

**Services and Contact Details of
Drug Addiction Treatment Centres of
Correctional Services Department**

CSD currently runs two DATCs: the Hei Ling Chau Addiction Treatment Centre and Hei Ling Chau Addiction Treatment Centre (Annex).

2. The major components of the DATC programme are described as follows:
 - (a) Medical Services – A full medical service is provided to all inmates including detoxification, medical consultation, and promoting general health together with referral to specialist clinics or hospitals if needed.
 - (b) Counselling Services – Individual and group counselling sessions as well as specially designed “Relapse Prevention Courses” are conducted to help inmates consolidate their motivation to abstain from drug use and develop coping skills to deal with personal risks factors associated with drug use.
 - (c) Psychological Services – Psychological services including individual and group psychological interventions are provided to inmates to promote their psychological well-being, change their offending behaviour, strengthen their personal efficacies in dealing with craving and to prevent them from relapsing into drug use.
 - (d) Work Therapy and Job Training – Inmates are assigned to work which is commensurate with their capabilities, skills and physical fitness. A wide variety of job training in different trades including book binding, garment, laundry, envelop making, gardening, fibre glass work, kitchen and cleansing work are organised as well as basic bread making training course, cleaning services training course, construction industrial safety card course, environmental hygiene & cleaning worker training course, booth setting and decoration training course, cleaning skills and pest control training course, horticulture worker retraining course and removal and logistic training course.
 - (e) Education – Formal education is provided to all young inmates with a view to promoting their general education and fostering good habit of self-study.

Subjects taught include English, Chinese, Mathematics, self and social development and computer subjects. Adult inmates may attend educational courses on a voluntary basis.

- (f) Physical education and Recreation – To promote the general health of the inmates, physical education sessions are conducted by qualified physical education instructors. A wide variety of activities are offered at leisure hours so that inmates may learn to make good use of their spare time for healthy activities.

Assessment of Progress of Inmates

3. In order to strengthen the inmates' motivation, a promotion system comprising three stages of Initial Grade, Treatment Grade and Pre-release Grade is adopted during their stay in an addiction treatment centre.

4. Inmates' efforts, attitude, performance, progress and response towards the treatment programme are monitored and assessed regularly by DATC staff, and taking into account by the Board of Review when considering promotion and release of inmates. The first review of an inmate will be conducted within two months from his admission to a DATC. Thereafter the Board will assess his performance at least once a month.

Supervision Service

5. There are two specific objectives of the supervision services, namely, to facilitate the inmates' rehabilitation and reintegration into the community through fostering support between inmates, their families and the staff of CSD; and to help inmates lead a drug-free, law-abiding and industrious life after release.

6. Inmates released from DATCs are subject to 12 months' statutory aftercare period. During the supervision period, a supervisee may be recalled for a further period of detention if found in breach of any of the supervision conditions.

Pre-release Programme

7. A “Pre-release Reintegration Orientation Course” is organised for inmates to assist their reintegration into the community. The course covers different areas such as social welfare services, adult education, legal assistance, labour legislation, medical services, employment services, job interviewing techniques, labour market, and human interaction skills.

Job Placement

8. Job placement will be arranged for each inmate through their family/relatives and friends, supervising officers and prospective employers.

Halfway House Facilities

9. Halfway house facilities are provided to those who are in need of accommodation, intensive supervision or encounter problems after release from DATCs. Currently, CSD operates two halfway houses, namely, the Bauhinia House and the Pelican House, for supervisees discharged from DATCs. The maximum capacities of these two houses are 24 and 20 respectively. The period of residence depends on individual progress, and is normally between one and two months.

Contact Details of DATCs

<i>Name of Institution</i>	<i>Address</i>	<i>Telephone</i>
Hei Ling Chau Addiction Treatment Centre	Hei Ling Chau Island	2986 6286
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