SWEP PERFORMANCE REPORT CARD OCTOBER 2019

The State-wide Equipment Program (SWEP) aims to provide eligible consumers with subsidised assistive technology (AT) to enhance independence in their home, facilitate community participation & support families & carer's in their role.

There are many subprograms for different types of AT items including: Aids & Equipment Program (A&EP Adults and Children); Repairs; Continence Aids (CA); Domiciliary Oxygen (DOP); Supported Accommodation Equipment Assistance Scheme (SAEAS); Vehicle Modification Subsidy Scheme (VMSS); Reissue; Lymphoedema Compression Garments Program (LCGP) and Laryngectomy Consumables Program (LCP).

Below is a basic breakdown of the achievements each program has made in the month of October 2019.

A&EP ADULT

This month we have:

- Received 957 applications for adults requiring assistance.
- Assisted 221 adults with funding towards their AT items.
- Assisted with the purchase of 509 individual AT items.

A&EP CHILD

This month we have:

- Received 23 applications for children requiring assistance.
- Assisted 18 children with funding towards their AT items.
- Assisted with the purchase of 18 individual AT items.

SAEAS

This month we have:

- Received 8 applications for consumers requiring assistance.
- Assisted 7 consumers with funding towards their AT items.
- Assisted with the purchase of 13 individual AT items.

DOP

This month we have:

- Received 125 applications for consumers requiring assistance.
- Assisted 3,396 consumers receiving oxygen.



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CONTINENCE AIDS

This month we have:

- Received 291 applications for consumers requiring assistance.
- Assisted 508 consumers with funding towards their products.
- Assisted with the purchase of 1,281 individual products.

VMSS

This month we have:

- Received 1 application for consumers requiring assistance.
- Assisted 3 consumers with funding towards their modifications.
- Assisted with the purchase of 6 individual modifications.

SWEP LCGP

This month we have:

- Received 139 applications for consumers requiring assistance.
- Assisted 122 consumers with funding towards their garments.
- Assisted with the purchase of 262 individual garments.

LARYNGECTOMY

This month we have:

- Received 21 applications for consumers requiring assistance.
- Assisted 22 consumers receiving laryngectomy consumables.
- The most common consumable purchase this month is Heat Moisture Exchanges.

REPAIRS

Our contracted Supplier for Repairs (Chemtronics) have attended to repairs of 818 AT items.

The most common items repaired this month were Scooters and Power Wheelchairs.

REISSUE

This month we have reissued 277 refurbished AT items to consumers requiring assistance.

We currently have 1,089 refurbished AT items in our warehouse and have collected 465 AT items that are no longer required and are pending refurbishment.



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