



Care and Attention Home
for the Aged Blind

Service Description

Care and Attention Home for the Aged Blind (C&A/AB) provides residential care, meals, personal care and limited nursing care for elderly with total blindness or severely low vision suffering from poor health or physical/mental disabilities with deficiency in activities of daily living but are mentally suitable for group living.

(Some C&A/AB have infirmary care unit, in which the level of care provided is equivalent to infirmary.)

Nature of Services

- accommodation and meals;
- provision of social work service such as assessment, counseling, referrals, social and recreational programmes;
- nursing services, including administration and supervision of medication;
- regular visit by registered medical practitioner (i.e. Visiting Medical Practitioner Scheme);
- personal care services, including assistance in daily living activities; and
- activities organised on a regular basis to meet the social and recreational needs of residents, to encourage residents to pursue their own interests, and to maintain contact with the community and families.

Target Group

To be eligible for a C&A/AB place, an applicant should be:

- aged 60 or above;
- certified blind or severely low vision by medical officer of Eye Hospital/Eye Clinic or registered Ophthalmologist in private practice;
- in need of personal care and attention in the course of daily living activities and are unable to live at home, but who also do not require intensive nursing care;
- have a social or housing need and are unable to live independently in the community;
- free from infectious disease or illness which may require intensive nursing care;
- in poor health or suffering from functional disabilities to the extent that assistance in personal care and daily living is necessary;
- able to move around with a walking aid or in a wheelchair; and
- mentally suitable for group living.

Referral

Referrals can be made by social workers or staff of rehabilitation service units by returning the completed CRSRehab-AB Form 1 to the Central Referral System for Rehabilitation Services of the Social Welfare Department.

Enquiries (Social Welfare Department)

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Website: <http://www.swd.gov.hk>

List of Care & Attention Homes for the Aged Blind

Region	District	Name/Address	Tel
Hong Kong	Southern	Ebenezer Care And Attention Home Ebenezer School & Home for the Visually Impaired 131 Pokfulam Road, Hong Kong	2817 1730
		Yee King Care and Attention Home Tung Wah Group of Hospitals 5/F, Block C, TWGHs Jockey Club Rehabilitation Complex, 4 Welfare Road, Wong Chuk Hang, Hong Kong	2870 9203
		Yee Tai Care and Attention Home Tung Wah Group of Hospitals 4/F, Block C, TWGHs Jockey Club Rehabilitation Complex, 4 Welfare Road, Wong Chuk Hang, Hong Kong	2870 9103
		Yee Hong Care and Attention Home Tung Wah Group of Hospitals 3/F, Block C, TWGHs Jockey Club Rehabilitation Complex, 4 Welfare Road, Wong Chuk Hang, Hong Kong	2870 9393
		Yee Lok Care and Attention Home Tung Wah Group of Hospitals 2/F, Block C, TWGHs Jockey Club Rehabilitation Complex, 4 Welfare Road, Wong Chuk Hang, Hong Kong	2870 9383
		Yee Yeung Care and Attention Home Tung Wah Group of Hospitals 1/F, Block C, TWGHs Jockey Club Rehabilitation Complex, 4 Welfare Road, Wong Chuk Hang, Hong Kong	2870 9378
		Yee On Care and Attention Home Tung Wah Group of Hospitals G/F, Block C, TWGHs Jockey Club Rehabilitation Complex, 4 Welfare Road, Wong Chuk Hang, Hong Kong	2870 9373
Kowloon West	Shamshuipo	Kowloon Home for the Aged Blind Hong Kong Society for the Blind 6/F, West Wing 248 Nam Cheong Street, Shamshuipo, Kowloon	2778 8332 Ext. 371
	Kowloon City	Bradbury C & A Home for the Aged Blind Hong Kong Society for the Blind 19 Mok Cheong Street, Tokwawan, Kowloon	2333 3782
New Territories	Tuen Mun	Jockey Club Tuen Mun Home for the Aged Blind Hong Kong Society for the Blind 8 Tsing Fuk Lane, Tuen Mun, New Territories	2468 8222
	Yuen Long	Yuen Long Home for the Aged Blind Hong Kong Society for the Blind 155-175 On Ning Road, Yuen Long, New Territories	2476 0114