

Message from the President

HKCFP Prizes for Undergraduates



Presentation of the HKCFP Prize by Dr. Ruby Lee at the Faculty Prize Presentation Ceremony of the Li Ka Shing Faculty of Medicine, The University of Hong Kong

On Feb 12, 2014, I presented the HKCFP Prize in the Faculty Prize Presentation Ceremony of the Li Ka Shing Faculty of Medicine, the University of Hong Kong. This was followed by the annual Faculty Spring Reception where teachers met and shared the joy of teaching.

On Feb 27, 2014, I presented the HKCFP Prize in Family Medicine in the Teachers' & Students' Awards Presentation Ceremony of the Faculty of Medicine, the Chinese University of Hong Kong. The award went to Mr. Hoo Pui Lun Calvin for his Home Visit Report. In the ceremony, there was sharing by outstanding teachers and students.



Presentation of the HKCFP Prize by Dr. Ruby Lee in the Teachers' & Students' Awards Presentation Ceremony of the Faculty of Medicine, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

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Internal Affairs Committee News

The 27th Fellowship Conferment Ceremony and the 25th Dr. Sun Yat Sen Oration

Dear Colleagues,

The College is holding "The 27th Fellowship Conferment Ceremony and the 25th Dr. Sun Yat Sen Oration" on **8th June 2014 (Sunday) at the Hong Kong Academy of Medicine Jockey Club Building.**

The successful candidates of Conjoint Examination would be conferred Fellowships, and the successful candidates of Diploma in Family Medicine and the Exit Examination would be granted certificates. In this very important occasion, **Professor John C. Y. Leong, Chairman of the Hospital Authority**, would deliver the 25th Dr. Sun Yat Sen Oration to the audience.

All Fellows*, members and their spouses are cordially invited to attend the Conferment Ceremony and the Oration. The details are:

Events : (i) **The 27th Fellowship Conferment Ceremony**

(ii) **The 25th Dr. Sun Yat Sen Oration by Professor John C.Y. Leong**

Venue : 1/F, Run Run Shaw Hall, Hong Kong Academy of Medicine Jockey Club Building,
99 Wong Chuk Hang Road, Aberdeen, Hong Kong

Date : 8th June 2014 (Sunday)

Time : 4:00 p.m. – Reception with **light refreshment**

5:00 p.m. – Ceremony

Remarks : 1 CME (Category 4.3)

This activity is free of charge for our College Fellows, members and their spouses.

*All College Fellows are welcome to bring their Fellowship gowns for the Conferment Ceremony.

Please mark your diaries and we look forward to seeing you soon.

Thank you!

Dr. David CHAO

Chairman, Internal Affairs Committee

"Council Member-On-Duty" (CMOD) System

Dear College members,

We are still providing this alternative channel of communication for you to reach us. Do let us have your ideas and comments so that we can further improve our services to all the members.

From 15th April 2014 to 14th May 2014, Dr. William Wong and Dr. Lorna Ng will be the Council Members On Duty. Please feel free to make use of this channel to voice your doubts, concerns, queries, and comments on anything related to our College and Family Medicine. You can reach us by contacting our College Secretariat by phone: 2528 6618, by fax: 2866 0616, or by email: hkcfp@hkcfp.org.hk. Once we receive your call or message, we will get in touch with you directly as soon as we can.

Dr. Tony C. K. Lee

Co-ordinator, CMOD System



Dr. William Wong



Dr. Lorna Ng

Membership Committee News

The Membership Committee approved, on recommendation of the Chairman of the Membership Committee, the following applications for membership in **March 2014** :

Associate Membership (New Application)

Dr. Chan Lam	陳 琳
Dr. Wardman Caroline	黃 明 儀

Affiliate Membership (New Application)

Ms. Chan Lai Kam	陳 麗 琴
Ms. Su Ka Yi	邵 嘉 儀
Ms. Yeung Wai Yee	楊 慧 儀

Reinstatement of Associate Membership

Dr. Fong Bik Ki	方 碧 琪
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Resignation from Associate Membership

Dr. Lam Ho Chuen	林 浩 存
Dr. Sze Hon Ming	施 漢 明
Dr. Tsang Man Leung	曾 文 亮

Web and Computer Committee



You are part of the Web!

Task Force for Health Information in the Web and Public Education!

Dear Colleagues (Public or private, group or individual practice),

If you think the public is looking for information from the internet and if you think health information is important, please join the **Task force for Health information in the Web.**

In collaboration with the Public Education Committee, the Web and Computer Committee believes there is a need to provide basic health information for the Public, accessible via the internet.

The Web & Computer Committee has analyzed the data on internet health information searching and is aware the provision of health information on the web page will have a big impact. If health information was available in the College website, this would direct the community to make a better choice in their health seeking behaviour.

This is a direct means of health promotion. We plan to have health information with reference to the internet searching frequency, around 1000 words per topic. We need helpers to translate clinical information into reader-friendly Chinese format, being available on College website for public access. **2 CPD points will be awarded to writers per article.**

Please fill in the reply slip below and email (hkcfp@hkcfp.org.hk) / fax (2866 0616) to our secretariat. We will organize a writing workshop on 17 May 2014 to facilitate the process of organizing health information in the website.

Health Information Writing Workshop

Date : 17 May 2014 (Sat)

Time : 16:30-18:30

Venue : Room 802, Duke of Windsor Social Service Building, 15 Hennessy Road, Wanchai

Thank you!

Dr. Mark Chan
Chairman, Web and Computer Committee

I am interested in joining the Task Force for Health Information in the Web.

I will/will not* attend the writing workshop on 17 May 2014 (Sat)

*please delete if appropriate

Dr. _____ Email _____ Tel. _____

Classified Advertisement

Positions Vacant

Part Time Locum
Part time doctor wanted by a female clinic 18:30-20:30, \$2000/
per session. Three times per week. Interested please call
Miss Ho 6128 3405.

Diploma in Family Medicine (HKCFP) Second Announcement

The Board is pleased to announce that the Diploma Course in Family Medicine (DFM) organized by The Hong Kong College of Family Physicians will commence in July 2014.

The course consists of FIVE modules. Modules I & II will be delivered by Local Distance Learning. Modules III, IV & V consist of lectures, seminars, tutorials, workshops and clinical attachments. The whole course requires ONE year of part-time studies.

Details of the course are as follows:

1. Objectives:

- i) To provide knowledgeable, pragmatic and structured teaching in Family Medicine for medical practitioners.
- ii) To encourage professional development of practising medical practitioners and to provide an intermediate step to fellowship qualifications in Family Medicine.
- iii) To improve standards and quality in the practice of Family Medicine.

2. *Syllabus:

The course consists of FIVE compulsory modules. Doctors graduated from the course are expected to have acquired:

- i) Current concepts about nature of Family Medicine.
- ii) Knowledge and skills in consultation, counselling and problem solving.
- iii) Knowledge and skills in common practice procedures and emergency care required for good quality family practice.
- iv) Understandings towards the role of Family Doctors as gatekeepers of the health-care system and in providing cost-effective primary care to the community.

Module I – Principles of Family Medicine (Distance Learning)

Aims:	1. To learn the concepts of Family Medicine 2. To understand the role and scope of a Family Doctor
Contents:	Definition of Family Physicians, Family Physicians' Functions, Core Values of Family Medicine, Consultation, Future of Family Medicine

Module II – Common Problems in Family Medicine (Distance Learning)

Aims:	1. To enhance consultation, communication and problem solving skills 2. To gain knowledge in common and chronic diseases in Family Medicine
Contents:	Selected topics from Clinical Psychology, Diabetes Mellitus, Low Back Pain, COPD, Atopic Eczema, Elbow Mass, Facial Rashes, Health Psychology, Allergic Rhinitis, Urethritis, Urine Incontinence, etc.

Module III - Essentials of Family Medicine (Structured Seminars and Tutorials)

Aims:	1. To strengthen knowledge in Family Medicine 2. To understand the potential growth of Family Medicine 3. To develop research and teaching skills in Family Medicine
Contents:	Practice Management, Care of Elderly & Chronic Illnesses, Anticipatory Care, Clinical Audit & Quality Assurance, Introduction to Family Therapy, Research & Teaching in Family Medicine, Evidence Based Medicine and Critical Appraisal

Module IV - Clinical Updates (Updates and Clinical Attachment)

Aims:	To acquire in-depth knowledge and practical skills in selected specialized areas including Medicine, Surgery, Geriatrics, ENT, Orthopaedics & Traumatology, Accident & Emergency Medicine, Infectious Diseases and Dermatology
Contents:	<u>THREE</u> Update seminars and <u>ONE</u> clinical attachment on selected specialties including Medicine, Surgery, Geriatrics, ENT, Orthopaedics & Traumatology, Accident & Emergency Medicine, Infectious Diseases and Dermatology (subject to availability)

Module V - Practical Family Medicine (Practical Workshops)

Aims:	To enhance practical and communication skills in Family Medicine by Practical Workshops in selected areas including CPR, Consultation Skills, Counselling Skills, Women's Health, Orthopaedic Injection and Musculo-Skeletal Medicine
Contents:	<u>4 compulsory and 2 elective</u> Practical Workshops in selected areas including CPR, Consultation Skills, Counselling Skills, Women's Health, Orthopaedic Injection and Musculo-Skeletal Medicine

Module III & V will be scheduled in Saturday and Sunday afternoons.

3. Articulations:

The Course allows (up to a fixed maximum percentage of the Course units) articulations or cross recognition of previous Family Medicine training programmes that provide learning units equivalent to that of the above syllabus. Participants who wish to apply for such articulations have to submit evidence of relevant training together with their application. The granting of articulations is however, completely at the discretion and decision of the Board of DFM.

4. *Schedule:

The whole course requires ONE year of part-time studies.

July to September 2014	Module I
November 2014 to January 2015	Module II
July 2014 to May 2015	Module III, IV & V
May 2015	Final Examination

5. Admission Requirements:

Medical Practitioner with a Bachelor's degree in Medicine

6. Teaching Staff:

A panel of experienced academic medical professionals in Family Medicine, hospital specialists and experienced Fellows or Trainers of HKCFP will be invited to teach in the programme.

7. Teaching Medium:

English
(Cantonese may be used in some seminars, workshops and clinical attachments)

8. Course Fees:

Whole course:
HK\$30,000 for members of HKCFP
HK\$60,000 for non-members

(A discount of HK\$5,000 for early birds who apply on/before May 16, 2014)

Individual Module:	Members	Non-members
Module I (Distance Learning – Principles of Family Medicine)	\$4,000	\$8,000
Module II (Distance Learning – Common Problems in Family Medicine)	\$4,000	\$8,000
Module III (Structured Lectures & Seminars)	\$3,000	\$6,000
Module IV (Updates & Clinical Attachment)	\$3,200	\$6,400
Module V (Practical Workshops)	\$5,000	\$10,000
Examination	\$9,000	\$18,000
Administration Fee	\$4,000	\$8,000

All fees must be paid upon application and before commencement of the course. Fees paid are NON-TRANSFERABLE and NON-REFUNDABLE.

9. Awards/Credits:

- A Diploma in Family Medicine issued by HKCFP will be awarded to candidates who have satisfied all the requirements and have passed all the required assessment and the Final Examination.
- The Diploma is a **Quotable Qualification** of The Medical Council of Hong Kong.
- Up to 50 CME and 10 CPD credit points will also be awarded to candidates upon satisfactory completion of the Course by the QA & A Committee of HKCFP.

10. Application Procedure:

Application is now open

A completed application form must be returned to The Hong Kong College of Family Physicians with the following:

- Photocopy of the current Annual Practising Certificate;
- A recent photo of the applicant (passport size);
- A signed "Disclaimer of Liability";
- An application fee of HK\$200 by crossed cheque payable to "HKCFP Holdings and Development Limited". This fee is non-refundable;
- A Course Fee of HK\$30,000 (or HK\$60,000 if non-member) by crossed cheque payable to "HKCFP Holdings and Development Limited". This fee is non-refundable unless the application is unsuccessful.

Every successful applicant will be notified by an official letter of admission.

Information and application forms are obtainable at the College or can be downloaded at the College website (<http://www.hkcfp.org.hk>). Members who were not admitted in the course in 2013 have to send in their application again if they want to study the course this year. Please contact the College secretariat, Mr. John Lee at 2528 6618 for any queries.

11. Application Deadline: June 20, 2014

Comments From Former DFM Graduates

- "The content is useful in daily practice. I can have hands-on practical skills. I can polish my communication skills during the lectures & workshops."
- "I can understand the role of Family Physicians as gatekeepers of health-care system and better know about their role in the society. I also acquire the skills on critical appraisal."
- "There are sessions of clinical updates for updating knowledge. Module I, II & III could help improving my knowledge. Module I, II & III could improve my understanding of Family Medicine. Sessions in consultation are invaluable in improving my communication skills."

Dr. Au Chi Lap
Chairman
The Board of DFM

*Course syllabus and schedule may be subject to change without prior notification

#Cantonese and English will be used as the language for teaching and examination.



CPR Training Workshop



Women's Health Workshop



Orthopaedic Injection Workshop



Musculoskeletal Workshop

Certificate Course in Family Medicine (HKCFP) Second Announcement

The Board is pleased to announce that the Certificate Course in Family Medicine (CFM) organized by The Hong Kong College of Family Physicians will commence in July 2014.

The course consists of **THREE** Segments. Segment I and Segment II will be delivered by Local Distance Learning. Segment III consists of workshops. The whole course requires FIVE months of part-time studies.

Details of the course are as follows:

1. Objectives:

- i) To provide knowledgeable, pragmatic and structured teaching in Family Medicine for medical practitioners
- ii) To encourage professional development of practicing medical practitioners and to provide an intermediate step to attain diploma qualifications in Family Medicine
- iii) To improve standards and quality in the practice of Family Medicine

2. *Syllabus:

The course consists of **THREE** compulsory segments. Doctors graduated from the course are expected to have acquired:

- i) Current concepts about nature of Family Medicine
- ii) Knowledge and skills in consultation
- iii) Knowledge and skills in some common practice procedures required in family practice
- iv) Understanding towards the role of Family Doctors as gatekeepers of the health-care system and in providing cost-effective primary care to the community

Segment I – Principles of Family Medicine (Distance Learning)

Aims:	1. To learn the concepts of Family Medicine 2. To understand the role and scope of a Family Doctor
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Segment III - Practical Family Medicine (Practical Workshops)

Aims:	To enhance practical skills and consultation skills in Family Medicine by Practical Workshops in some selected areas
Contents:	Orthopaedic Injection and Consultation Skills

3. *Schedule:

The whole course requires FOUR months of part-time studies.

July to October 2014	Segment I & II
1-day workshop in October 2014	Segment III

4. Admission Requirements:

Medical Practitioner with a Bachelor's degree in Medicine

5. Teaching Staff:

A panel of experienced academic medical professionals in Family Medicine, hospital specialists and experienced Fellows and Trainers of HKCFP will be invited to teach in the programme.

6. Teaching Medium:

English

7. Course Fees:

HK\$9,000 for members of HKCFP

HK\$18,000 for non-members

All fees must be paid upon application and before commencement of the course. Fees paid are NON-TRANSFERABLE and NON-REFUNDABLE.

8. Awards/ Credits:

- i) A Certificate in Family Medicine issued by HKCFP will be awarded to candidates who have satisfied all the requirements.
- ii) 10 CME credit points will also be awarded to candidates at satisfactory completion of the Course by the QA & A Committee of HKCFP.

9. Application Procedures:

Application is now open

A completed application form must be returned to The Hong Kong College of Family Physicians with the following:

- i) Photocopy of the current Annual Practising Certificate;
- ii) A recent photo of the applicant (passport size);
- iii) A signed "Disclaimer of Liability";
- iv) An application fee of HK\$200 by crossed cheque payable to "HKCFP Holdings and Development Limited". This fee is non-refundable;
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Every successful applicant will be notified by an official letter of admission.

Information and application forms are obtainable at the College or can be downloaded at the College Website (<http://www.hkcfp.org.hk>).

Please contact the College secretariat, Mr. John Lee at 2528 6618 for any queries.

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Dr. Au Chi Lap
Chairman, The Board of DFM

Enhancing the practice of primary care physicians as our goal
to serve the medical profession and the Society

A Quotable Qualification by
The Hong Kong Medical Council

Postgraduate Diploma in Diagnosis and Therapeutics in Internal Medicine

(PDipIntMed&Therapeutics)

醫學內科診斷及治療深造文憑



Calling for Enrolment in September 2014

PROGRAM FEES

Composition fee for the 2-year program
is HK\$23,000 (subject to approval)

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Holder of a primary medical degree
with post registration experience of
no less than 12 months

DEADLINE OF APPLICATION

31 August 2014

To submit an application:

On-line: <http://www.medic.hku.hk/postdip.htm>

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THE UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG

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HKCFP Research Fellowship 2014

Introduction

The HKCFP Research Fellowship was established by the Hong Kong College of Family Physicians to promote research in Family Medicine. The Grant is up to the value of HK\$ 100,000. Applicants are expected to have regular contact with a nominated supervisor with a Master or equivalent degree or above.

Eligibility

Applicants for the HKCFP Research Fellowship must be active Fellows, Full Members or Associate Members of the HKCFP. New and emerging researchers* are particularly encouraged to apply.

Selection criteria

Applications will be judged on:

- Training potential of applicants;
- Relevance to Family Medicine and community health;
- Quality;
- Value for money;
- Completeness (incomplete or late applications will not be assessed further).



** Please note that new researchers and those at an early stage of their research careers are defined as those who have not led a major research project or have fewer than 5 years of research experience.*

How to apply

1. Application form, terms and conditions of the Fellowship can be downloaded from www.hkcfp.org.hk or obtained from the College Secretariat, HKCFP at Rm 803-4, 8/F, HKAM Jockey Club Building, 99 Wong Chuk Hang Road, Aberdeen, Hong Kong. Tel: 2528 6618 Fax: 2866 0616.
2. Applicants must submit:
 - The completed application form;
 - The signed terms and conditions of the HKCFP Research Fellowship;
 - Curriculum vitae from the principal investigator;
 - Curriculum vitae from the co-investigator(s) (no more than two pages) AND.;
 - Curriculum vitae from the supervisor.
3. Applications close on: **April 30, 2014**. Late applications will not be accepted.
4. Applications can be either sent:
by post to Chairman, Research Committee, The Hong Kong College of Family Physicians, Rm 803-4, 8/F, HKAM Jockey Club Building, 99 Wong Chuk Hang Road, Aberdeen, Hong Kong; Or,
by email to johnlee@hkcfp.org.hk

HKCFP Trainees Research Fund 2014 / HKCFP Research Seed Fund 2014

The Research Committee of HKCFP is proud to continue to offer the two established research funds, The Trainees Research Fund and the Research Seed Fund again in 2014.

The Trainees Research Fund will be opened to all registered HKCFP trainees and is made of multiple awards (each up to HK\$10,000). It is envisaged it will help trainees especially (but not limited to) those doing research projects for their exit examination. Those who have funding support elsewhere will not be considered.

The Research Seed Fund is open to all HKCFP members when a maximum of \$10,000 award will be made to the successful applicant to assist the conduction of a research project.

Assessment Criteria for both funds:

1. Academic rigor of the proposal (e.g. originality, methodology, organisation and presentation); and
2. Relevance and impact to Family Medicine & primary care (e.g. importance of the topic and the impact of the findings on the practice or development of the discipline).

Preference will be given to the applicants applying for a project on one of the following themes this year:

1. Professionalism/ Doctor-patient interventions and clinical decision making;
2. Effectiveness of HKCFP vocational training;
3. Perception of FM by the general public and patient care-seeking behaviours;
4. New care models in primary care e.g. Patient Empowerment in chronic disease management;
5. Clinical presentations and clinical epidemiology; or
6. Health equity in primary care.

Please note you can still apply if the theme of your submitted research project is not one of the above mentioned. Each research project submitted will be assessed according to the above assessment criteria set by the selection panel. Please send your submission to:

Research Committee, HKCFP

803-4, 8/F, HKAM Jockey Club Building, 99 Wong Chuk Hang Road, Aberdeen, Hong Kong by post or by email: johnlee@hkcfp.org.hk

Please indicate the research funding title e.g. “HKCFP Trainees Research Fund 2014/ HKCFP Research Seed Fund 2014” on your research project upon submission.

Submission Deadline: 30th June 2014

Experience Sharing : Mobile Clinics in the New Territories East Cluster

Dr. Leung Shuk Yun and Dr. Maria Leung
Family Medicine Specialists in the New Territories East Cluster

In a densely populated city like Hong Kong with a good transport system, it is not difficult for patients to find a family doctor near their home. However, to some people who live in off-shore islands or near the north border of Hong Kong like Sha Tau Kok and Ta Kwu Ling, it could be difficult. How can we help this group of population, especially those elderly with problems in mobilization? This article gives you an idea about some public services provided to people living in the rural areas of Hong Kong.

(1) Floating Clinic

Background of floating clinic

In the 1950s', many of the Hong Kong residents were fishermen, living mainly in boats and off-shore islands. Therefore, the Medical and Health Department had to send a team of medical health care professionals to the islands to provide general out-patient clinic service and vaccination. In 1958 and 1959, the Hong Kong Jockey Club donated the marines "CHEE HONG" (慈航號) and "CHEE WAN" (慈雲號). A floating clinic team with a doctor, a nurse, a dispenser, a captain and a sailor was then formed. They followed a schedule to serve the residents on the off-store islands if weather permitted (Picture 1). During the early days, the medical team travelled to the islands and saw patients in the Che Kung Temples in the islands. In 1988, the Hong Kong Jockey Club donated the second generation marines "CHEE HONG" (慈航號) and "CHEE WAN" (慈雲號) to continue the service (Picture 2). A mini-clinic was set up on the ships so that patients could be seen there.

After providing these services for 20 years, "CHEE HONG" and "CHEE WAN" were retired in 2008. The service was then continued by a contract-out merchant marine.

Current service

Now, the floating clinic runs on every Tuesday to Thursday. A team with a doctor (Picture 3), a

nurse, a dispenser (Picture 4), a clerical staff and a workman from the Family Medicine Department of the New Territories East Cluster, the Hospital Authority continues to provide general out-patient service on the contract-out merchant marine to the residents of nine off-shore islands of Hong Kong. Around 60% of cases are consulting for episodic illnesses, while 40% of cases are following up for chronic diseases like hypertension and diabetes.



Picture 1: The floating clinic in 1960s'



Picture 3: Doctor consultation in the floating clinic



Picture 2: "CHEE HONG" (慈航號) and "CHEE WAN" (慈雲號)



Picture 4: Dispenser of the floating clinic

(2) Travelling dispensary

Background history of travelling dispensary

Many villages are located in the north border of Hong Kong. As these villages are geographically located far from the centre of cities, access to health care is very difficult. Public service, in a way of travelling dispensary, has been set up long ago to help provide simple healthcare management to these villagers. The travelling dispensary visit three places in the north border, namely Ta Kwu Ling Police Station (打鼓嶺警處), Lin Ma Hang (蓮麻坑) and Sun Uk Ling (新屋嶺). Since Lin Ma

Hang had become a closed frontier area in 1951, each of our staff requires a permit to work in the travelling dispensary. Over the last few decades, the number of villagers in those places had reduced as younger generations moved to live and work in more urban areas. Nowadays, those who lived in those villages are mainly of the older generation.

Current service

The travelling dispensary takes place every Friday afternoon, visiting Ta Kwu Ling Police Station, Lin Ma Hang and Sun Uk Ling in a three-hour session. At each stop, the minibus will stay for about 30 minutes. The number of patients attending at each stop ranges from 1 to 10. The medical team consists of a doctor, a nurse, a clerk and a dispenser. With limited space available, almost only basic and simple measurements such as blood pressure, glucostix and body temperature are available. Majority of cases present with episodic illnesses like symptoms of upper respiratory tract infection. Occasionally, some patients attend for follow up of chronic illnesses like hypertension and diabetes mellitus. As most investigations, including ECG, blood & urine tests, are not available, patients with relatively more complicated conditions have to be referred back to bigger public centres in the North District for further follow up and management.

Recently the services have been further enhanced with computers being connected to the hospital database, allowing electronic patient records to be seen in mobile clinics. Thus, better and safer patient care can be given.

Experiences for sharing

Looking at the settings, the healthcare management in the ship or mini-bus might appear to be oversimplified. The practice is very different from the usual "office" practice which is our traditional training background. However, not all staff are able to work in these kinds of



Picture 1: The travelling clinic is operated in a mini-bus.



Picture 2: The medical team consists of a doctor, a nurse, a clerk and a dispenser. The doctor was taking history while the nurse was checking a patient's blood pressure.

settings. The minimal requirement is that the staff should be able to tolerate vehicle or sea sickness. What's more, the staff should be very familiar with the management of different clinical conditions especially when using the emergency kit is necessary. In case of emergency, basic life support has to be initiated without delay as ambulance services will not be available as soon as in clinics located in urban areas. Nevertheless, working in such environment is still very enjoyable as most patients live in the locality and are well known to the service. It sounds easier for continuity of care to be achieved in such clinic settings!

令人回味的水運會



不在乎比賽勝負，只在乎勇往直前，隨心出發。



雖然已經無法再游到十幾年前37秒的成績，但到達終點的一刻，仍然充滿喜悅。

「爹d加油！爹d加油！」
「哥哥，你游快d啦！你包尾啦…」

當我在池邊等待出賽時，看到一眾同業的年幼子女們，既蹦蹦跳跳又「肉緊」地為家人打氣，深深體會到那種溫馨的感覺。尤其當我見到幼童組的一位戴著粉紅色泳帽的小女孩，站在跳水台上仍然矮人一截，我見猶憐，彷彿時光倒流到六歲的時候；當年我才小學一年班，抬頭望著旁邊線的小二、小三師姐，就是這樣「大無畏」地完成了人生第一場小學水運會。

今天是一年一度的香港醫學會游泳比賽，從理工大學保健處步行到比賽場地理工大學游泳池，就只

需五分鐘，這更加強我要堅持繼續出賽的決心。在泳池邊，碰到幾位當年同屬中大泳隊的師兄們，腹肌仍然健在，非常佩服。當年我是中大泳隊游「包尾」的那位，主要職責並非在大專賽或兩大賽爭光，而是負責召集來自不同學系的隊友們，集訓之後大夥兒去沙田食「宵夜」。我們差不多每星期集訓兩至三晚，每晚游幾千米，每次「宵夜」都是在筋疲力竭的情況下「搶食」；總之比賽成績次要，聯誼食飯至上，因此當年中大泳隊又名「中大飯團」。那時候我電燙了一把長髮，由於每次集訓之後要趕著去「宵夜」，所以沒有時間「吹頭」，隊友們笑我那未弄乾的髮型，尤如一碗倒轉的公仔麵，所以我的泳隊戰衣背面，就繡上了「公仔麵」的綽號了。

十幾年後的今天，我從中大走到理大的泳池，仍然頭戴著代表「飯團精神」的泳帽，不在乎比賽勝負，只在乎勇往直前。各位同業，雖然每天源源不絕的臨床診症，再加上繁鎖的行政事務，往往會令人身心疲倦；不妨每天保留一點屬於自己的時間，讓上班前的晨早清風，及下班後的皎潔明月，伴你同行，隨心出發。

羅思敏醫生

寫於二零一三年十月六日，一個寧靜的晚上

各位家庭醫生，下年我們組隊游接力賽好嗎？



Update News for Safety Concerns About Saxagliptin

Saxagliptin is a dipeptidyl peptidase-4 (DPP4) inhibitor indicated as an adjunct to diet and exercise to improve glycemic control in adults with type 2 diabetes mellitus in multiple clinical settings. It works by increasing the amount of insulin produced by the body after meals.

It is used either as a monotherapy, or as combination therapy with metformin, a thiazolidinedione (TZD), a sulfonylurea (SU), or insulin (with or without metformin). This is indicated when the single agent alone, together with diet and exercise, does not provide adequate glycemic control.

The recommended dose is 2.5 mg or 5 mg once daily regardless of meals. 2.5 mg daily dosage is recommended for patients with moderate or severe renal impairment, or end-stage renal disease (CrCl \leq 50 mL/min). We should assess patients' renal function before starting the medication and also on a regular basis.

The drug is contraindicated in patients with history of a serious hypersensitivity reaction (e.g., anaphylaxis, angioedema, exfoliative skin conditions) to saxagliptin. And possible drug interaction with strong CYP3A4/5 inhibitors (e.g., ketoconazole) significantly increases the concentration of saxagliptin, so limiting saxagliptin to 2.5 mg once daily is recommended in such situations.

In February 2014, the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) has requested clinical trial data from the manufacturer of saxagliptin to investigate a possible association between the use of this drug and heart failure.¹ The request resulted from a study published in the *New England Journal of Medicine* (NEJM)², which reported an increased rate of hospitalization for heart failure, when the heart does not pump blood well enough, with use of saxagliptin compared to an inactive treatment. The study did not find increased rates of death or other major cardiovascular risks, including heart attack or stroke, in patients who received saxagliptin. The manufacturer is expected to submit the trial data to FDA by early March 2014, after which FDA will conduct a thorough analysis.

At this time, FDA considers information from the NEJM study to be preliminary. The analysis of the saxagliptin clinical trial data is part of a broader evaluation of all type 2 diabetes drug therapies and cardiovascular risk. At present, if health care professionals wish to prescribe saxagliptin, they should continue to follow the prescribing recommendations in the drug labels and to remind their patients to report side effects after using the products.

References:

1. Food and Drug Administration. FDA Drug Safety Communication: FDA to review heart failure risk with diabetes drug saxagliptin (marketed as Onglyza and Kombiglyze XR). February, 11, 2014.
2. Scirica B et al. Saxagliptin and cardiovascular outcomes in patients with type 2 diabetes mellitus. *New Engl J Med* 2013 Oct 3; 369 (14): 1317-1326.

Compiled by Dr. Chung Chak Cheong, Calvin

Interest Group in Dermatology - The 40th Meeting on 1 March 2014

Dr. Chan Chi Wing - College Member

Theme : Family Practice with Special Interest in Skin Disease

Speaker : Dr. Shih Tai Cho
Specialist in Dermatology and Venereology

Moderator : Dr. Lam Wing Wo, Edmund
Coordinator, Board of Education

Learning points

Dr. Shih shared his invaluable experience in being a general practitioner with special interest in skin disease in Toronto.

Common conditions managed and procedures performed in his daily practice include:

wart, pigmented skin lesion, injection (Botox, hyaluronic acid), cautery, laser, hair transplantation, hair removal

Preparation before procedure:

- Honesty is the best policy in the management of skin diseases. Open explanation and discussion with patients about the possible risks and outcomes of the procedures is encouraged. Good communication is essential as patient and doctor may have different expectations. This can avoid conflict with patient about the treatment outcome.
- Consent is needed in both verbal and written format to protect ourselves. Details of consent can be referred to the websites of the Hospital Authority, private hospitals and other international bodies.
- When starting a treatment, try to apply over a small area as a test first. Then expand the treatment to larger area if the response is satisfactory and no side effect is noticed.

Suggestions on equipment investment for general practice:

- Decoration of your office: light-proof curtain is useful to create a dark room
- Magnifying glass with lighting, Wood's light to identify tinea skin infection
- Liquid nitrogen for cryotherapy (from HK Oxygen)
- Machine for radiofrequency surgery and laser surgery
- Before purchasing a new equipment, we can discuss the efficacy and the reputation of the new equipment with our colleagues
- We can try the new equipment among our staff or friends with skin problem first to see the outcome and side effects before applying to our patients

Development of primary care:

- Primary care should be advocated in Hong Kong, as it has been shown in other countries that it decreased the total health cost if primary care is well developed.
- General practitioners can gain professional development with additional accreditation through attending diploma program or demonstration courses/workshops before practising specifically in the discipline of dermatology.
- Many skin problems are related to psychosocial issues, and primary care physicians are good at communication and

developing doctor patient relationship. This can effectively manage skin problems using a biopsychosocial model.

- Involvement in voluntary work in the community such as giving a talk to students can help promote primary care to the public.

Audiences were enthusiastic in discussion during the Q and A session.

- There is concern about what and where to purchase medical equipments for skin disease. Manufacturers used to put the products list and useful tips on their website, e.g. being the member of the American Academy of Dermatology can enjoy discount by some US manufacturers.
- Suggestions about MPS for GP in managing patients with dermatological problems / cosmetic / minor surgery were discussed. Doctors should pay attention to the details of MPS covered before starting to perform procedures to patients.
- Sharing of management of different commonly encountered dermatological diseases in daily practice:
 - Techniques of explanation to parents of paediatric patients in the usage of topical steroid were demonstrated.
 - Phototherapy to psoriasis, prescription of roaccutane to patients with acne, nail clipping technique and tips of arranging fungal smear and cultures were discussed.

We enjoyed a fruitful Saturday afternoon with Dr. Shih's experience sharing and inspiration.

Next meeting

The next meeting will be on Saturday 3 May 2014. The guest speaker is Dr. Luk Chi Kong, Specialist in Paediatrics. He will speak to us on "The Management of Melanonychia".

All members are welcome and encouraged to present their cases and problems for discussions or role play. Please send your cases to our secretariat (johnlee@hkcfp.org.hk) 2 weeks before the date of presentation.



Dr. Foo Kam So, Stephen, Dr. Kwong Bi Lok, Mary, Dr. Shih Tai Cho & Dr. Lam Wing Wo, Edmund

Certificate Course of Dementia

Sponsored By Novartis Pharmaceuticals (HK) Ltd

Dates	:	17 May, 31 May, 14 June and 28 June (Saturdays)
Time	:	1:00pm - 2:00 pm Lunch 2:00pm - 4:00 pm Lecture & Discussion
Venue	:	5/F, Duke of Windsor Social Service Building, 15 Hennessy Road, Wanchai, H.K.
Target group	:	Primary care professionals who are interested in dementia.
Course Fee*	:	HKCFP Members – HK\$120 for whole course Non-HKCFP Members – HK\$240 for whole course (All cheques please made payable to "HKCFP Education Ltd" . All fees received are non-refundable and non-transferable.) *Course fee will be refunded to those who have attended 100% of all 4 lectures.
Accreditation	:	HKCFP: 2 CME points for each session (Cat 4.4) MCHK: 2 CME points for each session
Award	:	Those who have attended 75% or more of all the sessions will be awarded a "Certificate of Attendance".
Capacity	:	50 doctors

Programme Schedule

Dates	Topics	Speakers
17 May (Sat)	Early Clinical Diagnosis of Dementia - Core Clinical Features and Diagnostic Criteria	Dr. David DAI Consultant Geriatrician, Prince of Wales Hospital
31 May (Sat)	Drug Treatment - Strategic Pharmacological Intervention for Dementia	Dr. TAM Kui Fu, Stanley Associate Consultant, Department of Medicine, Hong Kong Buddhist Hospital
14 June (Sat)	Medical and Community Collaboration - Case Management in Community	Ms. Maggie LEE Assistant Director, Hong Kong Alzheimer's Disease Association
28 June (Sat)	Case Demonstration	Dr. Ray CHAN Associate Consultant, Department of Medicine & Geriatrics, United Christian Hospital

*** Registration will be first come first served. For any enquiry, please call the College secretariat, Ms. Rosina Chan at 2528 6618. ***

REPLY SLIP

To: HKCFP, Room 803-4, 8/F, HKAM Jockey Club Building, 99 Wong Chuk Hang Road, Aberdeen, Hong Kong

I am a ***Member / Non-member** of The Hong Kong College of family Physicians. **(*Please delete as appropriate)**

I would like to attend "**Certificate Course of Dementia**".

Name: _____ Tel: _____ Date: _____

Email: _____

- Please wear a surgical mask if you have respiratory tract infection and confirm that you are afebrile before coming to the meeting.
- Please wear an appropriate dress code to the hospital for the clinical attachment.
- Private Video Recording is not allowed. Members, who wish to review the lecture, please contact our secretariat.

ASSESSMENT ENHANCEMENT COURSE (AEC) FOR FAMILY PHYSICIANS 2014

Organizer	:	Assessment Enhancement Sub-committee, Board of Education, HKCFP
Tutors	:	Family Medicine Specialists, Fellows of HKCFP and RACGP
Supervisors	:	Dr. Tam Chung Yin, Janet and Dr. Chan Chi Wai
Co-ordinator	:	Dr. Lai Sheung Siu
Objectives	:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. To improve clinical knowledge, problem solving and consultation skills through different workshops 2. To improve physical examination technique and clinic procedural skills through hands-on experience 3. To provide opportunity for inter-professional communication and social network expansion through self-help groups 4. To improve time management through simulated examination
Venue	:	Duke of Windsor Social Service Building and HKAM Jockey Club Building
Date	:	7 months' course starting from April 2014
Course Structure	:	<p>The course will consist of 4 main components:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Seminars 2. Workshops 3. Self-help Group Support 4. Mock Exam <p>Seminars and Workshops will be arranged on Saturday afternoons (2:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.)</p>
Accreditation	:	Up to 15 CME points (Category 4.4) & 5 CPD points (Category 3.15) for the whole course
Course Fee	:	<p>Members : HK\$3,200 (Whole course) HK\$900 (Spot admission for each seminar or workshop only)</p> <p>All cheques payable to "HKCFP Education Ltd" All Fees received are non-refundable and non-transferable.</p>
Capacity	:	50 doctors maximum
Enrolment	:	Enrolment is now open. Please call the College Secretariat, Mr. John Lee, at 2528 6618 for details. Successful applications will be informed later.
Disclaimer	:	All cases and answers are suggested by our tutors only. They are not standard answers for examination.
Remarks	:	Post-AEC training course will be organized for category 2 candidates who have enrolled in AEC.

Assessment Enhancement Course 2014 Timetable for Workshop

Date	Topics	Venue
12 Apr 2014 (Sat) 2:30 – 5:30 p.m.	Introduction	Duke of Windsor Social Service Building, Wanchai
24 May 2014 (Sat) 2:30 – 5:30 p.m.	Approach to Physical Complaints	Duke of Windsor Social Service Building, Wanchai
21 Jun 2014 (Sat) 2:30 – 5:30 p.m.	Proper Physical Examination, Common Clinic Procedures	Duke of Windsor Social Service Building, Wanchai
26 Jul 2014 (Sat) 2:30 – 5:30 p.m.	Viva Practice: Enhance Interprofessional Communication	Duke of Windsor Social Service Building, Wanchai
23 Aug 2014 (Sat) 2:30 – 5:30 p.m.	Problem Solving Skills	Duke of Windsor Social Service Building, Wanchai
4 Oct 2014 (Sat) 2:30 – 6:00 p.m.	Mock Exam	HKAM Jockey Club Building, 99 Wong Chuk Hang Road

The CPR Subcommittee of the Board of Education is pleased to announce that the following candidates have passed the CPR Examination on 23 February 2014:

Dr. CHAN Chor Kwong	Dr. LAU Ka Kin	Dr. TSE Sut Yee
Dr. CHENG Hei Wan	Dr. LAU Wing Man	Dr. WONG Ka Ki, David
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Dr. CHEUNG Tsz Ki	Dr. LEE Fook Kay	Dr. WONG Ming Shun
Dr. CHO Yin Fan	Dr. LEE Yan Chi, Vivien	Dr. WONG Si Wah, Paul
Dr. FAN Yuen Shan, Patricia	Dr. LEUNG Hung Cho	Dr. WU Chun Yu
Dr. FUNG Chi Pun	Dr. LIE Kin Fung	Dr. YAU King Sun
Dr. HO Chung Yu	Dr. LO Chi Kin	Dr. YIK Chun Kit
Dr. HO Pui Gi	Dr. NG Chiu Lap	Dr. YUEN So San, Susana
Dr. KWONG Lok See	Dr. TONG Wai Keung	
Dr. LAM Cheok Kei, Jacky	Dr. TSANG Wai Kong, William	

Congratulations to you all.

3 May 2014 Saturday

Board of Education Interest Group in Dermatology

Aim	To form a regular platform for interactive sharing and discussion of interesting dermatological cases commonly seen in our daily practice	
Theme	The Management of Melanonychia	
Speaker	Dr. Luk Chi Kong Specialist in Paediatrics	
Co-ordinator & Chairman	Dr. Lam Wing Wo, Edmund The Hong Kong College of Family Physicians	
Time	1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. Lunch	2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. Theme Presentation & Discussion
Venue	5/F, Duke of Windsor Social Service Building, 15 Hennessy Road, Wanchai, Hong Kong	
Admission Fee	Members Non – members HKAM Registrants	Free HK\$ 300.00 HK\$ 150.00
	All fees received are non-refundable and non-transferable.	
Accreditation	2 CME points HKCFP (Cat. 4.3) 2 CPD points HKCFP (Cat. 3.15) 2 CME points MCHK	
Language	Lecture will be conducted in English and Cantonese.	
Registration	Registration will be first come first served. Please reserve your seat as soon as possible.	
Note	Participants are encouraged to present own cases for discussion. Please forward your cases to the Co-ordinator via the College secretariat 2 weeks prior to meeting.	

HKCFP would like to thank HKMA for supporting this educational activity.

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5 May 2014 Monday

Advances in HPV Vaccine: Benefit and Impact

Prof. Ray Kausik

*Professor, Cardiovascular Disease Prevention
Honorary Consultant Cardiologist
St George's Hospital, NHS Trust*

Chairman	Dr. Au Yeung Shiu Hing The Hong Kong College of Family Physicians	
Time	1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. Registration and Lunch	2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. Lecture and Discussion
Venue	The Ballroom, 18/F, The Mira Hotel, 118 Nathan Road, Tsim Sha Tsui, Kowloon	
Admission Fee	College Fellow, Full or Associate Members	Free
	Other Categories of Members	HK\$ 350.00
	Non-Members	HK\$ 450.00
	All fees received are non-refundable and non-transferable.	
Accreditation	2 CME points HKCFP (Cat. 4.3) 2 CME points MCHK Up to 2 CPD points (Subject to submission of satisfactory report of Professional Development Log)	
Language	Lecture will be conducted in English.	
Registration	Registration will be first come first served. Please reserve your seat as soon as possible.	

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Monthly Video Viewing Session

Monthly video viewing sessions will be scheduled on the last Friday of each month at 2:30 – 3:30 p.m. at 8/F, Duke of Windsor Social Service Building, 15 Hennessy Road, Wanchai, Hong Kong.

April's session:

Date	25 April 2014 (Friday)
Time	2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Topic	Update on Eczema – Dr. Chan Shu Yu
Admission	Free for Members
Accreditation	1 CME point HKCFP (Cat. 4.2) 1 CME point MCHK Up to 2 CPD points (Subject to submission of satisfactory report of Professional Development Log)
Language	Lecture will be conducted in English.

May's session:

Date	30 May 2014 (Friday)
Time	2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Topic	Cardiovascular Outcome Trial, What can We Expect to Learn – Prof. Simon Heller
Admission	Free for Members
Accreditation	1 CME point HKCFP (Cat. 4.2) 1 CME point MCHK Up to 2 CPD points (Subject to submission of satisfactory report of Professional Development Log)
Language	Lecture will be conducted in English.

Community Education Programme

Open and free to all members
HKCFP CME points accreditation (Cat 5.2)

Date/Time/CME	Venue	Topic/Speaker/Co-organizer	Registration
10 May 2014 2:15 - 4:15 p.m.	Training Room II, 1/F, OPD Block, Our Lady of Maryknoll Hospital, 118 Shatin Pass Road, Wong Tai Sin, Kowloon	Diabetes Care, Including Diabetes Conversation Map Ms. Jo Jo Kwan OMLH, Nurse Consultant (Diabetes Care)	Ms. Clara Tsang Tel: 2354 2440 Fax: 2327 6852

Structured Education Programmes

Free to members
HKCFP 2 CME points accreditation (Cat 4.3)

Date/Time/CME	Venue	Topic/Speaker(s)	Registration
7 May 14 (Wed)			
2:15 – 4:45 p.m.	E1034AB, 1/F, Main Block, Tuen Mun Hospital	Ophthalmological Emergency Dr. Felix Tsui	Ms. Eliza Chan Tel: 2468 6813
2:15 – 5:15 p.m.	Meeting Room, 1/F, Block F, United Christian Hospital	Childhood and Adolescence Psychological Problems (ADHD, Autistic Spectrum Disorders) Dr. Chung Sze Ting and Dr. Ho Pui Gi	Ms. Cordy Wong Tel: 3513 3087
5:15 – 7:15 p.m.	Lecture Hall, 5/F, 30 Hospital Road, Tsan Yuk Hospital	Clinical Audit & Quality Assurance Dr. Stephen Chou	Ms. Man Chan Tel: 2589 2337
8 May 14 (Thur)			
2:15 – 5:15 p.m.	Auditorium, G/F, Tseung Kwan O Hospital	Childhood and Adolescence Psychological Problems (ADHD, Autistic Spectrum Disorders) Dr. Xu Shaowei and Dr. Cheung Yan Kit	Ms. Cordy Wong Tel: 3513 3087
4:00 – 6:00 p.m.	Room 614, Ambulatory Care Centre, Tuen Mun Hospital	Professional Ethics: Confidentiality Dr. Lo Cheuk Wai and Dr. Ng Mei Po	Ms. Eliza Chan Tel: 2468 6813
5:00 – 7:00 p.m.	Room 041, 2/F, Pamela Youde Nethersole Eastern Hospital	Management of Gout Dr. Lee Ka Lai	Ms. Kwong Tel: 2595 6941

14 May 14 (Wed)

2:15 – 4:45 p.m.	E1034AB, 1/F, Main Block, Tuen Mun Hospital	Prospects & Working Opportunities of Family Medicine Trainees Dr. Chan Ka Ho	Ms. Eliza Chan Tel: 2468 6813
2:15 – 5:15 p.m.	Meeting Room, 1/F, Block F, United Christian Hospital	Eye Emergency in General Practice Dr. Tsui Hiu Fa and Dr. Kwong Sheung Li	Ms. Cordy Wong Tel: 3513 3087
5:15 – 7:15 p.m.	Lecture Hall, 5/F, 30 Hospital Road, Tsan Yuk Hospital	Private Clinic - How to Set Up a Clinic Dr. KH Tseung	Ms. Man Chan Tel: 2589 2337
5:00 – 7:30 p.m.	Seminar Room, 3/F, Li Ka Shing Specialist Clinic, Prince of Wales Hospital	Neurology Emergency Dr. Silvia Chow	Ms. Crystal Law Tel: 2632 3480

15 May 14 (Thur)

2:15 – 5:15 p.m.	Auditorium, G/F, Tseung Kwan O Hospital	Eye Emergency in General Practice Dr. Yuen Ming Wai and Dr. Chow Pui Yin, Melody	Ms. Cordy Wong Tel: 3513 3087
4:00 – 6:00 p.m.	Room 614, Ambulatory Care Centre, Tuen Mun Hospital	Common Cancer Screening Programs (Female) Dr. Leung Hor Yee	Ms. Eliza Chan Tel: 2468 6813
5:00 – 7:00 p.m.	Room 041, 2/F, Pamela Youde Nethersole Eastern Hospital	Management of Infertility Dr. Choi Man Kei, Ivan	Ms. Kwong Tel: 2595 6941

21 May 14 (Wed)

2:15 – 4:45 p.m.	E1034AB, 1/F, Main Block, Tuen Mun Hospital	Burn Out and Sick Doctors Dr. Tong Ka Hung	Ms. Eliza Chan Tel: 2468 6813
2:15 – 5:15 p.m.	Meeting Room, 1/F, Block F, United Christian Hospital	Approach to Alcoholism Dr. Cheuk Hiu Ying and Dr. Zhu Guixia	Ms. Cordy Wong Tel: 3513 3087
5:15 – 7:15 p.m.	Multi-function Room, NAHC Clinic, G/F, 30 Hospital Road, Tsan Yuk Hospital	Management of Common Eye Diseases in OPD Setting Dr. Ian Wong	Ms. Man Chan Tel: 2589 2337
5:00 – 7:30 p.m.	Seminar Room, 3/F, Li Ka Shing Specialist Clinic, Prince of Wales Hospital	Case Control and Cross Sectional Studies Dr. Han Jing Hao	Ms. Crystal Law Tel: 2632 3480

22 May 14 (Thur)

2:15 – 5:15 p.m.	Auditorium, G/F, Tseung Kwan O Hospital	Approach to Alcoholism Dr. Wan Pui Chu and Dr. Chan So Wai, Sara	Ms. Cordy Wong Tel: 3513 3087
4:00 – 6:00 p.m.	Room 614, Ambulatory Care Centre, Tuen Mun Hospital	Management of Patients with Irritable Bowel Syndrome Dr. Ho Tsz Bun and Dr. Lee Sik Kwan	Ms. Eliza Chan Tel: 2468 6813
5:00 – 7:00 p.m.	Room 041, 2/F, Pamela Youde Nethersole Eastern Hospital	Introduction to Occupational Therapy Service Dr. Mak Wing Hang	Ms. Kwong Tel: 2595 6941

28 May 14 (Wed)

2:15 – 4:45 p.m.	E1034AB, 1/F, Main Block, Tuen Mun Hospital	Motivational Interviewing Dr. Lam Siu Ping	Ms. Eliza Chan Tel: 2468 6813
2:15 – 5:15 p.m.	Conference Room, 1/F, Block F, United Christian Hospital	Journal Club (Menopausal Symptoms) Dr. Alvina Lo and Dr. Wong Sze Kei	Ms. Cordy Wong Tel: 3513 3087
5:15 – 7:15 p.m.	Lecture Hall, 5/F, 30 Hospital Road, Tsan Yuk Hospital	Management of common ECG problems in OPD setting Dr. Pura Cheng	Ms. Man Chan Tel: 2589 2337
5:00 – 7:30 p.m.	Seminar Room, 3/F, Li Ka Shing Specialist Clinic, Prince of Wales Hospital	Disinfection and Sterilization in Clinic Dr. Lian Cheng	Ms. Crystal Law Tel: 2632 3480

29 May 14 (Thur)

2:15 – 5:15 p.m.	Auditorium, G/F, Tseung Kwan O Hospital	Overview of Community Geriatric Assessment Service Dr. Fung Sze Yuen Case Presentation (Geriatric Cases) Dr. Chan Kam Sum	Ms. Cordy Wong Tel: 3513 3087
4:00 – 6:00 p.m.	Room 614, Ambulatory Care Centre, Tuen Mun Hospital	Women's Health: Common Post-natal Problems Dr. Vincci Kwok and Dr. Wu Sze Man	Ms. Eliza Chan Tel: 2468 6813
5:00 – 7:00 p.m.	Room 041, 2/F, Pamela Youde Nethersole Eastern Hospital	Research Methods and Research in Primary Care Dr. Siu Lok Man, Joanne	Ms. Kwong Tel: 2595 6941

COLLEGE CALENDAR

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
20 Apr	21	22	23 2:15 – 5:15 p.m. Structured Education Programme 5:30 p.m. Post Exit Exam Evaluation Workshop	24 2:15 – 7:00 p.m. Structured Education Programme 5:30 p.m. Specialty Board Research Subcommittee Meeting 9:00 p.m. Board of Conjoint Examination Meeting	25 2:30 – 3:30 p.m. Board of Education – Video Session	26 2:30 – 4:30 p.m. Interest Group in Counselling 2:00 – 6:00 p.m. DFM Pre Examination Workshop
27	28 7:00 p.m. HKPCC Meeting	29 1:00 – 3:30 p.m. CME Lecture 9:00 p.m. Board of Education Meeting	30 2:15 – 5:15 p.m. Structured Education Programme	1 May	2	3 1:00 – 4:00 p.m. Interest Group in Dermatology 2:30 – 3:30 p.m. Written Enhancement Training 2014
4	5 1:00 – 3:30 p.m. CME Lecture 5:30 – 8:00 p.m. Exit Exam - Comments Review Session I	6	7 2:15 – 5:15 p.m. Structured Education Programme 5:30 – 8:00 p.m. Exit Exam - Comments Review Session II	8 2:15 – 7:00 p.m. Structured Education Programme 9:00 p.m. Council Meeting	9	10 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. DFM Written Examination
11	12	13	14 2:15 – 7:30 p.m. Structured Education Programme	15 2:15 – 7:00 p.m. Structured Education Programme	16	17 1:00 – 3:30 p.m. Certificate Course on Dementia 4:30 – 6:30 p.m. Health Info Writing Workshop
18 2:00 – 8:00 p.m. DFM OSCE Examination	19	20	21 2:15 – 7:30 p.m. Structured Education Programme	22 2:15 – 7:00 p.m. Structured Education Programme 9:00 p.m. Board of Conjoint Examination Meeting	23	24 2:30 – 5:30 p.m. AEC 2014
25	26	27	28 2:15 – 7:30 p.m. Structured Education Programme	29 2:15 – 7:00 p.m. Structured Education Programme	30 2:30 – 3:30 p.m. Board of Education – Video Session	31 1:00 – 3:30 p.m. Certificate Course on Dementia

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