



SkillsFuture Roadshow At Bukit Panjang Plaza: Career Health Help From 14 To 17 May

Description

SkillsFuture roadshow is one of the Singapore stories worth having on your radar this week.

Where and when to go

SkillsFuture roadshow details are now up for Bukit Panjang residents and anyone nearby who wants face-to-face help with career planning. The SSG-WSG Jobs and Skills Roadshow will run from 14 to 17 May 2026 at Bukit Panjang Plaza, Level 2 Atrium, from 10.30am to 8.30pm.

The roadshow is framed around the question, “Is your career healthy?” That is a useful way to read it. This is not only for someone who has already lost a job or decided to switch industries. It is also for workers who sense that their role is changing, parents returning to work, mid-career Singaporeans looking at formal training, and fresh jobseekers who want to understand what support is available before applying randomly.

Bukit Panjang Plaza is directly connected to the town centre, which makes this a practical stop after work or during the weekend. The four-day window also helps because career conversations are rarely one-size-fits-all; some people need course advice, some need job-market information, and others need to check whether they qualify for specific support.

What to prepare before speaking to advisers



The roadshow is framed around career health and practical support.

You do not need to arrive with a perfect career plan. It is more useful to bring three concrete things: your current or last job role, the kind of work you are open to, and the training you have already taken. If you have a resume, bring it on your phone. If you are looking at courses, save the links first so the conversation can move quickly.

Mid-career Singaporeans aged 40 and above should also check SkillsFuture's current Level-Up Programme and training allowance information before going. SkillsFuture's homepage currently highlights the part-time Training Allowance for selected long-form training courses, with eligible individuals receiving a flat monthly allowance of S\$300. The roadshow is a chance to ask how such schemes apply to your actual situation, instead of guessing from a webpage.

For younger workers, the useful angle is career health rather than only course subsidy. Ask which skills are showing demand in your sector, which roles are adjacent to your experience, and whether a short course, full qualification or work-study pathway makes more sense. A certificate only helps if it connects to a credible next role.

How this fits the current skills push



SkillsFuture's wider portal points residents to training and career resources.

SkillsFuture has been moving towards more structured career planning rather than simple course discovery. Its official site now points users to tools such as the Careers and Skills Passport, career-health habits and long-form training support. The roadshow format brings those online ideas into a setting where residents can ask direct questions.

This matters because Singapore's labour market is not changing evenly. Some workers are dealing with AI tools inside existing jobs, some are watching operational roles become more automated, and some are moving into growth areas such as healthcare, sustainability, digital operations and advanced manufacturing. For a broader look at Singapore's industry-facing technology calendar, see our [ATxEnterprise 2026 visitor guide](#).

A useful roadshow conversation should end with something specific: a shortlist of roles, a course pathway, a follow-up appointment, or a clearer understanding of what not to pursue. If you leave only with brochures, the visit has not done enough for you.

Location details

Venue: Bukit Panjang Plaza, Level 2 Atrium, 1 Jelebu Road, Singapore 677743. Dates: 14 to 17 May 2026. Time: 10.30am to 8.30pm.

Nearest MRT/LRT: Bukit Panjang. The mall is linked to the Downtown Line station and Bukit Panjang LRT area.

Maps: [Open in Google Maps](#) | [Open in Apple Maps](#).

Official details are available from [the main official source](#), [supporting official source](#), [supporting official source](#).

Questions Worth Asking At The Booth

If you attend the roadshow, ask questions that force the advice to become personal. "What course should I take?" is too broad. "I have five years in retail operations and want a more stable office role; what roles are realistic in six to twelve months?" is more useful. Advisers can work better when you give them your current skills, constraints, time available for training and salary expectations.

For mid-career workers, ask how long-form training support interacts with your current job situation. Some people can study part-time while working; others need a planned career pause. If the SkillsFuture Mid-Career Training Allowance is relevant to you, clarify the course type, eligibility period, payment rhythm and whether the course you are considering is actually covered. Do not assume every attractive programme qualifies.

For parents or caregivers returning to work, ask about roles that support flexible entry or staged upgrading. It may be more realistic to rebuild momentum through a role with clear training support than to chase a total switch immediately. The most useful roadshow outcome is a sequence: first role, first course, first application and first follow-up appointment.

After The Roadshow

Give yourself one week after the visit to act. Save the course links, update your resume, book any follow-up appointment and speak to family members if training time will affect household routines. Career plans often fail because the first step is left vague. A roadshow can give direction, but the value comes from converting that direction into a calendar entry.

If you are already employed, do not treat skills planning as a resignation plan by default. Some workers can start with internal mobility, supervisor conversations or role redesign before changing companies. The right question is not whether your career is perfect today. It is whether your next twelve months are moving you towards stronger options or leaving you exposed.

One Practical Outcome To Aim For

Before leaving the Bukit Panjang Plaza roadshow, try to name one next step that can be completed within seven days. That could be booking a career advisory appointment, shortlisting two courses, updating a resume, speaking to an employer about internal mobility or checking whether a long-form course fits your household schedule. A career-health event is most useful when it creates movement rather than only awareness.

If you are accompanying an older family member, help them capture the advice in plain language. Scheme names, eligibility rules and course pathways can blur after a busy event. A simple note on the phone with the adviser's recommendation, website link and next action can make the difference between an interesting day out and a real career step.

Date Created

11/05/2026

Author

rachelng