Programme Details

Expanded Programme Fourth Phase

The fourth phase of the expanded programme covers Old Age Living Allowance (OALA) recipients at the age of 65 or above.

Scope of subsidised services

Eligible elders can receive free removable dentures and other related dental services (including oral examination, scaling and polishing, fillings, tooth extractions and X-ray examinations).

Target Beneficiaries

- Elderly people aged 65 or above receiving OALA in the last three consecutive months;
- Have not benefited from the Elderly Dental Assistance Programme funded by CCF or the Outreach Dental Care Programme for the Elderly under the Department of Health;
- Lost all or some of their teeth or suffer from dental illnesses and are willing to receive the subsidised dental services under this programme; and

In need of and suitable to have removable dentures and receive other related dental services as assessed by the participating non-governmental organisations' dentists or private dentists, based on the guidelines drawn up by the Hong Kong Dental Association.

How to Apply

- Please apply in person at district service units participating in the expanded programme. List of district service units processing the applications can be obtained at district elderly centres.
- When making application, please produce the original copy of your Hong Kong Identity Card, documents (bank books or bank statements, etc.) showing receipt of the OALA subsidies by bank transfer in the last three consecutive months, and a proof of residential address.

Note: For elders using the home-based services augmented by the Social Welfare Department, please refer to another leaflet or contact the respective home-based service teams for application.

Enquiry

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