understanding of the Good Aquaculture Practice (GAQP) by the farm personnel and processing plants inspection staff. Identify gaps and constraints for compliance to GAQP
Objectives:	<p>At the end of the training, participants have:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> gained a clearer understanding on GAQP; are able to articulate the requirements stated in the GAQP; Are able to assess the gaps between GAQP requirements and existing farm conditions; clearer understanding on what to assess during site inspection; and Draft/ produce a manual to guide aquaculture personnel and processing plant inspection personnel to comply with GAQP.
Methodology:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lecture and presentation of cases Open forum and discussion Individual and group workshop exercises
Number of Participants and Profile:	25 composed of aquafarmers, feed supplier, processors and traders
Short-term expert :	Mr. Ernesto Morales

