

Module 6 - Child Care Institutions (CCIs) under JJ Act

Session 2: Functioning processes of various CCIs

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Let's now discuss in detail about these key functions of CCIs.

Restoration of CNCP as per (Section 40 of the JJ Act, 2015)

1. The restoration and protection (to the parents, adoptive parents, foster parents, guardian or fit person) of a child shall be the prime objective of any Children's Home, SAA or Open Shelter.
2. The Children's Home, SAA or an Open Shelter shall take such steps as are considered necessary for the restoration and protection of a child deprived of his family environment temporarily or permanently where such child is under their care and protection.
3. The Committee shall have the powers to restore any CNCP to his parents, guardian or fit person, after determining the suitability of the parents or guardian or fit person to take care of the child, and give them suitable directions.

Rehabilitation and reintegration services in institutions registered under JJ Act and management thereof.

What are the functioning processes related to the rehabilitation and reintegration services for CNCP in CCIs? Let's learn.

As per (Section 53, JJ Act, 2015,

1. The services that shall be provided by the institutions registered under this Act in the process of rehabilitation and re-integration of children, may include:
 - I. basic requirements such as food, shelter, clothing and medical attention as per the prescribed standards;
 - II. equipment such as wheel chairs, prosthetic devices, hearing aids, Braille kits, or any other suitable aids and appliances as required, for children with special needs;
 - III. appropriate education, including supplementary education, special education, and appropriate education for children with special needs (For children between the age of six to

- IV. fourteen years, the provisions of the Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Act, 2009 shall apply);
- V. skill development;
- VI. occupational therapy and life skill education;
- VII. mental health interventions, including counselling specific to the needs of the children;
- VIII. recreational activities including sports and cultural activities;
- IX. legal aid where required;
- X. referral services for education, vocational training, de-addiction, treatment of diseases where required;
- XI. case management including preparation and follow up of individual care plan;
- XII. birth registration;
- XIII. assistance for obtaining proof of identity, where required; and
- XIV. any other service that may reasonably be provided in order to ensure the well-being of the child, either directly by the State Government, registered or fit individuals or institutions or through referral services.