Society of Boys’ Centre

Chak Yan Centre

1. Mission and Objectives

We aim at guiding and educating teenagers. In particular, we provide education and residential services to those who have difficulties in emotional and behavoural adjustment, with a view to helping them to reunite with the society and be a responsible person and contribute to the society.

1. Target Group and Admission Criteria

Boys aged between 8 to 18 with educational level from primary 3 to secondary 3; those who have difficulties in studying in mainstream school, and those who cannot be adequately cared by their families.

1. Capacity

The maximum capacity is 166 with each living unit accommodating 23 or 24 boys.

1. Fees
   * Food & accommodation are free.
   * Parents have to provide personal daily necessities, and expenses related to schooling and medical consultation fees.
2. Service Content

* Residential care
* Professional counseling ( conducted by Clinical Psychologist)
* Competence enhancement training
* Potential development activity
* Parenting support service
* Community service program
* Agency-based Enhancement of Professional Staff Support Services( ABPSS) for special need children.

1. Procedure of Application
   * Cases are referred to Chak Yan Centre through CCRM (the Central Co-ordinating Referral Mechanism) of Social Welfare Department.
   * Applicant and guardian would be interviewed before admission to assess the needs and to clarify the expectation of parties concerned.
   * Application procedure would be completed within 14 working days from the date of receiving referral.
2. Procedure of Termination

* Termination will be effective if the problem(s) of our service users is/are solved; or upon request of any party such as parents, referral workers or guardians.
* Termination will be effective if our service users transfer to other schools after graduation.
* Termination will be effective if our service users cause any physical danger to other parties such as other service users or our staff.