



Jamiyah Singapore

CESSATION OF OPERATIONS OF JAMIYAH CHILDREN'S HOME (DARUL MA'WA)

AND INTENSIFICATION OF JAMIYAH FAMILY-CENTRED SERVICES

Jamiyah Children's Home (*Darul Ma'wa*) was managed by Jamiyah Singapore for the last 28 years as a children's residential care facility under the Ministry of Social and Family Development (MSF). As the community's needs and the wider national social landscape change, Jamiyah too need to adapt its policies and operations. In this regard, Jamiyah will no longer be managing *Darul Ma'wa*. However, we wish to emphasize that this does not spell the end of our care and service for the community's socio-welfare needs, especially for children from the lower-income families.

We shall now focus our resources towards providing a more comprehensive and holistic family-centric service, especially to the low-income families with school-going children. By optimizing resources that were thus far used to manage the Children's Home, Jamiyah will now be able to reach out, and extend help to more children with families, including orphans and children of single parents in the community. Hence, the community could expect to see more effective social assistance programmes and educational support that will benefit not only the needy children but their families too.

It is important that we inform our stakeholders that while Jamiyah Children's Home will cease operations from 14 December 2021, our care and services to children of such Homes will indeed proceed uninterrupted in the form of community-based family-centred services.

The Jamiyah's Executive Council, management and staff, would like to take this opportunity to thank all our donors, supporters and volunteers for their years of generosity and benevolence. As we continue our mission, albeit with a different strategic approach, we trust that they will similarly continue their unswerving support to us – through donations and other means - in our commitment to lend a helping hand to those in dire need of such support.

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Thank you!