



救世軍 The Salvation Army

到校學前康復服務

On-site Pre-school Rehabilitation Services

「與愛童行」支援特殊需要兒童服務

"Walking in Love" - Support Children with Special Needs



社會福利署資助服務

Subsidised Service by
the Social Welfare Department

Agency Introduction

The Salvation Army is an international Christian church and charity. With the commitment to transforming lives, caring for people and making disciples, we have started to serve Hong Kong since 1930. We strive to respond to local needs, emergencies, and disasters with the love of God. Our work spans a diverse range of areas including, but not limited to, people with spiritual needs, families facing crisis, disadvantaged elders, children and youth, people with disabilities, the marginalized minorities and disaster survivors.

Purpose & Objectives:

The objectives of OPRS are to deliver on-site rehabilitation services for children with different levels of disabilities and special needs who are attending KGs/KG-cum-CCCs through-

- early identification and intervention, training and support to children assessed with disabilities and special needs;
- training and support for teachers/child care workers on knowledge and skills in working with children with disabilities and special needs; and
- support for parents/carers on positive attitude and effective skills in nurturing their children with special needs.

Targets Service Users:

- The Tier 2 service users of OPRS are children who are attending the participating KGs/ KG-cum-CCCs and have mild disabilities. It may also admit children with moderate to severe disabilities and on the waiting list of Special Child Care Centre (SCCC) service as a transitional arrangement until SCCC places become available. Children on the waiting list for OPRS will be served with support services upon their registration of wait-listing to the Central Referral System for Rehabilitation Services- Subsystem for Disabled Pre-schoolers (CRSRehab-PS).
- The service users of Tier 1 Support Services are children studying in the participating KGs/ KG-cum-CCCs awaiting assessment by Child Assessment Centres (CACs), or assessed by CACs to have borderline developmental problems, or assessed by the OPRS Team as having special needs with reference to the standardised checklist. Tier 2 children with notable progress under OPRS may receive Tier 1 training/ support commensurate with their actual needs and having assessed by the inter-disciplinary service team at the case review meeting.
- Teachers and child care workers and parents/ carers of the children with special needs mentioned above are also target service users of OPRS and Tier 1 Support Services.

Service Nature & Content:

The services provided by an inter-disciplinary service team of Service Operator under a school-based and integrated approach shall include but not limited to the followings-

- For children with different levels of disabilities/ special needs:
 - screening/ assessment for children with early signs of special needs;
 - on-site individual/ group training and support;
 - class-based observation/ assessment and support; and
 - centre-based training
- For teachers and child care workers:
 - professional consultation/ talks/ workshops/ seminars,
 - class-based support/ assessment/ demonstration and case review conference
- For parents/ carers:
 - consultation/ training/ talks/ workshops/ seminars on knowledge and skills in nurturing children with disabilities/ special needs





Service Entry and Leaving Mechanisms:

Application Procedure:

- OPRS (Tier 2 service): Upon receiving assessment by paediatricians, clinical/educational psychologists or other qualified professionals as recognised by SWD, referrals can be made by social workers of integrated family service centres, medical social services units or designated service units under Central Referral System for Rehabilitation Services-Subsystem for Disabled Pre-schoolers (CRSRehab-PS) for application for pre-school rehabilitation services.
- Tier 1 Support Services: Parents/ guardian can approach teachers, other professions (e.g. social workers in pre-primary institutions) or OPRS teams of participating KGs/KG-cum-CCCs for enquiry and application.
- OPRS (Waitee Services): Information of applicant will be passed to OPRS team via CRSRehab-PS, and the OPRS team will contact the applicants directly for arrangement of services. No application is needed.

Withdrawal Procedure:

The provision of services will be terminated under the following circumstances when the child:

- The child is no longer studying at the KG/KG-cum-CCC participating in our service; or
- The child is admitted to primary school; or
- Parents requested to withdraw from service; or
- The child is away from the service for more than 30 days; or
- The child is assessed by the operating unit as not in need of support services; or
- The child has attained the age of 6 on the first 1st September (only applicable to Tier 1 Support Services & Tier 2 service); or
- The child is no longer in need of pre-school rehabilitation services based on the assessment conducted by Child Assessment Centre (only applicable to Tier 1 Support Services); or
- The child has reached the age of 6 (only applicable to Waitee Services); or
- The child has been assigned to/chooses to receive another Pre-school Rehabilitation Service subsidized by the Social Welfare Department (only applicable to Waitee Services);



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**Please also refer to the updated guideline from CRSRehab-PS.
(You can download it from SWD website <https://www.swd.gov.hk> or obtain it from our team)

