



Pictured left:
Visiting dignitaries review a woodwork masterclass in Portland Row, Dublin in Rehab's early years.

Pictured below:
Former Taoiseach Seán Lemass visiting a Rehab centre in days gone by.

Capturing Rehab's Magic Moments

IN 2009, REHAB WILL BE celebrating its sixtieth birthday. From very small beginnings helping recovering TB patients to regain their independence through vocational rehabilitation, Rehab has gone from strength to strength. It is today one of Europe's most influential disability organisations and a leading voice in championing the rights of people with a disability and others who are marginalised.

It is also a leading provider of health and social care, training and education and rehabilitation, employment and commercial services, in the Group's network of over 200 centres in Ireland, the UK, the Netherlands and Poland.

Plans to mark its sixtieth year are being kept a closely-guarded secret by organisers at the moment, however, *Rehab News* plans to publish a special feature celebrating the event with a collection of rarely-seen photographs. If you have used Rehab's services or are a present or former member



of staff and have any photographs depicting your time in Rehab over the years, then please send them in.

Pictures can be of staff at their work, of people engaging in services, of official events – it's up to you, but it is important that permission be sought from those pictured for their

inclusion in this feature. It's all about showcasing Rehab and its exciting development over the years.

Don't forget to tell us the story behind the picture, who is in it, where it was taken and in what year. While we will endeavour to send back the picture to you if you give us your name and address, we cannot be held responsible for its care, so please do keep copies! ■

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