



**SECOND FAMILY RESEARCH NETWORK (FRN) FORUM:
“EMPOWERING VULNERABLE FAMILIES”**

*Wednesday, 25 February 2009
Seminar Room 2, Level 4, Civil Service College*

PROGRAMME

1.45 pm – 2.00 pm **Registration**

SESSION I

2.00 pm – 2.10 pm ***Opening Remarks &
Introduction by Session Moderator***

Dr Yap Mui Teng
Senior Research Fellow
Institute of Policy Studies

2.10 pm – 2.40 pm ***Challenges to Vulnerable Families and Policy Responses***

Ms Denise Low
Deputy Director (Social Assistance)
ComCare and Social Support Division
Ministry of Community Development, Youth and Sports

2.40 pm – 3.10 pm ***Rallying to Help the Needy: Experiences from the Ground***

Mrs Khoo Soo Fern
Deputy General Manager (Social Assistance)
Southeast Community Development Council

3.10 pm – 3.30 pm **Discussion**

3.30 pm – 3.45 pm **Tea Break**

SESSION II

3.45pm – 3.50 pm ***Introduction by Session Moderator***

Dr Irene Ng
Assistant Professor
Department of Social Work
Faculty of Arts & Social Sciences
National University of Singapore

- 3.50 pm – 4.20 pm ***Social Services to Vulnerable Families and the Role of Outcomes Monitoring***
- Ms Angela Yak
Assistant Director
Service Development Division
National Council of Social Service
- 4.20 pm – 4.50 pm ***The Challenge of Family Conflict Resolution in Asia***
- Prof Stella Quah
Department of Sociology
Faculty of Arts & Social Sciences
National University of Singapore
- 4.50 pm – 5.10 pm **Discussion**
- 5.10 pm – 5.15 pm **Closing Session**
- 5.15 pm **End of Programme**



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