

# Benefits & Privileges for the Registered PWD (OKU)

## Registration as Persons with Disabilities (OKU)

Persons with disabilities (OKU) are those who have long-term physical, mental, intellectual, or sensory disabilities that, when interacting with various obstacles, can hinder their full and effective participation in society. Disabled persons who are citizens of Malaysia are encouraged to register as an OKU with the Welfare Department's online portal: <http://www.jkm.gov.my> or <http://oku.jkm.gov.my/smoku>.

## The benefits and privileges for the registered OKU are as follows:

### Reduction of Motor Vehicle License Fees to RM2.00 for Unmodified National Cars and to RM1.00 for Modified Cars

- For physical disabilities only.
- For locally made cars, vans, and motorcycles only
  - Please visit: <http://www.jpj.gov.my/web/main-site/jpj2u> for more information.

### Public Transportation Facilities

- Discounts of up to 50% for OKU and the elderly (60 years and above) on all public transportation fees.
- 50% discount on domestic flights with Malaysia Airlines (MAS) (excluding online purchases).
  - Please visit: <http://rapidkl.com.my>, <http://www.ktmb.com.my>, <http://malaysiaairlines.com> for more information.

### National Education Programmes

- Special Education Schools
- Integrated Special Education Programme (PPKI)
- Inclusive Education Programme
  - Please visit: <http://www.moe.gov.my> for more information.

### Financial Aid for OKU School Students

- RM150.00 monthly allowance for OKU students in primary and secondary schools.
  - Please visit: <http://www.moe.gov.my> for more information.

## Financial Aid for OKU University Students

- Given to OKU students enrolled in full-time tertiary education (diploma and above) at private and public higher education institutions (IPTS and IPTAs), as well as community colleges and polytechnics.
- The financial aid for OKU students enrolled in public higher education institutions for full-time courses encompasses tuition fees, living expenses of up to RM5000.00 per annum, or RM20,000.00 for the duration of study.
- The financial aid for OKU students enrolled in private higher education institutions for part-time or distance learning courses are given RM5000.00 per annum or RM20,000.00 for the duration of study to cover the costs of tuition fees only.
  - Please visit: [https://biasiswa.moe.gov.my/bk\\_oku](https://biasiswa.moe.gov.my/bk_oku) for more information.

## Financial Aid for Special Education Programme (PPK) in Polytechnics & Community Colleges

- Provided to OKU students enrolled in the Special Education Programme or PPK (special skills certificate) at selected polytechnics.
- The PPK financial aid amounts to RM3660.00 for the first semester, and RM3360.00 for subsequent semesters up to the fourth semester. This amount covers tuition fees, living expenses, boarding and additional learning expenses.
  - Please visit: [https://biasiswa.moe.gov.my/bk\\_oku](https://biasiswa.moe.gov.my/bk_oku) for more information.

## 50% Discount for Tuition Fees at the Open University Malaysia (OUM)

- Please visit: <http://www.oum.edu.my> for more information.

## Dedicated Channel for OKU Admissions in IPTAs

- OKU student admissions are done through a dedicated channel without competing with mainstream students, and are based only on minimum qualifications.
- University placements are matched with the relevant field and suitable facilities available at the IPTA.
  - Please visit: <http://www.portal.moe.gov.my> for more information.

## Rehabilitation Opportunities, Training at Rehabilitation Institutions, Training for OKU

- Community-based Rehabilitation Centers (PDK)
- Industrial Training & Industrial Rehabilitation Center (PLPP, Bangi)
- Taman Sinar Harapan (for learning disabilities)
- Sheltered workshops (for the disabled that are able to work but are not able to compete in the mainstream job market).
  - Please visit: <http://www.jkm.gov.my> for more information.

## Waiver on Fee and Renewal of Company Registration

- Please visit: <http://www.ssm.com.my> for more information.

## Code of Practice for Access of Disabled Persons

- Accessibility guidelines for public amenities, public transportation, indoor and outdoor facilities so that they are accessible and usable by OKU.
  - Please visit: <https://mysol.jsm.gov.my/> for more information.

## Income Tax Exemption Incentives

- Additional tax exemption for employers that train and employ OKU.
- Tax exemption of up to RM6000.00 for taxpayers with OKU children.
- Tax exemption of up to RM6000.00 for special devices for personal use, or use by OKU children/parents.
- Personal tax exemption of up to RM6000.00 for OKU taxpayers, and RM3500.00 for OKU spouse.
  - Please visit: <http://e.hasil.org.my> for more information.

## Subsidised Home Rental Rates from DBKL

- Please visit: <http://www.dbkl.com.my> for more information.

## 20% Discount for Home Purchasing by SPNB

- Please visit: <http://www.spnb.com.my> for more information.

## Exemption from Medical Treatment Fees

- Fees Class 3 Ward admissions in public hospitals.
- Fees for Medical Specialists.
- Costs for medicines.
- Only applicable at public hospitals.
  - Please visit: <http://www.moh.gov.my> for more information.

## Fee Exemption for MyKad registration, Birth/Death Certificate Search

- Please visit: <http://www.jpn.gov.my> for more information.

## Fee Exemption for Travel Document (Passport) registration

- Please visit: <http://www.imi.gov.my> for more information.

## Increasing Employment Opportunities for OKU

- Service Circular No. 16 of 2010: Policy states that 1% of positions in the public sector is allocated to OKU.
- Employment applications can be done online.
  - Please visit: <http://jtksm.gov.my> for more information.

## OKU Entrepreneurial Incentive Scheme (SBGPOKU)

- Has been in business for a minimum of 3 months.
- Must be 18 years old or older.
- Individuals or groups.
- One-off grant.
  - Please visit: <http://jtksm.gov.my> for more information.

## Import Duty Exemption on Support Devices

- Please visit: <http://www.treasury.gov.my> for more information.

## 100% Excise Duty Exemption on OKU Vehicles

- Physical, hearing and speech disabilities.
- Possesses a driving licence.
- Applicable to local cars only (Proton and Perodua).
- Prohibited from ownership transfers or sales of the vehicle for 5 years, unless with permission from the Ministry of Finance.
- 1 vehicle for every 5 years.
  - Please visit: <http://www.treasury.gov.my> for more information.

## Lifetime Pension Issuance to Disabled Children

- Given to disabled children of civil servants who have passed away.
  - Please visit: <http://www.jpa.gov.my> for more information.

## Flexible Working Hours

- Flexible working arrangements to allow civil servants with disabled children to manage their additional welfare and needs.
  - Please visit: <http://www.jpa.gov.my> for more information.

## Penyayang Package by Telekom Malaysia (TM)

- Free monthly residential landline services.
- Free calls to the Phone Directory Service (103).
- Free telephone services such as Call Waiting and Call Forwarding services.
  - Please visit: <http://www.tm.com.my> for more information.

## Financial Aid

- General aid (monthly aid varies by state).
- Disabled Employee Allowance (EPC).
- Aid for OKU workers that are no longer able to work (BTB).
- Aid for Bedridden OKU/Bedridden Chronic Patients (BPT).
- Launching grant.
- Aid for support devices.
  - Please visit: <https://www.jkm.gov.my> for more information.

## Takaful Products by Agro Nurani

- Offered to OKU between 16 and 45 years old.
- Benefits include death coverage, death due to accident, death due to illnesses, and cash allowances for hospitalisation due to accidents.
- Coverage for funeral expenses.
  - Please visit: <http://www.agrobank.com.my> for more information.

## Allianz Ability Life Insurance Plan

- Offered to OKU between 16 and 70 years old.
- Premium rates start from RM50.00 for a coverage of RM 25,000.00.
  - Please visit: <http://www.allianz.com.my> for more information.

## Consultation and Counselling Services

- Please visit: <https://www.jkm.gov.my> for more information.

## National Sports Prize for Paralympic Athletes

- Please visit: <http://www.nsc.gov.my> for more information.

## Entrance Fee Exemption to Zoo Negara

- Please visit: <http://zoonegaramalaysia.my> for more information.

## 40% Discount on Entrance Fee to Pusat Sains & Kreativiti Terengganu (PSKT)

- Please visit: <http://www.pskt.com.my> for more information.