

## Overview Outline and aims of the support Act for people with developmental disorders

### I Aims

- Definition of developmental disorders and promotion of its understanding
- Promotion of support for people with developmental disorders throughout their lives
- Achieve close cooperation among mutual section in charge of support for people with developmental disorders

### II Outline

Definition: Developmental disorders : Brain dysfunction that is generally expressed during earlier age such as pervasive developmental disorder(autism, etc.), learning disability, attention deficit hyperactivity disorder, etc.

#### Preschool age (infant)

- Early development support
- Early detection by health examination for infants

#### School attendance age (school child)

- Physical Examinations for Newly Enrolling Students
- Establishment of appropriate educational support and support system
- Use of after-school child sound upbringing services
- Specialized development support

#### After graduate age (middle-aged and young people)

- Achieve adequate employment opportunities according to the respective characteristics of people with developmental disorders
- Community life support
- Advocacy for the people with development disorders

Developmental disorder support centers Ensure specialized medical institutions (prefectures)

Ensure human resources who have professional expertise Research study (national government)