## The Comprehensive Social Security Assistance (CSSA) Scheme Special grants to be extended to eligible non-elderly able-bodied recipients

The Social Welfare Department will extend the following special grants under the CSSA Scheme to eligible non-elderly able-bodied recipients with effect from 1 February 2021:

<u>Housing-related</u>: Telephone-related grant [extending to all recipients aged 18 or above on a household basis (except those living in homes)], Grant for rent deposit, Grant for water, electricity and gas/liquefied petroleum gas deposits for accommodation in public rental housing (also extending to private housing), Domestic removal grant (only extending to single-parent households), Grant for renewal of electrical fittings

<u>Medical and rehabilitation-related</u>: Grant to cover fees for community support services for the elderly (only extending to able-bodied adults aged 60 to 64), Grant to cover cost of glasses, Grant to cover cost of dental treatment, Special diet allowance (only extending to cases with certified medical needs)

<u>Child care-related</u>: Grant to cover babysitting charges (only extending to cases with all able-bodied adults in households engaging in employment), Grant to cover maintenance payment to a relative/friend for provision of board and lodging for a child (only extending to cases with all able-bodied adults in households engaging in employment)