

# Light & Salt Association Special Needs Caring Center

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### Special Needs Caring Center Mission Statement 使命宣言

Our mission is to improve the quality of life among people affected by physical and intellectual disabilities, including increasing public awareness on the day-to-day issues faced by these individuals and their families.

改善身心障礙者的生活品質,呼籲大眾重視這些問題

### Objectives: 目標

**General Services Network Services** Consultation **Project SMILE** 篩檢和早期診斷 **Saturday Program** Increase Public **Support Group Awareness of** Counseling 微笑計劃 developmental 周末課程 disabilities: Outreach • 互助小組 events, mass and small media (喚起公眾注意) 單獨輔導,咨詢服務

#### Consultation

- \* Pre-Screen
- Consultation/ Navigation (Class, Social Security, Medicare, etc)
- \* Referral
- Linguistically relevant
- \* Free

### Resource sharing/Advocacy

- \* Sharing information on local resources
- Meeting with State and City officials
- \* Partnering with Local organizations

### Project SMILE 微笑計劃

S: Self advocacy 自我提升

M: Moving towards good health 向健康邁進

I: Independent living 獨立生活

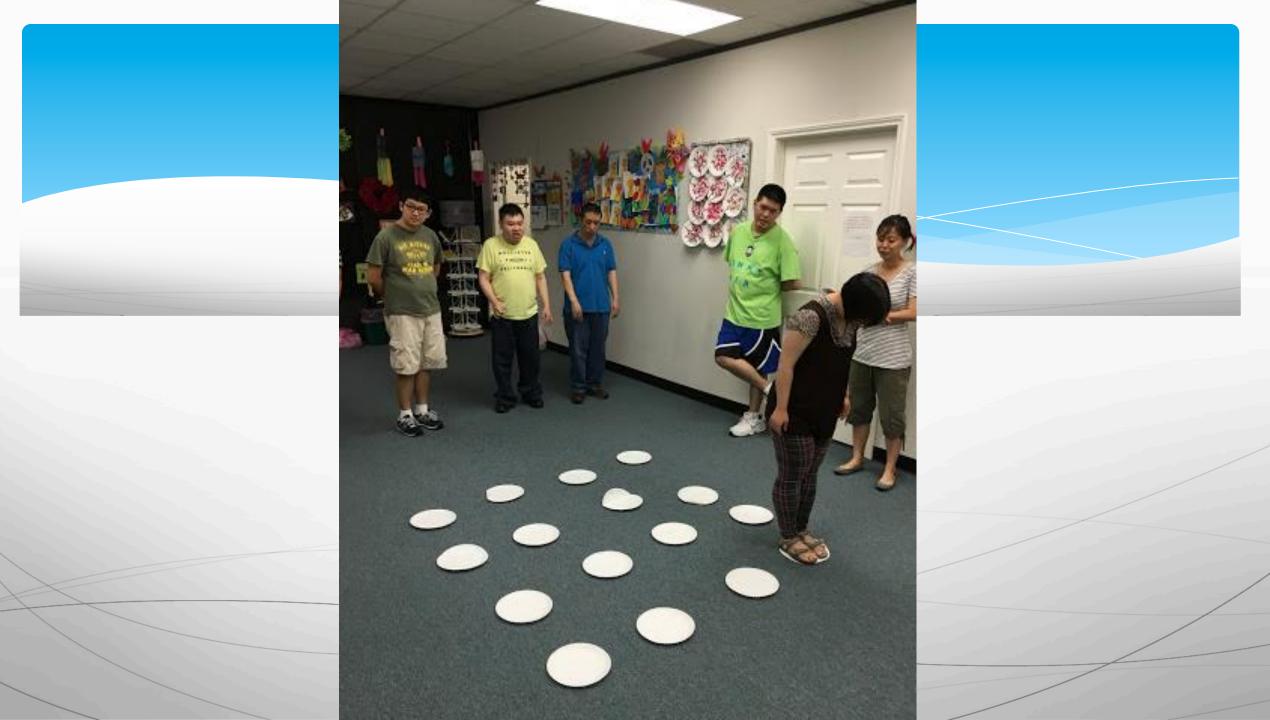
L: Learning basic job skills 學習基本工作技能

E: Emotion regulation skills 情緒管控

\* Focus on individuals age 19 and older who are diagnosed with developmental disabilities





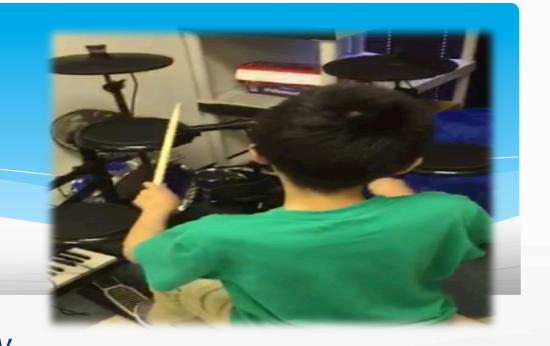


### Saturday Program

- Seminar led by local professionals for parents
- \* Music Therapy
- \* 1 on 1 Counseling
- \* Engaging activities for children (sensory center, sports)
- \* Educational class time

## Feedback from a parent...

When my son first attended the music therapy class, he could only work 5 minutes. But after one year in the program, today he happily participated in the entire class (30 minutes). Amazing! Light and Salt should be given the credits and Ms. Peng is best. She knows how to work with these kids.







- \* Assistance and support offered by SNCC
  - \* Largely run by families

### Satisfaction Survey

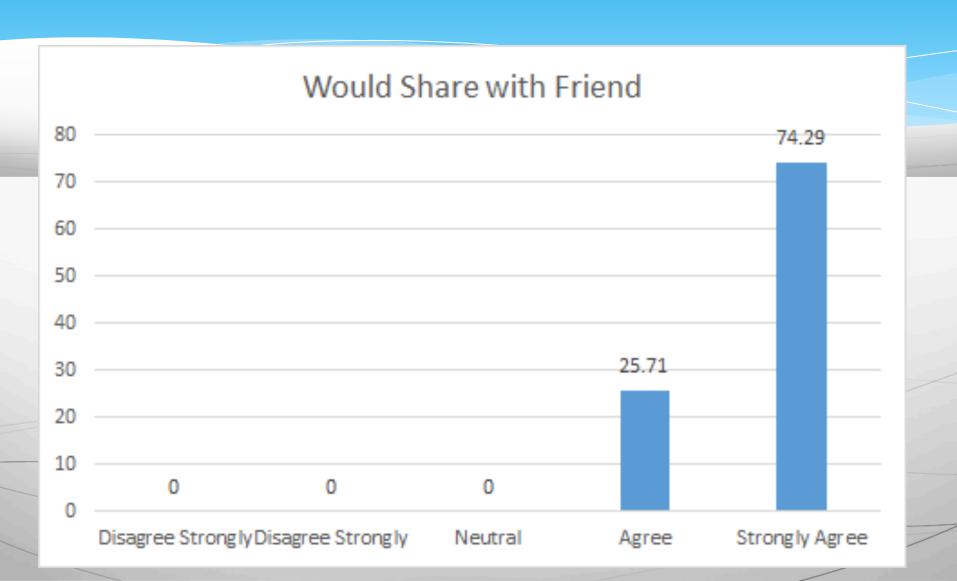
We offered a Simple 8 Question survey on service satisfaction to all our families in our network.

- 1= Strongly Disagree
- 2= Disagree
- 3= Neutral
- 4= Agree
- 5= Strongly Agree
- 35 responses

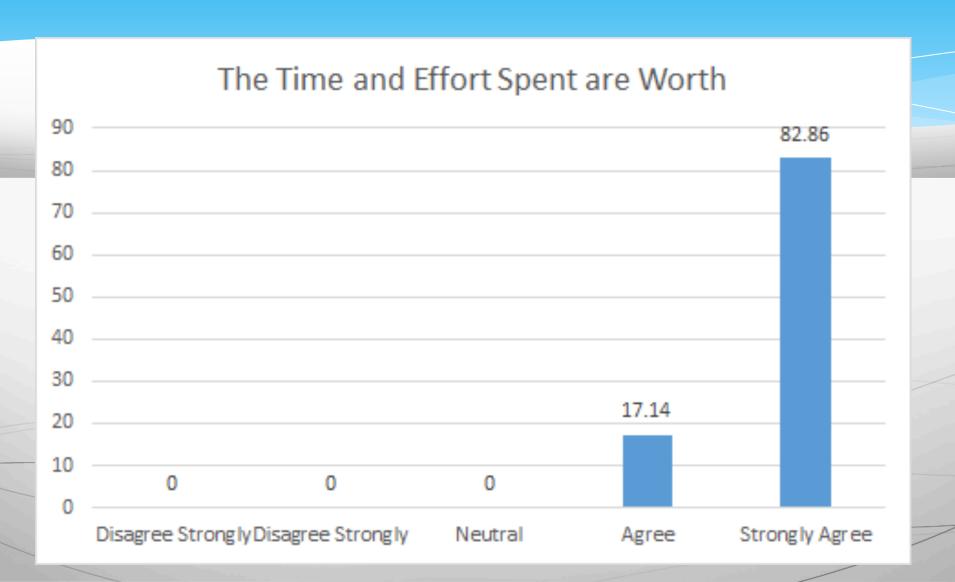
### **Survey Questions**

- 1. I would share LSA services with my friends
- 2. LSA helped me reach my goals
- 3. LSA staff are organized and friendly
- 4. The time and effort I spent in LSA activity are worth
- 5. LSA staff can handle emergency and difficulty well
- 6. I feel this activity is helpful to my current situation
- 7. LSA staff provided me opportunity to express my thoughts
- 8. LSA staff have great teamwork

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