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Free Supply of Daily Living Needs. Pocket Money of â, 15/-. Vocational Training Such as Korai & Coir Mat Weaving, According to Their Interest. Labour Charges of â, 120 /- for Mat.Recreations Such as TV, Radio, Musical Instrument, Besides Local Trips to Places of Interest and Temples. Annual Tour to Places of Interest. NOTE: Contact the authorities below in case of delay in disbursal of benefits: Puducherry: The Director, Directorate of Social Welfare, Saradhambal Nagar, Ellaipillaichavadhy, Puducherry. Karaikal: The Collector, Karaikal.Mahe/Yanam: The Regional Administrator, Mahe/Yanam. Eligibility The applicant should have a total absence of sight. The applicant should have a visual acuity not exceeding 6/60 or 20/200 in the better eye with correcting lenses. The applicant should have a limitation of field of vision sub standing an angle of 20 degree. The applicant should be above 20 years of age. "»; Application ProcessOfflineStep 1: The interested applicant should visit (during office hours) the Office/Sub-Office of the Department of Social Welfare, and request the hard copy of the prescribed format of the application form from the staff exclusively entrusted to issue and collect filled-in applications. Step 2: In the application form, fill in all the mandatory fields, paste the passport-sized photograph (signed across, if required), and attach copies of all the mandatory documents (self-attest, if required). Step 3: Submit the duly filled and signed application form along with the documents to the authority given below - Puducherry: The Deputy Director, Differently Abled Section, Directorate of Social Welfare. Karaikal: The Assistant Director, Social Welfare Department (Sub Office). Mahe / Yanam: The Welfare Officer (i\c), Social Welfare Department (Sub Office). Step 4: Request a receipt or acknowledgement from the concerned authority to whom the application has been submitted. Ensure that the receipt contains essential details such as the date and time of submission, and a unique identification number (if applicable).Documents RequiredAadhaar Card.Voter ID.Address Proof.Ration Card.Age Proof.Disability Certificate.Frequently Asked QuestionsWhat is the primary objective of the "Home for Visually Challenged Person" scheme? The scheme aims to provide care and protection to visually impaired male individuals who lack basic necessities. What are the key benefits offered under this scheme? Beneficiaries receive free food and shelter, daily living needs, â, 15 pocket money, and vocational training in activities like Korai & Coir Mat Weaving. What is the vocational training provided, and how does it align with the beneficiaries' interests? Beneficiaries undergo vocational training, including Korai & Coir Mat Weaving, tailored to their individual interests. How are the labor charges for mat weaving addressed under the scheme? The scheme provides a labor charge of â, 120 for the production of mats by the visually impaired individuals. Besides basic needs, what recreational activities are offered to beneficiaries? Recreational activities include access to TV, radio, musical instruments, local trips, and an annual tour to places of interest. What should an applicant do in case there is a delay in receiving the scheme benefits? In case of delays, applicants can contact designated authorities based on their location in Puducherry, Karaikal, Mahe, or Yanam. What are the eligibility criteria regarding the absence of sight for applicants? The primary eligibility criterion is the total absence of sight for individuals seeking benefits under the scheme. What is the acceptable visual acuity for applicants under this scheme? Applicants should have a visual acuity not exceeding 6/60 or 20/200 in the better eye with correcting lenses. What is the specified limitation for the field of vision for an applicant to be eligible? Eligible applicants should have a limitation of field of vision, substantiated by an angle of 20 degrees. Is there an age requirement for individuals to apply for this scheme? Yes, applicants should be above 20 years of age to qualify for the "Home for Visually Challenged Person" scheme. What geographical areas are covered under the scheme's contact points for delayed benefits? The contact points for delayed benefits include Puducherry, Karaikal, Mahe, and Yanam, each with designated authorities. Are female visually impaired individuals eligible for this scheme? The scheme specifically focuses on visually impaired male individuals for care and support. Can beneficiaries choose the vocational training based on their personal preferences?Yes, vocational training is customized according to the individual interests of visually impaired beneficiaries. Is there a provision for annual outings for the beneficiaries? Yes, the scheme includes an annual tour to places of interest as part of the recreational activities offered. How does the scheme contribute to the overall well-being of visually impaired individuals? The scheme addresses the holistic well-being by providing not just basic needs but also vocational training, recreational activities, and social engagement for the beneficiaries. Sources And References Guidelines Citizen's Charter Contact UsSub Offices Grievance Redressal OkWas this helpful? News and UpdatesNo new news and updates availableShareSomething went wrong. Please try again later.OkYou need to sign in before applying for schemesCancelSign InSomething went wrong. 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