

# Reproductive health bill essay sample

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Reproductive Health Bill was introduced by Congresswoman Bellaflor J. Angara -Castillo is also known as 'Reproductive Health Care Act of 2002', assembled at Senate and House of Representatives of the Philippines, and now known as House Bill 5043 of 2008. It's been years since the bill was approved in the senate, due to some church conflicts, biomedical ethical issues and some scientific research conflicts. Today there are still lots of Filipino citizens who are now fully aware about this bill and why this bill was imposed.

Before I write this reaction paper I had to read the Bill twice and read some articles, reaction and comments in the internet I had read books and research which is related to reproductive health, sex education and Bioethics, for me to fully understand what was the RH bill all about and the reason of the creation of this bill. Poverty, the main problems that the Philippines is facing today and they say that the primary factors that lead to poverty is due to overpopulation, the Philippines has a population of 64, 318, 120 in 1990. Today the population is ballooning and estimated to over 94 million according to latest census and the top 12 th

country having the most population. The population is growing by about 2 percent a year, giving the Philippines one of the world's highest population-growth rates. This is one of the reasons of the creation of the Reproductive Health bill to give a solution to poverty by eradicating the overpopulation problem, by implementing family planning, sex education and prevent the sexually transmitted disease.