

## 機構簡史 History

基督教家庭服務中心於1954年由美國長老會宣教士文美莉女士(Miss Muriel Boone)創立。主旨在提供物資、經濟援助及輔導服務予當時從中國大陸來港之北方難民。本會原址位於旺角洗衣街221號,1965年遷至現址觀塘翠屏道3號。

隨著社會需要,本會工作逐步拓展,迄今已演變為一所多元化服務機構。

本會早期倚賴海外教會捐款支持,自1969年起,香港政府及公益金按年撥款資助各類服務開支,工作得以穩步發展。

Christian Family Service Centre was established in 1954 by Miss Muriel Boone, a United Presbyterian missionary, to help Mandarin speaking refugees. Material aid, financial support and guidance in finding jobs were provided to needy families. The Agency was first located in 221 Sai Yee Street, Mongkok and moved to 3 Tsui Ping Road, Kwun Tong in 1965.

Over the years, the Agency's work gradually extended and it has now developed into a multi-service agency.

In the early years, it was necessary to depend on gifts from churches overseas to finance the programme. However, the Hong Kong Government and The Community Chest have started to provide financial support as well since 1969.