

Comparative Study of Gorontalo to Posdaya Around IPB Campus

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PKK Team and groups of SKPD (Satuan Kerja Perangkat Daerah – Regency Work force Unit) of North Gorontalo regency government, Gorontalo Province, visited Posdaya Puspa Lestari, Pasir Kuda village, Bogor. Posdaya Puspa Lestari is one of the Posdaya under the guidance of IPB, in Bogor, by which its Posyandu (Integrated Health Center – IHC) has been evaluated as the runner up of the best IHC in West Java province. Posdaya Puspa Lestari was established by students of IPB when they had their Field Works at their final grade. Itineraries program for them, were visited PAUD (early childhood school), IHC and Cooperatives in RW 07, Pasir Kuda village, Bogor, on 6 July 2013.

BPMKB head of Gorontalo, Ms. Magdalena Lungkang expressed her impressions on the Posdaya Puspa Lestari. "In general, the empowerment program of Gorontalo is similar with the Posdaya programs, there is some IHC, Early Childhood Education (PUAD), and cooperatives. The difference is, that the Posdaya Puspa Lestari has Occupational Health Enterprises (UKK), whereas the Gorontalo regency does not have it. Surprisingly, the Occupational Health Unit was established to remind the communities, who mostly employees of small industries, as they usually do not care about their health status. This is the role of UKK," she explained.

Further Magdalena stated that she was so happy to have warm welcome and full of togetherness. In addition to visit Posyandu and PAUD (early childhood school). The group were also guided to visit the home industry that produce tempeh and catfish farming. In addition to visit Posdaya Puspa Puspa Lestari, the group also visited Posdaya Panca Galih, Loji village, Western Bogor District. (Wied).