



GENERAL BACKGROUND ON NATIONAL POLICIES

- The International Year of the Disabled Persons in 1980
- Policies and programmes designed to improve the quality of life of the disabled population
- Proclamation on Full Participation and Equality of People with Disabilities in the Asia and Pacific Region on May 16, 1994

 Provides fresh inputs to the meeting of the Agenda for Action for the Asian and Pacific Decade of Disabled Person (1993-2002) covering 12 major areas of concern.
- The Persons with Disabilities Act 2008 (Akta OKU 2008)

 Acknowledges the rights of disabled people and moves away from a welfare-based concept to the rights-based concept.

OVERVIEW OF THE NATIONAL SITUATION

- National Advisory and Consultative Council for People with Disabilities
- Coordination and implementation of the Agenda of Action for the Asian and Pacific Decade of Disabled Persons.
- Database known as SMOKU (System For Registration of Disabled Persons) To register PWDs throughout the country.
- Website known as e-JKM To enable PWDs to access to services provided for PWDs throughtout the country;
- Emphasis on Community-based Rehabilitation Programmes (CBR) – to enable rural disabled to have access to rehabilitation;

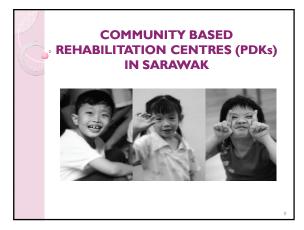


- Integrated Programmes (secondary technical/vocational schools and polytechnics) For pupils with hearing impairments
- Inclusion Programmes For children with learning disabilities
- Early Intervention Programme (special education schools)
 For children with hearing and visual impairment
- Code of Practice of Employment of Disabled Persons in Private Sector
- Circular on 1% Job Opportunities in Civil Service for Disabled Persons

REVIEW & ANALYSIS OF ISSUES AND TRENDS IN RIGHTS BASED APPROACHES TO DEVELOPMENT; SUCCESS INDICATORS IDENTIFIED AND DESCRIPTION OF FURTHER ACTION ENVISAGES

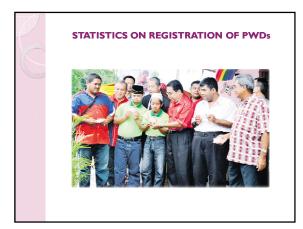
- Establishment of a database of all the disabled in the country – 7 Categories of Disabilities (Mental, Learning Disabilities, Physical, Hearing Impairment, Visual Impairment, Multiple Disabilities & Speech Delay)
- To provide the necessary training and rehabilitation for the disabled
- To ensure that adequate supply of trained manpower in areas such as physiotherapists, speech therapists and occupational therapist including collaboration with Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) to provide expertise in this fields
- 3 Sheltered Workshops To cater for the disabled who are unable to employ in open employment

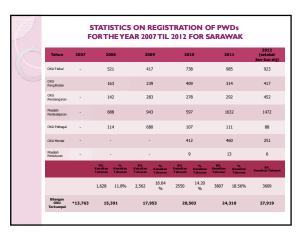




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DIVISION	TOTAL CBR CENTRE		
Kuching	14		
Samarahan	4		
Sri Aman	1		
Betong	1		
Sarikei	3		
Sibu	2		
Mukah	1		
Kapit	1		
Bintulu	2		
Miri	3		
Limbang	1		
Total	33		
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FUNDINGS BY JKM FORTHE YEAF 2012					
SUBJECT	NO.OF RECEIPIENTS	AMOUNT (RM)			
Communtiy Based Rehabilitation Centres	33 Centres	RM 7.8 Million			
Elaun Pekerja Cacat	1,862	RM 2,152,600.00			
Bantuan Penjagaan OKU / Pesakit Kronik Terlantar (BPT)	1,846	RM 2,187,000.00			
Elaun OKU Tidak Bekerja (BTB)	2,701	RM 1,605,990.00			
Note : 2,293 PWDs are attending CB	R Programe thro	ughout Sarawak			









P	SARAWAK STATISTICS AS FROM JANUARY - 9 MAY 2012				
6	NO.	TYPES OF DEVICES	NUMBER OF CASES	EXPENDITURES	
	1	Binocular Lens	10	RM 5,098.00	
	2	Artificial Limbs	15	RM 60,950.00	
	3	Spectacles	6	RM 1,868.00	
	4	Wheelchairs	4	RM 1,150.00	
	5	Hand Clutch	2	RM 420.00	
	6	Kerusi roda Khas	10	RM 15,051.00	
	7	Hearing Aids	12	RM 38,600.00	
	8	Others	1	RM 660.00	
		Total	60	RM 123,797.00	

