

Qatar expands social care

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Qatar has embarked on a revolutionary phase, characterised by a phenomenal expansion of domestic social services that have served its citizens of all ages and gender.

These developments have been a result of the wise leadership of the Emir H H Sheikh Hamad Bin Khalifa Al Thani.

This was stated by H E Sheikha Alya Ahmed Saif Al Thani, the Counselor at the Permanent Mission of Qatar during her speech before the UN's Third Committee on Agenda Item (64) on Social Development, here yesterday.

The ambitious Social Development Agenda of Qatar is centred on human resource development and is founded on respect for and protection of human rights for all of its citizens.

The surge of investments, infrastructures, social services in Qatar encompass the areas of family, youth, the elderly, and persons with disabilities. Critical sectors of education, employment, health, community development receive abundant attention, said Sheikha Alya Ahmed Saif Al Thani.

Qatar will focus on the family and youth, she said.