

Did you know that about 82,000 Singaporeans – one in 10 above 60, live with dementia? As our nation ages rapidly, we are taking meaningful steps to support our community.

Singapore Pools has designated five outlets in Bukit Batok, Bukit Gombak, Clementi and Yishun as dementia go-to-points (GTPs) in support of Dementia-Friendly Singapore. Spearheaded by the Ministry of Health and supported by the Agency for Integrated Care (AIC), GTPs serve as safe spaces where individuals with dementia can seek assistance when needed.



These GTPs are serving the community in two key ways:



Providing dementia care resources for the neighbourhood including information and connections to support and services

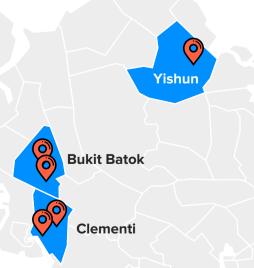


Serve as 'safe return' points for residents to bring lost seniors or persons living with dementia.

Our staff have completed the AIC e-learning module to recognise signs of dementia and follow established GTP protocols. Our outlets are tagged to the nearest GTP and our trained staff would bring lost seniors or persons living with dementia to the nearest GTP so that they can wait comfortably while we reach out to their caregivers. Additionally, we also connect families to dementia care and mental health-related services through the Community Resource, Engagement and Support Team and Community Intervention Team programmes.

By joining the growing network of businesses helping to make Singapore dementia-friendly, we hope to foster a more understanding and supportive community so persons living with dementia can navigate life with dignity and confidence.

Together, we can build a more inclusive Singapore, one community at a time!



The current designated outlets as below:

Singapore Pools Bukit Batok Central: Blk 642 Bukit Batok Central #01-56

Singapore Pools Bukit Gombak: Blk 374 Bukit Batok St 31 #01-170

Singapore Pools Clementi N3: Blk 325 Clementi Avenue 5 #01-145

Singapore Pools Clementi Town Centre: Blk 446 Clementi Avenue 3 #01-183

Singapore Pools Northpoint City: 930 Yishun Avenue 2 #02-03 (North Wing)

The list of islandwide Dementia GTPs are available on CARA App, DementiaHub.SG, HealthHub.sg. and OneMap. gov.sg.

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