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Somdet Chao Phraya Institute of Psychiatry

สถาบันจิตเวชศาสตร์สมเด็จเจ้าพระยา

<https://www.somdet.go.th/>

Cost: \$95USD for high income
\$50USD for other income

Depart from BITEC at 9:00am

Return to BITEC at approx. 1:00pm

Travel distance is 22 kilometers, and will take up to 1 hour each way, depending on traffic.

Location description The Somdet Chao Phraya Institute of Psychiatry—founded in 1889 by royal mandate—is Thailand’s pioneering psychiatric institution and has long been recognised for its compassionate, humane approach to mental healthcare. Situated on a verdant, historic riverside campus, SCPI integrates therapeutic milieu environments and community-engaged occupational therapy to support patients in rebuilding life skills and self-confidence. A well-known psychiatry institute, it also pioneered the development of specialised training for occupational therapists in the psychiatric field. From handicraft workshops to the social enterprise café “Red Roof and Friends,” the hospital’s OT branch exemplifies rehabilitation through meaningful activity, fostering autonomy, social integration, and dignity.

Inclusions: Transport, water, snack.

Places are limited. *If minimum numbers are not met, the visit may be cancelled, and a refund will be issued.

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Sirindhorn National Medical Rehabilitation Institute

สถาบันสิรินธรเพื่อการฟื้นฟูสมรรถภาพทางการแพทย์แห่งชาติ

<https://www.snmri.go.th/>

Cost: \$95USD for high income
\$50USD for other income

Depart from BITEC at 9:00am

Return to BITEC at approx. 1:00pm

Travel distance is 33 kilometers, and will take up to 1 hour each way, depending on traffic.

Location description: The Sirindhorn National Medical Rehabilitation Institute (SNMRI), established in 1988 via collaboration between the Saijaithai Foundation and Japan's National Rehabilitation Institute for the Disabled, functions under Thailand's Ministry of Public Health to deliver expert rehabilitation services.

Named by Princess Sirindhorn in 1991 and formally opened in 2000, SNMRI offers a wide range of therapeutic services including the recently opened Occupational Therapy Intensive Clinic for early-stage brain injury, exemplifying its role as a center of excellence in medical rehabilitation, delivering compassionate, high-impact care, innovation, and training to enhance quality of life.

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Yuwaprasart Waithayopathum Child and Adolescent Psychiatric Hospital

โรงพยาบาลยุวประสาทไวทโยปถัมภ์

<https://ycap.go.th/>

Cost: \$95USD for high income
\$50USD for other income

Depart from BITEC – 9:00am

Return to BITEC – approx. 1:00pm

Travel distance is 8 kilometers, and will take less than 30 mins each way, depending on traffic.

Location description: The Yuwaprasart Waithayopathum Child and Adolescent Psychiatric Hospital—opened in 1967 in Samut Prakan—is a dedicated mental health institution serving Thailand’s youth. Occupational therapy is a cornerstone of the hospital’s rehabilitation offerings, ranking as one of the top three services delivered to children with autism. Alongside speech therapy and early-intervention programming, OT supports developmental progress and functional independence, guided by a strong commitment to meeting family expectations and ensuring service quality.

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Chakri Naruebodindra Medical Institute (CNMI)

คณะแพทยศาสตร์โรงพยาบาลรามาธิบดี มหาวิทยาลัยมหิดล

<https://www.rama.mahidol.ac.th/cnmi/th>

Cost: \$95USD for high income
\$50USD for other income

Depart from BITEC at 9:00am

Return to BITEC at approx. 1:00pm

Travel distance is 34 kilometers, and will take up to 1 hour each way, depending on traffic.

Location description: The Chakri Naruebodindra Medical Institute (CNMI) was established under the royal initiative of His Majesty King Bhumibol Adulyadej the Great, aiming to create a comprehensive state-level medical teaching hospital in Samut Prakan. The project—known as the ‘Ramathibodi Toward Leading Medical School in Asia’—addressed the limitations of Ramathibodi Hospital’s overcrowded central campus and a lack of primary and secondary care training opportunities. Situated in a province with a large industrial workforce and limited affordable public healthcare, CNMI was intended to offer accessible, high-quality medical services to laborers and low-income residents. Princess Maha Chakri Sirindhorn graciously laid the foundation stone and later presided over the institute’s official opening on 25 December 2017.

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