

# HEALTHY TEETH COLLABORATION

## • OBJECTIVE •

To provide free oral check-ups, dental treatments and oral health education for adults with intellectual disability and / or adults with autism spectrum disorder.

## • TARGET BENEFICIARIES •

To apply for the services under Healthy Teeth Collaboration, the applicant must fulfil the following criteria:

Aged 18 or above; and

Holding valid documentary proof certifying the disability category as “intellectual disability”, “mental handicap” or “autism spectrum disorder”.

## • HOW TO APPLY •

Please scan the following QR code to enter into DH website for participating non-governmental organisation dental clinics' contact method for registration and booking :



At the first appointment, the original copy of the following documents should be presented :

Applicant's Hong Kong Identity Card

One of the following documents certifying the disability category as “intellectual disability”, “mental handicap” or “autism spectrum disorder”:

Valid Registration Card for People with Disabilities issued by the Labour and Welfare Bureau; or

Medical certificate issued by a doctor registered in Hong Kong; or

Certificate issued by the person-in-charge of a rehabilitation service unit under the designated types of rehabilitation services\*

\*Please refer to the website of Department of Health for the designated types of rehabilitation services and details:  
[www.dh.gov.hk/english/main/main\\_ds/main\\_ds\\_dcp.html](http://www.dh.gov.hk/english/main/main_ds/main_ds_dcp.html)

If the applicant is unable to attend the first appointment on his/her own and is accompanied by a legal guardian appointed by the Guardianship Board under the Mental Health Ordinance (Cap.136), the legal guardian should present the following original documents :

Documentary proof of the legal guardianship;  
and

Legal guardian's identity proof

If the applicant does not have a legal guardian, applicant's parent, grandparent, brother, sister, spouse or rehabilitation service unit may submit application and attend the first appointment with the applicant. The accompanying person should present original of his/her identity proof and documentary proof of his/her relationship with the applicant.

## • SCOPE OF SERVICES •

Non-governmental organisation dental clinics will provide:

Oral check-ups

Preventive and curative dental treatments

Education for caregivers on daily oral care

If dental treatments cannot be provided under behavioural management at clinic, arrangements will be made for applicant to receive dental treatments under sedation or general anaesthesia at a designated collaborating private hospital.