



News

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AIG Japan Holdings KK

CYBERDYNE,INC.

Expansion of the training program to improve walk function with Robot Suit HAL®

~ free opportunity for school students with functional disabilities in the lower limb~

(Trial translation by CYBERDYNE)

AIG Japan Holding Japan KK (“AIG Japan”, CEO: Robert Noddin) and CYBERDYNE,INC. (“CYBERDYNE”) announced to expand the scope of applicants who could apply for their campaign that provides “training with Robot Suit HAL® to school students under 18 with spinal diseases in Kanagawa prefecture”.

On this occasion, the two company decided to relax the conditions of participating in this program due to large number of requests from those who were not eligible for the current one due to their height, age, residence and a kind of disease.

- Size of potential participant

Initially, the program only accepted school students above the height of 145 cm. However, following this expansion, school students above the height of 100 cm (more than weight of 15kg) with functional disability in the lower limb are now eligible for participating in this program. The applicants should be 6 to 22 years old in principle and could also be those who have not joined primary school yet.

- Area of where potential participant lives in

Initially, the program only accepted those who either lives in Kanagawa prefecture or attends to schools located in Kanagawa prefecture. However, the program now accepts all eligible school students as long as they can visit Shonan Robo Care Center to receive the training.

- Program period

Following the changes in the aforementioned conditions, program period will be extended and it will now end on September 2018.

This program that started last fiscal year was based on business alliance between the two companies and it aims to provide a new opportunity for children who have difficulties walking on their own due to after effects of accidents or diseases. AIG Japan covered the expenses related to the training from October 2017. Due to the concept of “ACTIVE CARE*” that AIG Japan promotes and the two concepts of “improvement of ME-BYO (“pre-illness” in Japanese including preventive approach at the stage)” as well as “pursuit of cutting edge medicine and new technologies” by Kanagawa prefecture and CYBERDYNE’s subsidiary Shonan Robo Care Center who hosts this program being located in Kanagawa, initially the program only hosted students living in Kanagawa Prefecture.

HAL uses its sensors to pick up very faint bio-electrical signals transmitted by the wearer’s brain and assists the wearer to move in accordance with his/her neurological commands. Repetition of voluntary movement and walking activities using HAL’s unique motion principle can help improve physical functions.

*Concept of “ACTIVE CARE” was created as a result of AIG’s global risk expertise, combined with the latest research and technologies to recognize and reduce risk. With an enhanced ability to accurately identify unforeseen everyday risks, AIG helps their customers to prevent and prepare for the risk around them in their daily lives. As a company that offers insurance, not only will they provide financial compensation for any incidents that occur, but to offer a preventive approach that minimizes risks in order to ensure such accident don’t happen in the first place. AIG is committed to present ACTIVE CARE in an easy-to-understand and clear format that will make insurance even more accessible to everyone.

AIG x Cyberdyne launches the “Active Care Project”



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●募集期間
2018年4月～2018年9月末

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