# Questionnaire for specific skilled foreign care workers

**Jessica Lopez** age: 34 Place of birth: Philippines

Date of arrival in Japan: 2023-06

#### Q1. What made you decide to come to Japan?

Japan is a very safe and beautiful country. In addition, people are kind and well-disciplined.

#### Q2. Why did you decide to work at a nursing home?

Taking care of my grandparents so I want to help other elderlies too.

#### Q3. What is your impression of Kagoshima?

Impressions before coming to Japan

There are many beautiful places to visit in KAGOSHIMA, JAPAN.

Impressions after coming to Japan

People are very kind and helpful even though that I am a foreigner.

#### Q4. What kind of work do you do at a nursing home?

We provide support to the elderlies who have difficulties in daily living and help them in continuing their usual lifestyle.

## Q5. Do you enjoy your job?

Yes I am enjoying my job because of the people around me.

## Q6. What do you talk about with your co-workers?

We are talking about lifestyle and culture in Japan.

## Q7. What did you enjoy in Kagoshima?

Koshikijima It is a quiet place and has fresh air. And other than, the lifestyle is inexpensive compared to living in a city.

## Q8. What do you become addicted to now?

Planting vegetables in my garden.

## Q9. Is there anything you would like to try?

· At work

I like to improve my conversation skills so I can chat with the elderlies because it seems their stories are interesting.

## Outside of work in Kagoshima

I want to explore mare of KAGOSHIMA City and try to experience hot springs

## A word from a senior at the facility

We know it's hard to study Japanese and even harder to study Japanese in a difficult dialect, but Jessica, you'll be fine. Let's do our best together!

