

Home Team Connects

Connecting You with the Home Team

An initiative by the Home Team Volunteer Network

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EDITOR'S PICK



SPF

Advancing the Anti-Scam Fight with ScamShield Suite

The newly launched ScamShield Suite aims to improve the public's recall and access to anti-scam initiatives by consolidating them under a single name.

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Key Points

- The launch of the ScamShield Suite marks the expansion of ScamShield from an app to a **suite of four anti-scam resources**.
- The anti-scam resources include:
 - A 24/7 ScamShield helpline (1799), for people to call to check if something is a scam;
 - An enhanced ScamShield app that can block, detect and check scams;
 - The ScamShield website (www.scamshield.gov.sg), a one-stop portal on scams; and
 - The ScamShield Alert social channels (WhatsApp and Telegram).

[>> ScamShield Website](#)

PARLIAMENTARY QUESTIONS



MHA in Parliament

Reply on

Managing Needs of Prison Inmates with Intellectual Disability,

by Assoc Prof Muhammad Faishal Ibrahim,
Minister of State, Ministry of Home Affairs and
Ministry of National Development

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Support for Inmates

Reply on

Measures to Support Stateless Children and Young People Living in Singapore,

by Mr K Shanmugam, Minister for Home Affairs
and Minister for Law

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Citizenship

Reply on

How Fugitives from a Japanese Money Laundering Syndicate Entered Singapore Without Being Detected,

by Mr K Shanmugam, Minister for Home Affairs
and Minister for Law

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Immigration

Reply on

Number of Road Traffic Accidents and Road Deaths Per Billion Vehicle Kilometres in the Past Five Years,

by Mr K Shanmugam, Minister for Home Affairs
and Minister for Law

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Road Safety

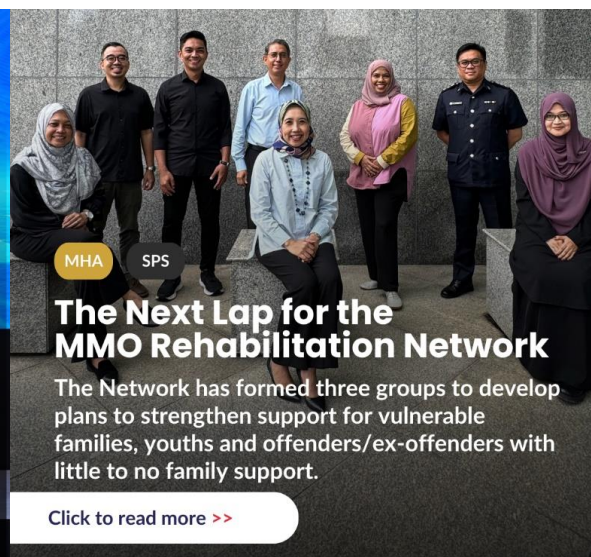
HOME TEAM UPDATES



The image shows two men standing in front of a large digital screen displaying a futuristic classroom environment. The screen features a circular logo for the Home Team Academy (HTA) and a progress bar indicating '40% LOADING...'. The text 'HTA' is visible in a yellow circle on the left.

HTA Launches First Enhanced Smart Classroom
Designed to support training in physical, virtual and hybrid formats, the first phase of 31 classrooms is expected to be completed by September 2025.

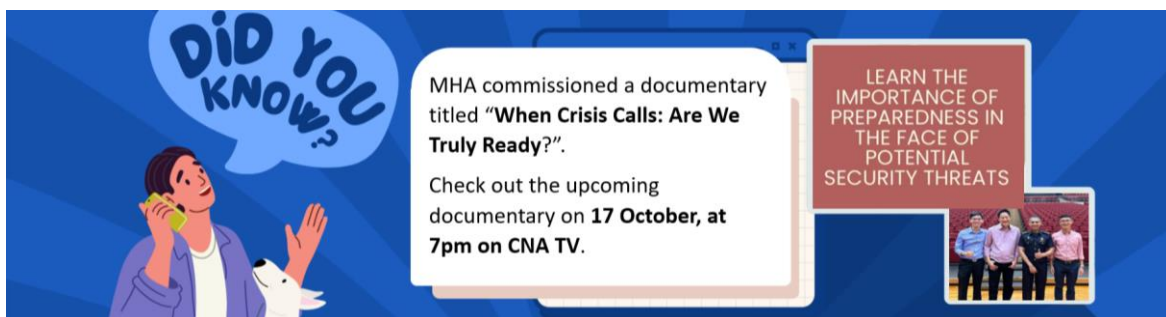
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The image shows a group of seven people (four men and three women) standing together. Two individuals are wearing yellow vests with 'MHA' and 'SPS' logos. The text 'MHA' and 'SPS' are also visible in yellow circles.

The Next Lap for the MMO Rehabilitation Network
The Network has formed three groups to develop plans to strengthen support for vulnerable families, youths and offenders/ex-offenders with little to no family support.

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MHA commissioned a documentary titled **"When Crisis Calls: Are We Truly Ready?"**.

Check out the upcoming documentary on **17 October, at 7pm on CNA TV**.

LEARN THE IMPORTANCE OF PREPAREDNESS IN THE FACE OF POTENTIAL SECURITY THREATS



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17 OCT 2024



CNA, 7PM

DON'T MISS IT!



Hosted by Steven Chia and featuring officers from the SGSecure Programme Office, Home Team Psychological Department and Singapore Civil Defence Force.

ASEAN PLUS JAPAN MINISTERIAL MEETING TRANSNATIONAL CRIME CONSULTATION

29 AUGUST 2024, VIENG XANE, LAO PDR



ASEAN Member States Discuss Response to Transnational Crime

MOS Sun urged ASEAN to stand united and intensify efforts to deal with evolving threats.

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Key Points from MOS's Speech:

- Transnational crime continues to pose a **threat to the region**. The Meeting is an important platform for ASEAN Member States (AMS) to discuss their collective response to these threats.
- Scams and cybercrime, illicit drug trafficking and terrorism continue to be Singapore's key concerns.
- Singapore is organising the **ASEAN Senior Officials Roundtable on Cybercrime** next month and will discuss the implementation of the ASEAN Cybercrime Roadmap.
- Close cooperation among AMS's internal security and intelligence agencies is also crucial in the fight against transnational terrorism.

YOUR FEEDBACK MATTERS

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