

Abstract

Transgender is the umbrella term pertaining to any individual who opposes traditional gender norms for a man or woman in society. It pertains to individuals who are partly uncomfortable with or completely reject their birth-assigned gender identities. In the growing number of parenthood among heterosexual couples/individuals, apparently there is also an increase in the number of transgender people who are also becoming parents. This study presented a descriptive case study in qualitative research design. A number of transgender parents were interviewed about their experiences as a parent. The participants showed a behavior were in they expressed their children motivations and gave rewards but at the same time, set rules and appropriate punishment. The participants provided enough quality time with their children for them to talk and bond together but at the same time, gave time for their children to have each of their own privacy. One participant termed “bullying” is the hardest part in being a transgender parent. But like any other parents, they are both confident that they can be a good and successful parents to their children. Researchers suggested to use Filipino transparents in future studies for there still has been few and rare researches about transparents in the Philippines.