

Protection Victims of Human Trafficking in Thai Shelters



The Anti-Trafficking in Persons Act B.E.2551 (2008)

- Establishment of Mechanisms
- More Power on Suppression
- Greater Protection

**** Art. 33 Provision of Protection Centre****



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Expanding Alternative Institutional Care to Victims of Trafficking



Chiangrai Shelter for Men



Baan Songkwai



Baan Narisawad



Baan Phumvet

Baan Kredtrakarn



Pathumthani Shelter for Men



Ranong Shelter for Men



Baan Srisurat

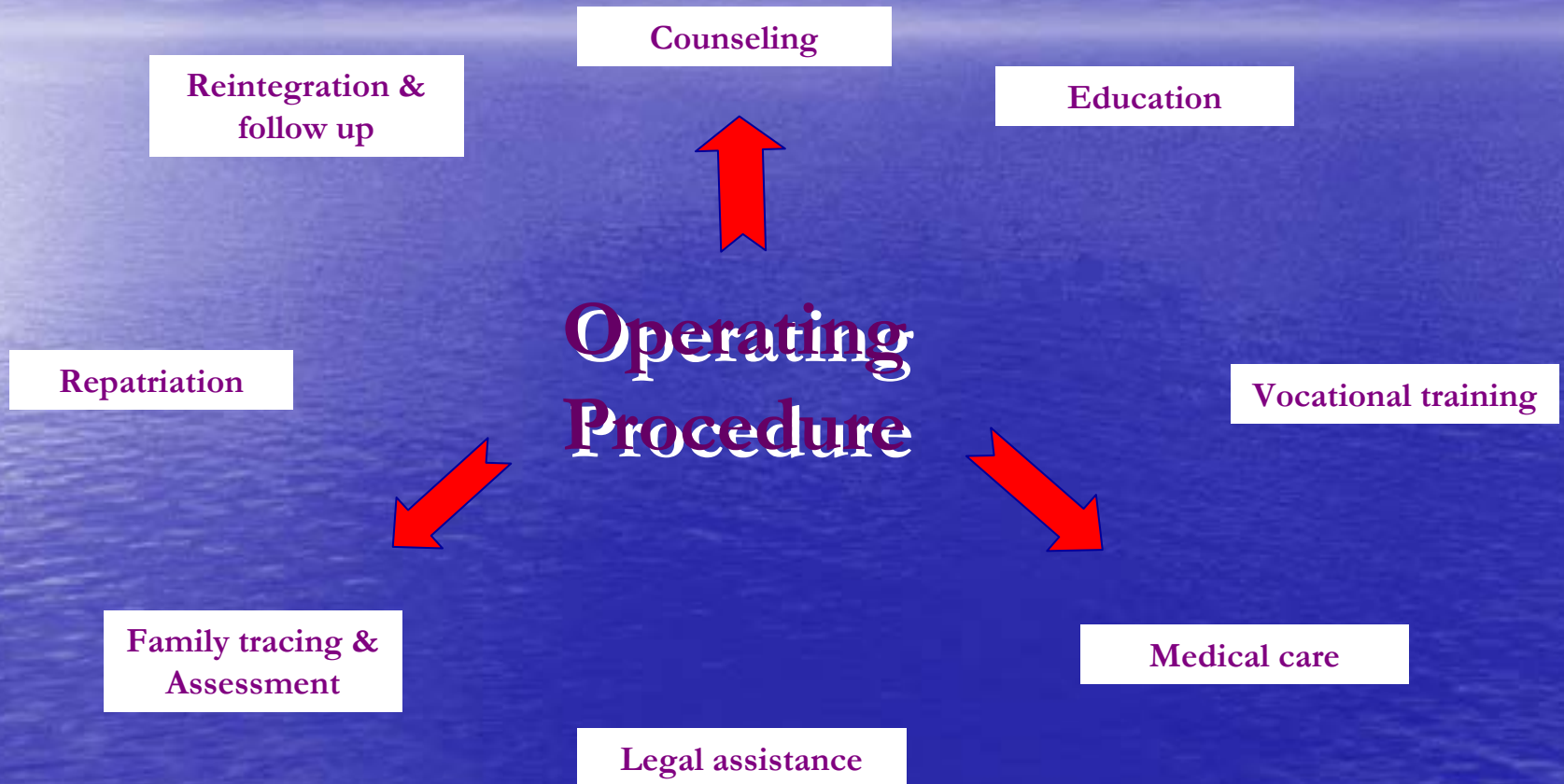


Songkhla Shelter for Men

Currently, there are **9 main shelters (4 for men, 4 for women and 1 for boys)** provide food, medical care, psycho-social recovery, legal aid, life skills & vocational training, repatriation and reintegration

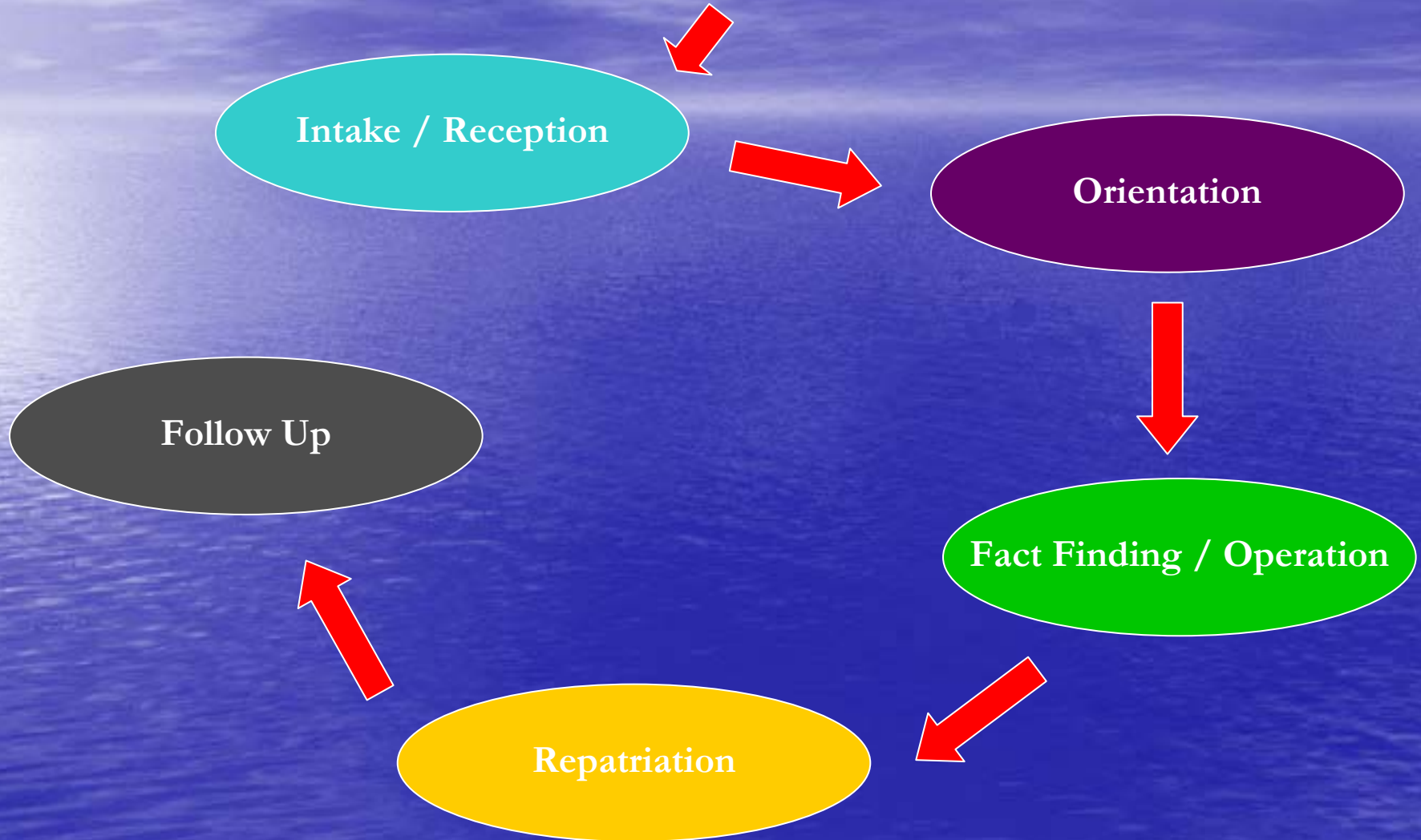
There are **76 temporary shelters** located nationwide

Protection and Services Provision



Protection Process in Shelter

Victims of Human Trafficking



Protection Process in Shelter

Intake / Reception
(on-duty staff)

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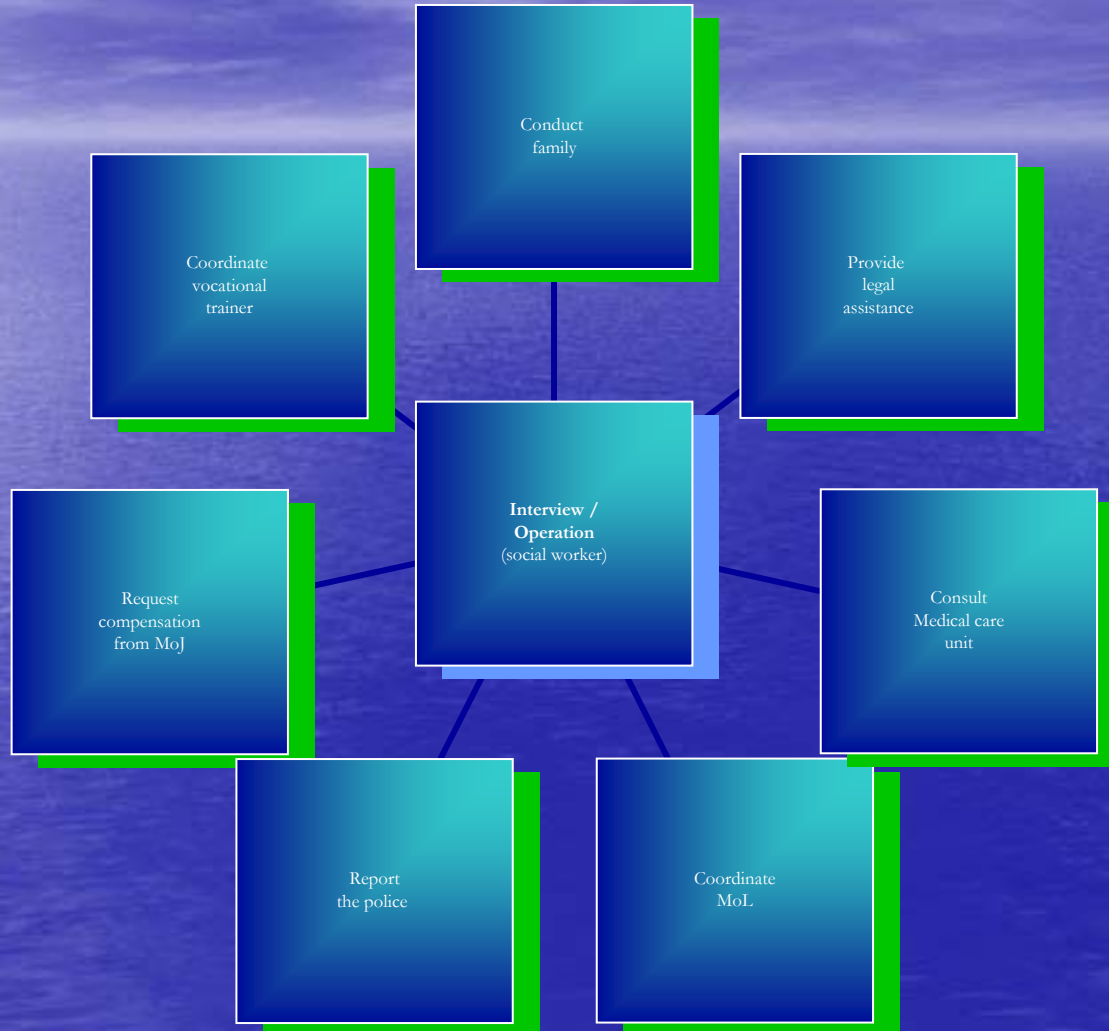
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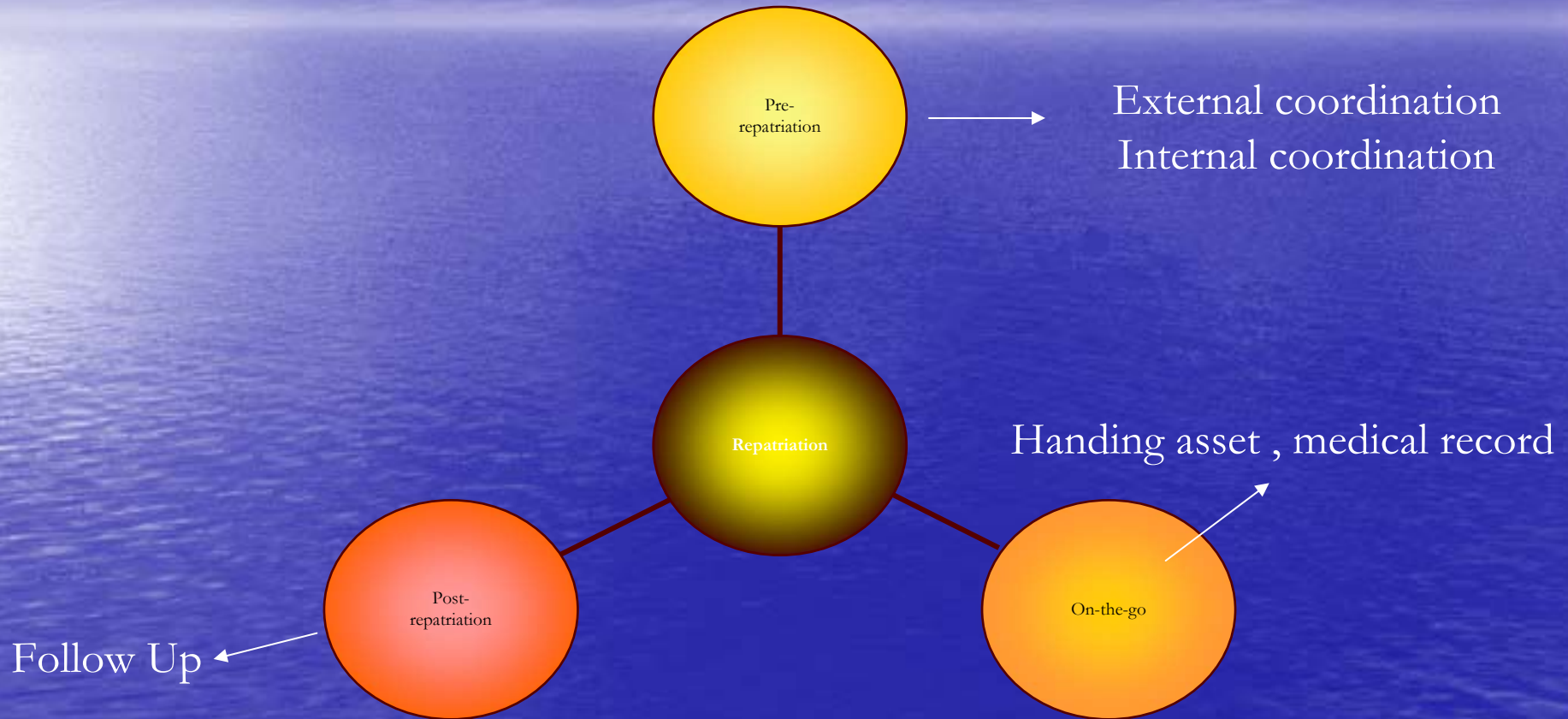
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Accommodation

- Shelters provide the dormitories with personal bedding , clothes and articles.
- Meals served 3 times daily.

Counseling

- Social worker – interview to conduct family , legal assistance and bio-social assessment.
- Psychologist – psycho-social counseling , EQ , IQ and AQ testing.

Education

- Non-formal education prescribed by Ministry of Education.
- Peer-to-peer education by residents.
- Computer training , English course , etc by NGOs.
- Life-long education.

Vocational Training

- Vocational training courses offer to residents according to their own interests and skills.

Medical Care

- 24 hours in-house medical care unit by nurse.
- Referral to hospital in case of emergency or further treatment.
- Check-up the residents health by external doctor twice a month.

Legal Assistance

- Coordinate to Ministry of Labor to request wages and compensation.
- Accompany the residents to participate the investigation of legal proceedings.
- Request compensation from Ministry of Justice according to Criminal Act.

Social Activities

- Reduce tension of the residents to adapt themselves to new environment.
- Enjoy participating in festive activities.
- Support the residents life skills.

Repatriation

- Accompany the returnees home.
- Coordinate involved agencies to arrange the process.

Follow Up

- Collaborate with local agencies in conducting monitoring and providing continuing assistance.

Total Returnees from Thai Shelters (October 2009 – September 2010)

• Myanmar	:	193
• Laotian	:	179
• Vietnamese	:	11
• Cambodian	:	70
• Thai	:	50
• Chinese	:	1

Total : **504**