

# Malaysia Care Economy Forum 2 (MCEF 2.0)

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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	<b>Plenary Session: Setting Standards and Establishing a National Framework for Care Worker Qualifications</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>key areas of concern in the care industry, learning from Australia's experiences</li><li>principles and structure of the Malaysian Qualifications Framework (MQF)</li><li>concept of caregiving and the dimensions of caregiving for curriculum development</li></ul>		
1000	Break and move to breakout group		
1015-1130	<b>Breakout Group 1: Regulatory Frameworks Needed to Professionalize Care Workers</b>	<b>Breakout Group 2: Qualifications Framework and Pathways for care giving education</b>	<b>Breakout Group 3: Content and Curriculum in Professionalizing Care Workers</b>
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: RM500 per participant**