

Stairway's Counseling Program for Child Sexual Abuse Victims

The SFI Counseling Program in the Manila office is designed to serve the counseling and mental health needs of survivors of child sexual abuse. It will provide individual and group counseling free of charge for children referred by partner organizations, government agencies and selected schools and institutions. Number of clients to be accommodated for the counseling services will be limited for a time so it will be on a first come, first served basis.

Our Key Objectives include:

1. The provision of direct counseling service and intervention
2. Equipping and capacitating Stairway partner institutions with the necessary skills in handling CSA cases
3. Enhancing and strengthening partnership with other agencies and organizations who are also promoting the same advocacy
4. To collate data and conduct qualitative research studies to further enhance the provision of services for child sexual abuse victims.



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SERVICES OFFERED

Group and individual counseling
 Psychotherapy
 Assessment and referral services
 Psycho-educational workshops
 Para-counseling training
 Parent/family and agency case conferences
 Showing of SFI animations/pamphlets

STATEMENT OF ELIGIBILITY FOR SERVICES

- Only referrals from partner organizations and identified students from partner institutions with child abuse related cases are eligible to receive services at the SFI counseling center.
 - Any child and adolescent below 18 years of age, male or female, may avail the counseling services.
- Clients shall be referred to other centers should their needs extend beyond the scope of practice or resources available through the SFI Counseling Center. Examples of services beyond those offered of the program include psychiatric services and other complex cases requiring intensive psychological treatment.
- SFI Counseling Services does not offer forensically oriented or court mandated services to referrals from the partner organizations.

REFERRAL REQUIREMENTS

Prior availing the counseling service, referring organization/ party shall submit the following documents via email at fab@stairwayfoundation.org or may be mailed to Stairway Foundation, Inc. Manila Extension Office: Ground Floor 1, Building 1 Emilio Aguinaldo College, #1113-1117 San Marcelino St., Ermita Manila 1000:

- Endorsement letter/ Request letter for counseling
- Social Case Study Report
- Scanned/photocopy of previous psychological/psychiatric evaluation (if any)
- Medico-legal report (if available)
- Any other relevant documents



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