



We Care Education Fund (護幼教育基金)

In the past weeks, our health workers were fighting for the life of Atypical Pneumonia (AP) patients and many more were working day and night to prevent the spread of the Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome (SARS). But sadly, already 160 people have died of AP. Amongst the deceased are parents of at least 17 children.

AP has taken away the life of either or both of the parents of these children. Most of the children did not even have the chance to bid the last farewell to their beloved mum or dad. These children are desperately in need of care and concern to recover from this traumatic experience. As a caring community, we must help to ease the pain of these unfortunate children.

Initiated by a group of civil servants, the We Care Education Fund is set up to show our concern for these children by providing them with a steady source of financial assistance as they grow up. The Fund will be set up under the Director of Social Welfare Incorporated, to be administered by the Director of Social Welfare as Trustee. All funds raised will be allocated to eligible children subject to rules to be drawn up by an advisory committee. Social workers from SWD will identify and reach out to these eligible children and provide them with all the necessary support.

All civil servants and members of the public are invited to join this worthy cause by making a donation to the Fund. Let us show that we care for the well-being of these children.

How to make a donation

Pay at any branch of the Hong Kong Bank, into the account no. **048-422299-001**; or

By cheque payable to “*We Care Education Fund*” or “*護幼教育基金*” and mailed to :

Social Welfare Department,
Payment Control Section,
Room 2301, 23/F Southorn Centre,
130 Hennessy Road, Wan Chai,
Hong Kong.

SWD will issue receipts for cheques received and encashed. For donors who have made payments into the bank account direct, please send the original bank pay-in slip with their name and address to the above address. The pay-in slip will be returned with the receipt for donors' retention.

Donations to the Fund aggregating \$100 or more are tax deductible.

Enquiries

In case of enquiry on matters relating to the Fund, please call SWD Hotline 2343 2255.

Please act now! We look forward to your support.

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Reply Slip

Please mail the original pay-in slip or cheque with this reply slip to Director of Social Welfare (Re: Donation to We Care Education Fund) at the above mentioned address.

Name: _____ Tel.: _____

Address: _____

I care and I wish to support by donating \$ _____ to the “We Care Education Fund” by (please ✓ tick):

- Direct payment to the Hong Kong Bank account: **048-422299-001** (original pay-in slip enclosed)
- Cheque (enclosed cheque numbered: _____)

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT