

Malaysia Care Economy Forum 2 (MCEF2.0)

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Theme: "Caregiving in a Caring Society"

Training and professionalization of care givers for the growth of the care economy and improving the quality and accessibility of cradle-to-grave care services to support individuals, families, and communities.

Overview:

In a one-day workshop participants from government, academia, care associations, care industries and civil society will explore best practices in care giving, develop qualifications framework and career pathways to high-productivity industries, identify curriculum content and strategies as well as recommend legal frameworks for professionalization.

Outcomes:

- Creation of a Qualification's Framework and career pathways for caregivers.
- Curriculum outline and content for caregiver training programs.
- Amended or new regulatory frameworks to assure quality and ensure high standards of care provision.
- Strategies and action recommendations to improve access to quality and affordable caregiving for middle-income and vulnerable groups.

Benefits:

Better policy-making related to care, ease regulatory burdens, attract investment, promote the development of caregiving education and training programmes based on quality standards, retention of women in workforce and job creation.

Date: 25 August 2024

Time: 8.30 am -3.30 pm

Venue: M Resort Hotel, Bukit Kiara, Kuala Lumpur

Programme			
Time	Session		
0830	Registration		
0900	Plenary Session: Setting Standards and Establishing a National Framework for Care Worker Qualifications ▪ key areas of concern in the care industry, learning from Australia's experiences ▪ principles and structure of the Malaysian Qualifications Framework (MQF) ▪ concept of caregiving and the dimensions of caregiving for curriculum development		
1000	Break and move to breakout group		
1015-1130	Breakout Group 1: Regulatory Frameworks Needed to Professionalize Care Workers	Breakout Group 2: Qualifications Framework and Pathways for care giving education	Breakout Group 3: Content and Curriculum in Professionalizing Care Workers
1130-1230	Group Presentation to YB Datuk Sri Hajjah Nancy Shukri		
1 pm	Lunch and Royal Address by Her Majesty the Queen on <i>Caregiving in a Caring Society with No One Left Behind</i>		

Inquiry:

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Fee: RM900 per participant