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Priority:

Adult Education Programme (AEP) to be re-structured

The Ministry of Social Development and Family Services advises that the **Adult Education Programme (AEP)**, is not operational at this time. The Ministry is aware that the information brochure about the Programme is being circulated across various media, advising persons to sign up. In this regard, the Ministry informs that consistent with its ongoing transformation process, aimed at improving its social services delivery, to be more responsive and multifaceted; the Adult Education Programme is being re-purposed to respond to the needs of the many vulnerable clients and families in our society.

To this end, the new, fit for purpose AEP will, among other things, enhance our clients' ability to transition from welfare to self-sufficiency, focusing on areas such as micro enterprise, coaching and mentoring, allowing them to lead more sustainable lives.

Members of the public can look forward to more information on the newly-structured Adult Education Programme in the future.

Persons may make enquiries by calling toll free – 800 – 1MSD (1673) or message us on our social media platforms. In this regard, persons should avoid crowding the Ministry's offices to enquire about the Programme.

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