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Chapter 3: Workplace Settings

Objectives

After reading this chapter, the learner should be able to do the following:

- Differentiate between community-based care and facility-based care.
- List the work settings where support workers are employed.
- Differentiate between live-in facilities and outpatient facilities.
- Describe the various types of live-in facilities.
- Identify the benefits and challenges support workers encounter in the workplace.
- acute illness/persistent illness
- inpatient/outpatient
- acute care/longterm care/transition care/palliative care/respite care/restorative care
- adult day program
- assisted living
- group home
- community based setting/facility based setting