Dongjak-gu Social Welfare Facilities Managers

2026 Dongjak-gu Social Welfare Training

Exploring Community Integrated Care & Multi-Agency Cooperation





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Seoul Rehabilitation Center on Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities

Opened in 1986 to promote the welfare of people with developmental disabilities, we are a community-based facility operated under the entrustment of the Seoul Metropolitan Government. Our comprehensive services support people with developmental disabilities in living ordinary lives in the community.

Guided by our mission to **"Open the World, Meet People,"** we help each person step out into the community, build relationships, and live the life they choose.

Our vision is to be a **"Community Design Agency for Inclusion"** — working together with people with developmental disabilities, their families, and the community to design a society in which everyone belongs.

1986	8 Teams	8,608	264
Year opened	54 Employees	Registered users	Users per day

Established by Seoul Metropolitan Government

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Seoul Nambu Sheltered Workshop

- Bringing Opportunity and Hope to Individuals with Severe Disabilities -

About Us

Our sheltered workshop provides employment opportunities for adults with severe disabilities who face barriers to competitive employment, offering vocational training, job placement support, and earned income to help them lead independent lives.

We also support comprehensive social inclusion by offering social adaptation training, problem-solving programs, and diverse educational curricula essential for achieving social and economic independence as active members of the local community.

Facility Overview

■ **Staff : 7**

■ **Participants with Disabilities**

· Employed Workers : 24

· Vocational Trainees : 12

Programs & Services

■ Sheltered Employment

· Production and sale of in-house manufactured product: **"Dodam Red Ginseng Extract"**

· Operation of the coffee truck **"NAMBUSTAR"**

· Assembly tasks (waterproof sockets, power outlets, etc.) and packaging tasks (colored pencils, ballpoint pens, etc.)

■ Vocational Adaptation Training

· Personal and social life skills, vocational preparation and execution, job competency enhancement, and employment retention

■ Social Adaptation Training

· Day of Persons with Disabilities events, **"Nambu-Hue"** (retreat for members with disabilities), **"Nambu Birthday"** (birthday celebrations for members with disabilities), **"Yogi Eottae"** (seasonal experiential activities), and **year-end celebrations**

■ Problem-Solving Training

· **"Sonamu"** Captain Council (operation of a self-governing council for members with disabilities)







Date of Establishment 1986. 12.12

Seoul Southern Community Rehabilitation Center

Center Introduction

As a living history of welfare for people with disabilities, Nambu plays a leading role in creating value through "togetherness" within the local community, faithfully championing a "person-centered practice."

We engage with each individual as a dignified, fully autonomous being focusing on their life and happiness, and providing the best possible support tailored to their unique context.

Respecting the dignity and personal story of each individual, we foster growth by centering our approach on the person's own decisions and agency. Through practices that promote a shared, happy life, we provide the support necessary for individuals to realize their unique strengths and dreams within the local community.

About us

Date of Establishment
1986. 12. 12.

Established by
Seoul Metropolitan Government

Number of Employees
11 Teams 67 Employees

Number of clients
5,401(individuals)
83,670 (in divdual * day)

Major Programs and Services
Counseling, Case management, life long education, Function Enhencement, Empioyment support

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Date of Establishment 1990. 1(

Heukseok Community Welfare Center

About us

Established in October 1990 as Bon-dong Community Welfare Center, the institution relocated to its newly constructed building in November 2023 and was renamed Heukseok Community Welfare Center. The relocation was necessary due to the aging condition of the previous building and geographical limitations that restricted accessibility.

Heukseok Community Welfare Center is a community-based social welfare center located in Heukseok-dong, Dongjak-gu, Seoul, South Korea.

We communicate and collaborate with local residents to promote their well-being and improve their quality of life by providing a wide range of social welfare services.

General Information

Date of Establishment 1990. 10.
Number of Employees 25
Daily Number of Service Users 500

Mission & Vision

Renewal, Positive Change, and Hope for the Future

Renewal:
Realizing community-centered social welfare.

Positive Change:
Growing into a welcoming and enjoyable space for everyone

Hope We Create Together:
Building a joyful community through participation and sharing

Major Programs and Services

1. Middle-aged Adults and Older Adults
Heukseok Senior Academy, Morang Restaurant, Daily Living Support Services, Senior Employment and Social Activity Support Programs

2. Children, Adolescents, and Families
Kkamangdol ABC, Mokkogi Family Program, Dongjak-gu Healthy Meals Program, Dawon Counseling Center Family Volunteer Group "Pogeunhan Uri" (Warm Community)

3. Local Residents and Community Development
A Comma for the Heart, an Exclamation Mark for Happiness!, Health Plus Lounge, Community-Based Case Management, Heukseok Tong Village Community Project, Hope Ondol: Emergency Support for Vulnerable Households, Community Festivals, Community Space Sharing Program

4. Nangman Senior Lounge
A dedicated space where older adults can socialize, participa in activities, and enjoy meaningful leisure time.

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Date of Establishment 2015. 10.30

Dongjak 50 Plus Center

Center Introduction

The Dongjak 50 Plus Center is a supportive and caring partner for middle-aged and older adults in planning their second chapter of life and engaging in social participation. We provide tailored education and counseling services for life redesign, including learning and sharing, as well as employment and entrepreneurship, while creating social value through vibrant community activities.

We serve as a strong stepping stone to help middle-aged and older adults grow proactively within their communities by leveraging their experience and wisdom to find sustainable work and activities.

About us

Date of Establishment
2015. 10. 30.

Established by
Seoul Metropolitan Government and Dongjak District

Number of Employees
2 Teams 18 Employees

Number of clients
5,000(Clients served in 2026), 50,000(over the past 10years)

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https://50plus.or.kr/djc



Date of Establishment 2001. 7. 1.

Seoul Dongjak Self-Sufficiency Center

Center Introduction

"Established on July 1, 2001 under the National Basic Living Security Act with designation from the Ministry of Health and Welfare, Seoul Dongjak Self-Sufficiency Center is operated by Korea Welfare Services. Since its inception, the center has been at the forefront of implementing productive welfare and strengthening community solidarity to enhance economic independence and quality of life for low-income residents in Dongjak-gu.

We provide comprehensive, tailored self-reliance services—including vocational training, job placement support, self-sufficiency labor projects, social enterprise operation, asset building programs, and case management. Our goal goes beyond offering employment; we empower participants to proactively direct their lives and build a sustainable foundation for independence.

Additionally, through our Personal Assistance Services for Persons with Disabilities, we support independent living and social integration for individuals with severe disabilities, striving to foster an inclusive community where everyone thrives together.

About us

Established by Designated By
Designating Authorities:Ministry of Health and Welfare /Dongjak-gu Office

Operating Entity:
Korea Welfare Services (Est. July 1, 2001)
Key Roles & Services

Self-Sufficiency Projects:
Employment & income opportunities

Vocational Capacity Building:
Skills training & certifications

Job & Startup Support:
Placement & social enterprise setup

Disability Personal Assistance:
Daily care & mobility support

Case Management:
Customized counseling & asset building

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Date of Establishment 2009. 5. 8.

Sangdo Pureun Community Child Center

Center Introduction

Sangdo Pureun Community Child Center is a child welfare facility located in Sangdo-dong, Dongjak-gu, Seoul, South Korea. We support children in our local community so they can grow and thrive in a safe, welcoming, and caring environment. Our services include after-school care, learning support, nutritious meals, arts and cultural programs, and hands-on activities.

We value emotional support for children and close communication with their families. By connecting with local community resources, we also work to provide children with a wider range of learning opportunities and experiences.

At Sangdo Pureun Community Child Center, we respect every child as an individual and strive to be a dependable place where children feel at home and are encouraged to pursue their dreams.



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Dongjak-gu Counseling & Welfare Center for Youth

Established February 25, 2010

Connecting the Hearts of Dongjak-gu Youth

A safe connection. A stronger tomorrow.

Every young person can face challenges during adolescence. We provide professional counseling, information and tailored community support to help young people navigate emotional difficulties, discover hope and grow at their own pace.



Growing together • Group activities



Creative expression • Community programs

Individual Counseling

One-to-one counseling tailored to each young person's needs and circumstances, supporting emotional stability and personal growth.

Visiting Counseling

Youth Companion professionals meet young people in their everyday settings, providing emotional support, psychological assessment and community referrals.

Group Counseling

Peer-based programs in crisis prevention, social skills, career exploration, learning and social-emotional development.

Community Safety Net

Our Welfare Working Committee brings together education, police, healthcare and local partners to identify at-risk youth early and coordinate integrated support.

ABOUT US

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PARTICIPATING ORGANIZATIONS

- Sangdo Pureun Community Child Center
- Seoul Nambu Sheltered Workshop
- Seoul Metropolitan Welfare Center for Persons with Developmental Disabilities
- Heukseok Social Welfare Center
- Seoul Dongjak Self-Sufficiency Center
- Seoul Southern Community Rehabilitation Center
- Dongjak 50 Plus Center
- Dongjak-gu Counseling & Welfare Center for Youth
- Dongjak Out-of-School Youth Support Center

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