

## What do we do?

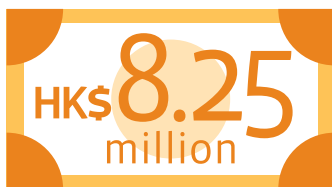
“Delivering financial support to current or former construction workers and their families is the foundation of our charitable work.”

## When do we provide assistance?

When current or former construction workers experience financial hardship because they are temporarily or permanently unable to work as a result of



## What assistance do we provide?



of financial assistance given in last 4 years

176 cases



supported in last 4 years



Monthly Pension payments

or



Lump Sum payments

## Contact us

If you, or someone you know, might be eligible for assistance and you wish to understand more about how the HKBF may be able to help, please contact us for a confidential discussion:



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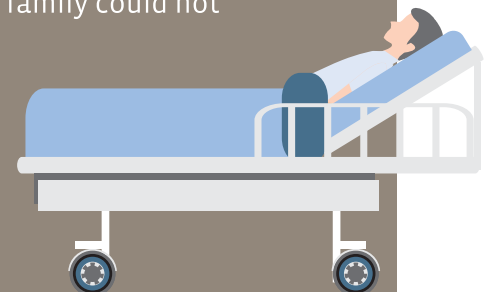


## Help for the whole family

Ah Ming, a construction worker, suffered serious burns and ultimately passed away in hospital, after a gas water heater exploded when he was taking a shower in the dormitory accommodation provided by his employer. HKBF stepped in and provided financial relief with a monthly pension of HK\$5,100 and an education allowance of HK\$850 to help Ah Ming's widow look after her daughter and her 80 year old mother in law.

## Reuniting a family

Bamboo scaffolder Ah Chor was paralysed after falling from height at a construction site and is now a quadriplegic. After more than a year of treatment and rehabilitation he had recovered to the extent that, subject to having certain specialist equipment at his home, he could move back and live with his family once again. As Ah Chor's family could not afford the specialist equipment HKBF provided over HK\$210,000 for the purchase of a high-powered outdoor wheelchair, a second indoor wheelchair, a specialist bed and mattress, a hoist and special bathroom equipment. This enabled Ah Chor to be reunited with his wife and two children in the family home.



## Support in times of need

Marcus, a young structural engineer with a happy family and two young children, was diagnosed with Acute Myeloid Leukemia in 2014. In 2015 a suitable bone marrow donor was identified, but as the donor was overseas the cost of the transplant could not be covered by the Hong Kong public health system. The case was referred to the Lighthouse Club, and the HKBF helped by paying part of the transplant costs so that Marcus would not miss his chance of recovering.

HKBF also supported Marcus and his family during his recovery by providing a monthly pension of HK\$5,100 and a monthly education allowance of HK\$1,700. This allowed his wife to stay at home to take care of Marcus and their young children.

