LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL PANEL ON WELFARE SERVICES

Subcommittee on Residential and Community Care Services for Persons with Disabilities and the Elderly

Follow up to meeting on 23 May 2011

In response to the request raised by the Legislative Council Subcommittee on Residential and Community Care Services for Persons with Disabilities and the Elderly at the meeting on 23 May 2011, this paper provides the following supplementary information –

- (i) Apart from the District Support Centres for Persons with Disabilities (DSCs) which have commenced or will commence service in the coming one or two years at their permanent accommodation, the Administration has also earmarked suitable sites at development projects for four DSCs. The target completion time for these four DSCs is set out at **Annex 1**; and
- (ii) The number of applicants waitlisting for the various types of subsidised residential care home services for persons with disabilities by residential districts of applicants is at **Annex 2**.

Social Welfare Department June 2011

Target completion time of the four District Support Centres for Persons with Disabilities

DSC serving District	Target Completion Year						
Sham Shui Po	2012-13						
Kwai Chung	2013-14						
North District	2014-15						
Kwun Tong East	As the redevelopment project concerned is at its early planning stage, the target completion year cannot be provided at this stage						

Note: Amongst the 16 District Support Centres for Persons with Disabilities (DSCs), three DSCs have already commenced service at their permanent accommodation, eight DSCs are expected to commence service at their permanent accommodation by the end of 2011 and 2012 respectively. The permanent accommodation of the abovementioned four DSCs are expected to be completed during the period from 2012 to 2015. The Social Welfare Department will continue to actively identify suitable premises for the remaining one DSC.

The number of applicants waitlisting for various types of subsidized residential care home services by residential districts of the applicants as at the end of March 2011

Service Type District	LSCH	HWH	SHOS	НММН	HSMH	C&A/ SD	HSPH	C&A/ AB	SGH (MMHC)	IVTC (Res) ^{Note}	RSCCC
Central & Western/ Southern/ Island	130	71	65	119	153	38	36	9	2	N.A.	8
Eastern/ Wanchai	108	109	101	139	165	41	47	14	2	N.A.	8
Kwun Tong	90	79	118	143	188	30	38	12	11	N.A.	1
Wong Tai Sin/ Sai Kung	94	79	136	126	215	42	57	14	12	N.A.	7
Kowloon City/ Yau Tsim Mong	106	43	72	116	182	25	32	10	1	N.A.	13
Shamshuipo	52	35	76	98	137	21	23	8	3	N.A.	4
Sha Tin	106	66	67	127	169	28	34	6	2	N.A.	5
Tai Po/ North	105	78	113	123	184	41	30	7	7	N.A.	5
Yuen Long	55	46	68	121	156	31	30	2	2	N.A.	4
Tsuen Wan/ Kwai Tsing	147	97	69	159	231	34	35	12	6	N.A.	5
Tuen Mun	123	81	116	115	215	30	24	9	3	N.A.	6
Total	1116	784	1001	1386	1995	361	386	103	51	N.A.	66

Legend:

LSCH – Long Stay Care Home

HWH - Halfway House

SHOS – Supported Hostel

HMMH – Hostel for Moderately Mentally Handicapped Persons

HSMH – Hostel for Severely Mentally Handicapped Persons

C&A/SD – Care and Attention Home for Severely Disabled Persons

HSPH – Hostel for Severely Physically Handicapped Persons

C&A/AB – Care and Attention Home for the Aged Blind

 $SGH(MMHC)-Small\ Group\ Home\ for\ Mildly\ Mentally\ Handicapped\ Children/\ Integrated\ Small\ Group\ Home$

IVTC(Res) – Integrated Vocational Training Centre (Residential Service)

RSCCC - Residential Special Child Care Centre

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Note Applicants may apply for the service to the operating unit directly or through referrals for the service. There is no central waiting list for the service.