Councils of Social Welfare

Overview

Outline of Councils of Social Welfare

1. Outline of Councils of Social Welfare (as of February 15, 2011)

National Council of Social Welfare:
1 council

• Councils of social welfare in prefectures and designated cities: 65 councils

• Municipal counsil of social welfare: 1,899 councils

Source: National Council of Social Welfare

2. Major Projects Conducted by Municipal Councils of Social Welfare (actual status of FY2009)

(The numbers represent the percentage of municipal councils of social welfare which have implemented each project: %)

Planning		Formulation of community welfare activity plans	40.1
Consultation		Services to provide counseling on personal problems	79.2
		Services to provide counseling on welfare in general	62.0
Loan		Living welfare fund loan	96.2
		Emergency temporary loan/benefits	58.1
Activities in small communities*		Establishment of local Councils of Social Welfare	39.4
		Small community network activities	50.7
Resident participation/volunteer		Establishment of volunteer centers (corners, etc.)	92.4
		Establishing Fureai Ikiiki Salon (Side-by-side and lively Salon)	79.1
		In-home social welfare services management by councils with resident	
		participation (meal service, transfer service, house work support, etc.)	22.1
In-home welfare services	Insured long-term care services	Home-visit care services	71.7
		Commuting care services	49.6
		Home-Visit bathing care services	28.5
	Independence support benefits	In-home care services	67.4
		Home-visit care services for persons with severe disabilities	53.3
		Activity support services	17.3
Support for welfa	are service usage	Daily life and independence support services	37.8
Organizing and management support for associations for persons requiring support (and their families)		Association for persons with physical disabilities (and families)	62.3
		Association for persons with mental retardation (and families)	56.5
		Association for persons with mental disorders (and families)	30.5
		Association for the elderly with dementia (and families)	15.4
		Society of elderly living alone	15.4
		Association for the fatherless families	42.4
		Association for the motherless families	5.0
Affairs of organizations		Division/section of community chest	92.0
		Federation of elderly clubs	49.0
Support for children and child rearing families		Family support services	13.9
		After-school day-care (after-school child sound upbringing services)	15.2
		Support for organization and operation of children's society/children's clubs	16.1
		Operation of children's halls and children's centers	11.2
Others		Operation of small-scale workshops, etc.	8.9
		Transportation support services (community life support service)	39.8
		Prevention activities against malicious sales practices targeting	
		elderly and persons with disabilities, etc.	28.2
		Meal services	57.5
		Transfer services	45.9

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