

警察知多啲 認識殘疾人士

鑑於社會大眾對精神上無行為能力的人士認識不深，特別是與智障及自閉症人士溝通存有極大困難。本會近年先後向傳媒發表有關議題之新聞稿及向公眾人士提供相關講座。香港警察學院亦於去年7月至8月期間，邀請本會為警務人員提供培訓，由本會臨床心理學家和資深社工講授，讓他們理解精神上無行為能力人士的特質、情緒及行為表現，讓他們在執行職務時能較易辨識及掌握溝通的方法。

由於反應良好，警察學院與本會進一步協作，除繼續邀請本會提供培訓講座外，還安排該學院學員到訪本會位於香港仔的康復中心，與本會的服務使用者互動交流，以增加了解。在2015年10月至2016年1月期間安排了3次培訓探訪，共有超過100名警察學院學員參加。

本會和警察學院近期的協作效果非常顯著，不但提升警務人員對智障及自閉症人士的認識和學習到更有效與他們溝通的方法和技巧，本會的服務使用者也因為透過和他們的接觸，也減少了對警務人員的恐懼，並有機會學習較自然的溝通和表達，達致雙贏的效果。本會期望與香港警察學院持續協作，締造社會和諧的氣氛。



◀ 本會臨床心理學家梁凱琪女士到黃竹坑香港警察學院講解與自閉症及智障人士溝通之技巧

Ms. LEUNG Hai-ki, Sharon, Clinical Psychologist of our Society, was invited to share the techniques on how to communicate with persons with autism and persons with intellectual disabilities in the Hong Kong Police College at Wong Chuk Hang.

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Mr. WONG Kin-on, Leo, Service Director (Central and Southern), gave an introduction of our Society's rehabilitation service in our Rehabilitation Centre.



Knowing More about Persons with Disabilities – Hong Kong Police College

In view that the public generally knew little about Mentally Incapacitated Persons and found it especially difficult to communicate with persons with intellectual disabilities and persons with autism, our Society began in recent years to release relevant press releases and give talks to the public. In July and August last year, the Hong Kong Police College invited our Society to provide trainings to police officers. The trainings were conducted by Clinical Psychologists and social workers of our Society and aimed to provide police officers a way to understand the characteristics, emotions and behaviors of Mentally Incapacitated Persons, so that the police officers may be able to differentiate such persons when they were on duty and handle the communications properly.

Since the trainings had received favorable feedback, the Police College arranged for further co-operation with our Society. Apart from inviting us to provide training seminars, the Police College also arranged for the students to visit our Rehabilitation Centre at Aberdeen, so as to enhance their understanding through communicating and interacting with our service users. Three training visits were coordinated between October 2015 and January 2016. More than 100 students from the Police College had participated.



Not only is the recent co-operation between the Police College and our Society smooth and pleasant, it is also extremely meaningful. It has enhanced the understanding of police officers towards persons with intellectual disabilities and persons with autism, and has taught the officers how to use the appropriate ways and skills to achieve effective communication with them. At the same time, through spending time with the police officers, our service users have also become less intimidated by them. In addition, our service users are offered the chance to learn how to communicate with others and express themselves in a more natural way. This is a win-win mode of co-operation. We anticipate a continuous partnership with the Hong Kong Police College and hope to build a harmonious society together.