

President's Challenge 2025 - Benefitting Organisations & Programmes

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1	Abilities Beyond Limitations and Expectations Limited (ABLE)	Social Health Integration	Programme serves individuals aged 18 to 68 who have experienced physical impairments from conditions such as stroke, traumatic brain injury, or other similar acquired disabilities. Programme is an integrated rehabilitation care model that combines physical, occupational, and speech therapy with case management and caregiver support.
2	Abilities Beyond Limitations and Expectations Limited (ABLE)	Community Reintegration	Programme supports individuals aged 18 to 68 with acquired physical and/or cognitive disabilities (e.g., stroke, traumatic brain injury) in overcoming challenges such as social isolation, limited mobility, and reduced confidence. Through sports, arts, and culinary programmes designed in collaboration with physiotherapists, sport coaches, art and music therapists, and occupational therapists, the Community Reintegration programme aims to: 1. Facilitate social inclusion and physical rehabilitation 2. Provide adaptive skills training and psychosocial support to improve mental and social well-being.
3	Abilities Beyond Limitations and Expectations Limited (ABLE)	Sustainable Employment	Programme addresses the challenges of persons aged 18-68 with acquired physical disability such as stroke survivors, who are keen on returning to work, aiming to enhance their physical, cognitive, and emotional well-being through tailored vocational rehabilitation. ABLE works closely with SG Enable's Hospital to Work (H2W) programme to support persons with acquired permanent disabilities.
4	Allkin Singapore Ltd	Club Infinity	Club Infinity (CI) is a membership-based programme designed for youths aged 11 to 25 who may be at social, emotional, or behavioural risk. CI offers diverse year-round activities such as Chill Friday (after-school sessions), sports initiatives like futsal, and community-focused volunteering through Project Giveback.
5	Ascending Hope Community Services Ltd	Food For Hope	Food For Hope is a volunteer-driven, food distribution programme aimed at addressing food insecurity and social isolation among low-income families and isolated elderly individuals. The programme comprises 1) Food Ration Distribution 2) Lunch Visitation 3) Makan Circle. Programme components of Makan Circle and Lunch Visitation meet upliftment criteria for the community and volunteers respectively
6	Autism Association (Singapore), Eden Centre for Adults	Towards supported or independent living for autistic adults	Programme supports persons with autism, with a focus on enhancing their level of independence and transitioning to independent living for both clients and their families by equipping clients with essential daily living skills and providing community-based training that extends beyond the DAC environment.
7	Beautiful Mind Charity	Employment Program: Pathway to Financial Independence	The programme is designed to help students with special needs to achieve meaningful and sustainable careers as musicians, bridging the gap between the aspirations of the graduate students and the job opportunities available to them. It offers a structured pathway from training to employment, offering real-world job placements in inclusive workplaces, while also creating tailored roles within the charity to match their unique skills and aspirations
8	Bizlink Centre Singapore Ltd	Work Therapy Programme	The programme aims to provide 1-year bridging intervention to persons with disabilities (higher support needs) and not yet work-ready but are assessed to have potential in attaining essential work skills and able to comply with instructions, to progress towards sheltered employment instead of enrolment into DAC. It equips persons with disabilities with vocational skills, independent living skills, community living skills, social interaction skills and exposure to learn new skills.
9	Blessed Grace Social Services Limited	Bakery Rehabilitation Project	The Bakery Rehabilitation Project is a transformative initiative to empower ex-offenders by providing them with a structured pathway to entrepreneurship. This three-year programme aims to establish bakeries at hawker centers across Singapore, where beneficiaries will receive hands-on training in baking and business management to achieve financial independence and societal reintegration
10	Bowling Association for the Disabled	Enhancing Existing Para Bowling Competitions and Fun Bowl Programme	Bowling Association for the Disabled provides opportunities for para athletes with visual, physical and intellectual impairments across Singapore to participate and compete through initiatives such as the National Para Bowling Championship and 8 Pin-Tap Event. Fun Bowl Event such as BADS Family Day enable para-athletes and their family members to join in to have a fun time together.
11	Boys' Town	Boys' Town Sanctuary Care	Sanctuary Care (SC) is a community-based service that offers respite caregiving for infants and children of low-income families or single parent families. These families have minimal or no other caregiving support which they can rely on when faced with crises such as parents needing to undergo medical procedures, loss of job, working multiple jobs or starting new jobs.
12	Centre For Seniors	Empowering seniors in purposeful longevity	This project aims to develop and establish a one-stop silver job resource and training centre to create a gig economy for mature adults 50 years and over to provide paid microjobs/GIG work to enable seniors to have purposeful longevity through work. It targets those who are unable to find regular employment, desire part time and flexible work, and are trying to re-enter the work force after a period of absence, such as women returning to work.

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13	CHILDREN-AT-RISK EMPOWERMENT ASSOCIATION	Mentoring Programme	The programme is designed to empower and support youth in their personal, academic, and social development through meaningful, one-on-one mentoring relationships. It aims to equip youth with the tools to navigate life's complexities, understanding the effect of choices and consequences, and build stronger connections with their families, peers, and communities.
14	Club Rainbow (Singapore)	Care Connection – a Caregiver Support and Empowerment Program	This project aims to provide comprehensive support for caregivers of children with chronic illnesses, special needs, and disabilities through a structured programme designed to address their mental, emotional, and practical needs.
15	Credit Counselling Singapore	Proposal for Administration of Debt Relief for Families on COMLINK Plus	Programme aims to support families receiving ComLink+ Package for Debt Clearance, specifically by offering financial counselling and support beyond the transactional disbursements of debt relief
16	Down Syndrome Association (Singapore)	Community Support Network	The project aims to enhance the quality of life of individuals with Down syndrome and other special needs, and their caregivers, and promotes their ageing in place by establishing a community-based social support network to provide support, monitoring and timely intervention when necessary. The social support network will include formal services, community volunteers and befrienders and informal social network of individuals with special needs and their caregivers.
17	Filos Community Services Ltd	Project P.E.E.R	The project aims to bring awareness of healthy habits for children aged 4 to 12 from low-income families, in the areas of socialisation (Play), nutrition (Eat), physical activity (Exercise) and sleep (Rest). Children will then go on to adopt these healthy habits for themselves as well as advocating to their families and friends to adopt these healthy habits which will improve emotional and physical well-being as well as fostering an environment of support that encourages healthy living and development.
18	FootballPlus Ltd	Champions Unlimited	The CHAMPIONS programme is a fully-sponsored, long-term football programme for children from disadvantaged background including those from low-income homes, single-parent family, step-family. It aims to help these children bridge the gaps they have in life through the holistic football programme.
19	Good News Community Services	Good News Homeless Outreach Program - Bridging Forward	The programme aims to reduce homelessness in Pasir Ris by providing rough sleepers with direct access to support and resources through proactive outreach, with the goal of empowering them to transition from survival to stability.
20	HCSA Community Services	HCSA Highpoint: Action In Motion Society (AIMS)	HCSA Highpoint's throughcare support AIMS programme, coupled with HCSA Highpoint residential programme, provides a more holistic throughcare support from ex-offenders' residential stay at the halfway house till after they return to their own home. The programme is designed to support ex-offenders after they leave the halfway house and return to the community.
21	HCSA Community Services	HCSA STEP UP	The STEP UP initiative is a mentorship journey that provides aftercare support for ex-offenders and trauma survivors to reintegrate into the community by facilitating community stakeholders to journey alongside them. It aims to enable their social and economic mobility by empowering them to build a better future for themselves and their families.
22	iC@RE HUB LTD	iTAP - individual Transitional Accommodation Programme	The programme equips female ex-offenders with coping skills, relapse prevention strategies, and support for rebuilding relationships to aid societal reintegration. Art and craft activities as part of the programme are used to build confidence with the beneficiaries, to support mental and emotional health in their reintegration journey, to aid community engagement between beneficiaries and the iC@RE community, and as a means for ex-offenders to bond with their children.
23	Impart Ltd.	Common Ground	The programme provides youths in adversity with opportunities to explore their interests – through sports and the arts, that will also help them towards their future aspirations. Such interest-based avenues can be a powerful medium for introducing new aspirations for them as well.
24	Lakeside Family Services	The GRIT Academy (TGA)	The GRIT Project's programmes and services aim to nurture and equip a caring next generation to serve the community, by creating a caring and supportive space for the children and youth to discover themselves, develop their character and be empowered to make quality choices in their lives.
25	Lawn Bowls Association for the Disabled	Short Mat Bowls	To introduce the sport of short mat bowls to the physically challenged persons and seniors in the community, so that they will continue to play the sport for an active and healthy lifestyle.
26	Life Community Services Society	Life! Mentors	Mentoring programme for children (6 to 13 years old) from disadvantaged backgrounds in partnership with schools and Social Service Offices (SSOs). Volunteer mentors journey with children for 5 years to help them develop socio-emotional, behavioural, cognitive and physical growth.
27	MINDSG LTD (Movement for the Intellectually Disabled of Singapore)	MINDS Caregivers Support Services	Programme aims to enhance the quality of life for caregivers and families of PWDs by providing a comprehensive range of family support programmes that will enhance their capabilities, build support networks and forge strong families.
28	Morning Star Community Services Ltd	Carenights	Programme provides a safe environment and opportunities to develop children's socio-emotional skills while parents attend to work or family needs. Programme partners with social service agencies and SSOs and offers holistic support to the families through family workshops, mentorship and community-building activities.
29	National Gallery Singapore	Gallery Wonders	Flagship initiative aiming to provide transformative access to art for underserved communities (i.e. Children and Youth-at-Risk, Families in Need, Seniors, Neurodivergent and Disabled Community, Migrant Workers Community). It aims to remove financial and logistical barriers (e.g. offering complimentary admission, providing specialised transportation etc.) to allow underserved communities opportunity to visit the museum.
30	Yeo Boon Khim Mind Science Centre (NUS)	The Autism Social Emotional Resilience(ASER) Program for National Curriculum Students	The programme seeks to address the socio-cognitive needs of adolescents with ASD.

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31	Netball Singapore	Netball Rising	Netball Rising nurtures potential netball athletes (between the ages of 12 and 17) from at-risk and underprivileged backgrounds, who may not have adequate opportunity or means to develop and sustain their sporting interest and talent. It does so by providing regular coaching support and participation in competitive platforms during their critical adolescent years, with the aim of giving these youths a leg up and a fair shot at making it to the highest levels. The programme also empowers and mobilises their family members to acquire new skills, build self-reliance, and be more invested in their child's life, through contributing within the programme and across the broader netball ecosystem.
32	NeuGen Fund	Beyond the Walls: Family ReUNITE	Programme collaborates with Singapore Prison Service (SPS) to identify fathers with children who are incarcerated and wish to remain involved in their children's lives while improving their relationships.
33	New Life Stories	Family Strengthening Programme	The programme uses a three-pronged Systemic Practice approach for those incarcerated to re-integrate, and to support their family members toward self-advocacy by developing skills and competencies.
34	NUHS Fund Limited	Nourish & Thrive: Empowering Communities for Health and Sustainability	The community nutrition programme is a three-year initiative aligned with Singapore's Healthier SG objectives, targeting the vulnerable population in the western region of Singapore. This comprehensive programme aims to improve health and well-being in vulnerable communities by empowering multi-racial individuals with essential knowledge and skills to prevent and manage the chronic diseases.
35	Persatuan Permudi Islam Singapura (PPIS)	Therapeutic Interventions for Foster Families: Healing from Trauma and Building Resilience using Creative Arts	This project aims to provide foster children and teens with access to art, play, and drama therapy, life story work and behavioral interventions in home-based or center-based settings. It also seeks to equip foster parents with the support and tools needed to better manage behaviors stemming from childhood trauma.
36	Persatuan Permudi Islam Singapura (PPIS)	Enhancement of Aftercare Services (Rise above Halfway House)	Rise Above provides a safe, structured and holistic therapeutic space for women offender residents to rebuild their lives as well as reconnect with family and society.
37	Playeum Ltd	Open Minds Open Doors: Building Pathways to Inclusive Communities through Play	The project builds on Playeum's inclusive co-play family programme - Open Minds, Open Doors (OMOD). OMOD is a change-focused, inclusive play programme designed to create meaningful pathways for young children with disabilities. By including their families, supporting them in gaining skills and knowledge, and by using extensive experiences and research in training and research, the programme takes on a holistic, interrelational and sustainable approach toward building inclusive communities through the power of play.
38	Presbyterian Preschool Service	Educational Support Programme (ESP)	The Educational Support Programme (ESP) is a comprehensive, high-quality initiative designed to support children with Special Educational Needs (SEN) between the ages of 18 months and 6 years in preschool settings. The program emphasizes an inclusive approach to learning to prepare children to transit to mainstream education, while fostering a strong partnership between families and the preschool while offering access to social services.
39	Rainbow Centre Singapore	Good Life Boarding (GLB)	Good Life Boarding (GLB) aims to enhance the independent living skills of clients with moderate to severe needs while equipping their caregivers to support this independence. This is done through a 10-week programme that includes after-school training in essential tasks like meal preparation and laundry, stay-in experiences for practising independence, and home training sessions where life coaches work with caregivers to reinforce learning.
40	Rainbow Centre Singapore	Friends for a Good Life - Developing a community of befrienders and advocates for persons with disabilities.	Programme provides opportunities for persons with disabilities (PWDs), especially those who have graduated from SPED schools, to maintain ties with the community beyond their schooling years. The programme matches 1 youth with 2 befrienders based on parameters such as age, location and interests. Once successfully matched, the befriending group will embark on a minimum of 10 befriending sessions across 1 year, which explore a myriad of activities and encourage bonding through shared activities such as eating, nature and sports. Rainbow Centre is seeking to scale its GLBF pilot programme into a nationwide befriending initiative.
41	Riding for the Disabled Association of Singapore	Equine Assisted Activities (EAA)	Equine-Assisted Activities (EAA) comprises two key programs: the Riding Programme and the Ground Programme. Therapeutic riding sessions are conducted for children from Special Education (SPED) schools and adults from Social Service Agencies (SSAs), as well as individuals with special needs. Ground Programme focuses on activities performed alongside the horse, including observation, grooming, groundwork, and structured exercises tailored to individual goals. Both programs aim to provide therapeutic benefits, enhance skills, and support the overall development of beneficiaries.
42	RiverLife Community Services Ltd	BLESS Mums	The programme seeks to engage mothers from lower income families with school-going children through providing sustainable platforms to increase social capital and be empowered as an individual in society. This will be achieved through bi-weekly sessions to encourage and empower them to be a force for good to their families and their community.
43	SHINE Children and Youth Services	Youth Community Outreach Patrol (COP) - Scale up	Programme partners with schools and Singapore Police Force (SPF) to equip youth at-risk (13 to 16 years old) with the skills needed to avoid delinquent behaviors and to build positive self-identity, through casework, groupwork, family engagements and crime-prevention patrol/activities.
44	SHINE Children and Youth Services	Reading Odyssey	The Reading Odyssey (RO) is a targeted programme supporting children aged 6 to 12 who who are navigating challenges that affect their learning and development. Many of these children come from lower-income households with limited access to educational resources, and a significant number struggle with reading comprehension, leaving them two to three years behind their peers. Without adequate supervision or support at home, due to parental work commitments or complex family circumstances, these children risk of falling further behind. Through research-informed interventions, RO works to strengthen reading comprehension skills, build confidence, and nurture each child's potential as a lifelong learner.

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45	Singapore Council of Women's Organisations	Single Mothers Programme	The aim of this programme is to provide a support group for single mothers to come together to support one another during their difficult times. A support group would be helpful in bringing together individuals who are going through the same experience where they are able to understand and help one another through the challenges.
46	SPD	EmpowerConnect: Inclusive Contact Centre Pathways for Persons with Disabilities	The SPD Contact Centre creates meaningful training and employment opportunities for people with disabilities, including SPED graduates. By equipping them with soft and industry-specific skills, it provides alternative career pathways beyond traditional roles and supports progression within the industry. This empowers persons with disabilities to gain financial independence, develop their potential, and experience greater social inclusion, while complementing national efforts to improve employment outcomes.
47	St Andrew's Autism Centre	Dignity of Work Programme	The programme seeks to address the gap in autism-specific employment support by enabling work-capable persons with moderate autism to achieve supported employment training and prevent developmental regression with the overall objective of uplifting their potential and abilities. It will curate partnerships with autism-friendly social enterprises in industries such as urban farming, baking, and arts and crafts, to scale up training and supported employment for moderate autism.
48	SUN-DAC	Seed of Hope (Urban Farming Programme)	The programme seeks to enhance the structure of the existing Ageing Well curriculum targeted at SUN-DAC's ageing clients. It will also provide clients with opportunities to participate in meaningful and engaging activities to promote their physical, mental, and social well-being.
49	Tasek Academy and Social Services Ltd	Youth Hub : Wraparound support for growth	The programme was set up to (1) provide a safe space for youth to hang out, emphasising on youth agency and having their voices heard, (2) be an outreach arm for other youth to join Tasek's programmes and (3) provide an alternative/ additional space for mentoring beyond their programmes.
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51	The Community Justice Centre Ltd	Access is Empowerment - Empowering Self-represented Persons through Enhancing the Ease of Use of Court Processes and Services.	CJC seeks to deliver more comprehensive and holistic support to its users by strengthening the areas of legal assistance and information especially in the areas of court processes so that besides just receiving advice, empower them to navigate the justice system on their own with confidence and clarity.
52	The Helping Hand	Support Healthy Living for Elderly Ex-Offenders	The programme builds upon its existing successful elderly-friendly activities, expanding to address physical health, nutrition, cognitive engagement, and social interaction holistically. The emphasis on community involvement through volunteers not only supports the rehabilitation process but also fosters broader social reintegration. The project focuses on long-term impact, including the prevention of chronic diseases, and value adds to their existing initiatives on supporting healthier lifestyles among offenders, and ex-offenders.
53	The Salvation Army	Kids In Play (KIP)	Kids In Play (KIP) is a comprehensive programme to better meet the holistic needs of children and families with an incarcerated parent. KIP programme adopts a child-centric approach that focuses on strengthening the bonds between incarcerated inmates and their family members, especially with children aged between 5 to 18 years old.
54	The TENG Company Ltd.	In-School Programmes for Targeted Students (At-Risk Youths and Individuals with Special Needs)	The programme aims to enhance the self-confidence, self-esteem, social skills, and musical potential of at-risk youths and individuals with special needs through music. Through this, participants not only gain a sense of achievement and teamwork but also develop emotionally and socially
55	The TENG Company Ltd.	TENG Gives Back	Vulnerable groups in hospitals and nursing homes in Singapore have limited access to live musical performances. The programme seeks to share the gift of music with patients, seniors, and caregivers who are unable to attend concerts due to physical limitations and logistical difficulties; evoke positive emotions and support the healing process among terminally and chronically ill patients, and those undergoing haemodialysis; and bring comfort, joy, and familiarity through refreshing tunes to long-term residents of community hospitals, senior care centres, active aging centres and nursing homes.*
56	TOUCH Community Services Limited	ADAPT Programme	18-month upstream preventative mentoring programme that aims to build the mental and emotional resilience of youths-at-risk in Institute of Technical Education (ITE) with lower resilience or motivation and motivation, and/or moderate to high risk of attrition. Programme has been conducted at ITE College Central since 2021.
57	Yayasan MENDAKI	Women At Work (W@W) Programme	Programme provides a structured, holistic approach to support women aged 21 and above who seek to re-enter the workforce after a career break. The programme focuses on helping women overcome barriers to employment, regain confidence, upgrade their skills, and secure employment opportunities, and continue to remain relevant in post employment
58	Yellow Ribbon Fund	YRF Skills Training Assistance to Re-start (STAR) Bursary Case Management Services	The YRF STAR Bursary provides financial support to encourage inmates and ex-offenders who wish to pursue tertiary education and upskilling opportunities. To support them in their education pursuit, recipients of YRF STAR Bursary with course duration of more than 6 months will be assisted by case workers from CCSS to help them with other reintegration challenges. Networking sessions are also embedded into the programme design so that beneficiaries of the YRF STAR Bursary can share tips, encourage one another, develop prosocial networks and celebrate each other's achievements.
59	YMCA of Singapore	Vocational and Soft Skills Programme (VaSSP) 2.0	Programme aims to equip out-of-school and at-risk youth (14 to 21 years old), with soft and vocational skills to boost employability and workforce integration. This 9-month programme includes skills-building and casework to improve stability and support their transition into employment or education.