

**1Malaysia Family Care Welfare Tour To Boost Spirit Of Volunteerism**  
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MUAR, April 1 (Bernama) - The 1Malaysia Family Care Welfare Tour to be launched by Deputy Prime Minister Tan Sri Muhyiddin Yassin on Saturday, can instill a spirit of volunteerism in the society.

Social Welfare Department director-general Datuk Norani Mohd Hashim said the large scale tour would be from Pagoh, Johor on April 5, to Batang Lupar, Sarawak on April 26.

"A total of 100 volunteers will tour for 1,000km in peninsula Malaysia before going to Sarawak and converge on 15 locations nationwide to help the needy and simultaneously sow the spirit of volunteerism," she said.

She was speaking at a media conference after chairing a final preparation meeting at the Seri Pekembar Building in Pagoh, late yesterday evening.

The programme would also involve the Health Ministry, Human Resources Ministry and Social Welfare Department.

Mini carnivals would be held at every stop and filled with exhibitions and services, including counseling, health checks, employment service and others, from 8am to 4pm.

Noraini said the convoy which would be joined by Motor Bikers Club, would also visit patients and the disabled at their homes to give aid and treatment.

The mini carnivals would be open to the public from 8am to 4pm.

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