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Message from the Editors

In this issue of newsletter, readers will find information about the new paediatric specialty training curriculum proposed by the Working Group on Curriculum Review. Your support in this new training framework is highly appreciated. Also, please mark your diary for the upcoming 2024 Paediatric Update No. 1. Last but not least, the Editors would like to wish our Fellows, Members, Associates and friends a prosperous and joyful new Year of the Dragon!

Education Committee

New Paediatric Specialty Training Curriculum

The College is pleased to announce that the new curriculum, proposed by the Working Group on Curriculum Review, has been endorsed by the Council and Academy Education Committee.

The new curriculum features competency-based training. It introduces four formative tools that will replace case logging in future.

The tentative implementation date will be July 2025. Please visit hkpaedcr.paediatrician.org.hk for more details.

The College will focus on training the trainers in the coming year. We are grateful for the support of all our fellows, members and associates in this significant transition to a more modern training framework.

Cancellation of dual capture requirement for virtual CME activities more than one hour

The College has cancelled the dual attendance capture requirement for Online CME activities of more than one hour duration in the CME guidelines of 2023 - 2025.

From now on, all CME activities, virtual or physical, will only need one record of attendance for the CME credits to be granted, regardless of duration.

The College would appreciate the attention of all fellows and event organizers.

2024 Paediatric Update No.1

The first Paediatric Update by the College this year on 2 March 2024 (Saturday) 2 pm at Lecture Theatre, G/F, Block M, Queen Elizabeth Hospital, 30 Gascoigne Road, Kowloon. The title is "Rashes in Children".

We have invited five experts to give us talks on different rashes. The talks will be enriched with a lot of illustrated examples. It will be a great refresher, not only for the MRCPCH clinical exam but also for our daily work.

Please mark your calendar on **2 March 2024** from 2:00 pm to 4:30 pm for this event.



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2024 Paediatric Update No. 1

Rashes in Children

Date and Time: 2 March 2024 (Saturday), 2:00 pm - 4:30 pm

Venue: M Ground Lecture Theatre, Queen Elizabeth Hospital, 30 Gascoigne Road, Kowloon

TOPICS:

General Approach to Rashes

Dr Luk Chi Kong David, United Christian Hospital

Common Paediatric Dermatological Infections and Inflammatory Dermatoses

Dr James Wesley Cheng, United Christian Hospital

Acute Exanthematous Illnesses in Children and Adolescents

Dr Kwan Yat Wah Mike, Princess Margaret Hospital

Rashes in Rheumatology

Dr Chan Kwai Yu Winnie, Queen Elizabeth Hospital

Rashes in Haematology and Oncology

Dr Leung Wing Yan Cindy, Hong Kong Children's Hospital

Chairpersons: Dr Ng Kwan Wai Alan, Dr Tam Yat Cheung Alfred

CME Accreditation: Hong Kong College of Paediatricians - Category A, 3 points

All are Welcome!

Please note:

- (1) This is a face-to-face meeting with presentation on site only. Light refreshment will be served.
- (2) The CME attendance of this meeting will be recorded by the ICMECPD app ONCE at this physical meeting. Please download the ICMECPD app and log onto your account before the event. Please visit www.icmecpd.hk for the app download and assistance in logging in.
- (3) For enquiry, please contact enquiry@paediatrician.org.hk.

Committee for Subspecialty Boards

Paediatric Neurology (PN)

PN SB re-accreditation of training centres

The College has approved at its 207th Council Meeting on 28 November 2023 the re-accreditation of 11 Training Centres in the Subspecialty of Paediatric Neurology (PN):

Accredited Subspecialty Training Centre	Training Modules provided at the Centre (number in months)			
	Module A	Module C	Module D	Elective
Alice Ho Miu Ling Nethersole Hospital (AHNH)	18			
Caritas Medical Centre (CMC)	18	3		
Hong Kong Children's Hospital (HKCH)	3			3
Kwong Wah Hospital (KWH)	27			
Princess Margaret Hospital (PMH)	27			
Prince of Wales Hospital (PWH)	27			
Pamela Youde Nethersole Eastern Hospital (PYNEH)	27			
Queen Elizabeth Hospital (QEH)	27			
Queen Mary Hospital (QMH) / Duchess of Kent Children's Hospital at Sandy Bay (DKCH)	27	3	3	
Tuen Mun Hospital (TMH)	27			
United Christian Hospital (UCH)	27			

Remarks:

Module A – Hospital based Paediatric Neurology

Module C – Neuro-rehabilitation

Module D – Neurodevelopmental Paediatrics

Elective Modules

Subspecialty of Paediatric Endocrinology (PE)

The following PE trainees have passed the Exit Assessment on 27 November 2023 and met all the requirements of our College to become PE new Fellows:

Dr CHUNG Ying Ki (CMC)

Dr POON Wing Yiu Sarah (QMH/HKCH)

Dr WONG Wai Yu Eunice (TMH)

They have been approved by CSB and endorsed by the College at 208th Council meeting on 30 January 2024.

Subspecialty of Paediatric Haematology & Oncology (PHO)

The College would like to congratulate Dr YAN Lai Sim (HKCH) who has passed the remedial Exit Assessment on 28 November 2023 and approved by CSB and endorsed by the College at 208th Council meeting on 30 January 2024.

Developmental-Behavioural Paediatrics (DBP)

The College would like to congratulate Dr TONG Suet Wai (DHCAS), the DBP trainee who has passed the Exit Assessment on 18 January 2024 and met all the requirements of the College to become a DBP new Fellow. Dr TONG has been approved by CSB and endorsed by the College at 208th Council meeting on 30 January 2024.

Hong Kong College of Paediatricians Foundation

After 3-year delay with the COVID, our college foundation has successfully organized the third NRP teaching from 9 - 10 October 2023 in Ningxia. 12 of us and a nursing colleague, namely Drs. Cheung Kam Lau, Vincent Leung, Genevieve Fung, Polly Ho, Ellis Hon, Karen Leung, Wilfred Leung, Terence Ma, Elim Man, Allen Tang, Joseph Ting (from Edmonton), Yam Man Ching and Miss Chan Yim Fan had joined the teaching.

The course took place at the Medical University of the Ningxia General Hospital and successfully coached 98 participants following the debriefing approach of the AAP NRP program. Local teachers paired up with a teacher from the Hong Kong team to aid in small group teaching. Successfully passed candidates were offered newborn resuscitation equipment to facilitate continuing teaching at their unit. They reported significant reduction in neonatal mortality with advance in technology and evidence-based approach in care of the newborn and resuscitation since our program.

This successful program is followed by a visit to Xinyang, Henan as a preparatory visit and train-the-trainer program to prepare our coming 3-year project in Henan. Young and enthusiastic paediatricians as well as experienced teachers are welcome to join us to this meaningful program which in going to happen in May 2024.



CME Category A Activities

Listed below are CME Category A activities organized by the HKCPaed, various paediatric societies and institutions, and selected paediatrics-focused topics. For the complete list of Category A activities, please refer to the homepage of the HKCPaed.

The accuracy of the information has been checked according to the details submitted by the responsible organizers. The information below is abstracted from the event organizers on 29 January 2024. *Members and fellows are reminded to contact the enquiries listed below for last-minute alternations.*

March 2024		
2 March (Saturday)	Topic:	2024 Paediatric Update No. 1: Rashes in Children
	Venue:	M Ground Lecture Theatre, Queen Elizabeth Hospital, 30 Gascoigne Road, Kowloon.
	Time:	14:00 to 16:30
	Speaker:	Dr LUK Chi Kong David Dr CHENG James Wesley Ching-hei Dr KWAN Yat Wah Mike Dr CHAN Kwai Yu Winnie Dr LEUNG Wing Yan Cindy
Cat. A 3 points	Organizer:	Hong Kong College of Paediatricians
	Coordinator:	Dr WU Shun Ping
	Registration & Enquiry:	Ms Carly CHAN Email: carly.chan@paediatrician.org.hk Tel: 2871 8773 Registration Deadline: 1 March 2024

7 March (Thursday)	Topic:	Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV) Infections Amongst Infants: Burden, Risk Prevention Strategies and Management (Online)
	Venue:	Online Zoom
	Time:	14:00 to 15:00
	Speaker:	Prof HON Kam Lun Ellis
Cat. A 1 point	Organizer:	Hong Kong Medical Association
	Coordinator:	Mr. Jeff CHENG Email: jeffcheng@hkma.org Tel: 3108 2517
	Registration & Enquiry:	HKMA CME Dept. Email: cme@hkma.org Tel: 3108 2507

15 March (Friday)	Topic:	Workplace – Based Training: From MRCPCH to a Paediatrician
	Venue:	James Kung Meeting Room, 2/F, Jockey Club HKAM Building, 99 Wong Chuk Hang Road, Aberdeen.
	Time:	14:00 to 18:00
	Speaker:	Dr Leena PATEL Dr Tina SAJJANHAR
Cat. A 3 points	Organizer:	Hong Kong College of Paediatricians
	Coordinator:	Dr WU Shun Ping
	Registration & Enquiry:	Ms Carly CHAN Email: carly.chan@paediatrician.org.hk Tel: 2871 8773

15 March (Friday)	Topic:	Nutrition support for critically ill children
	Venue:	PICU Conference Room
	Time:	14:30 to 15:30
	Speaker:	Ms Carmen YEUNG (Dietitian)
Cat. A 3 points	Organizer:	Hong Kong Children Hospital, PICU
	Coordinator:	Ms Mandy IP
	Registration & Enquiry:	Ms Mandy IP Email: mandy.ip@ha.org.hk Tel: 3513 6017 Join Zoom Meeting: https://ha-org-hk.zoom.us/j/94224800619 Meeting ID: 942 2480 0619 Password: 688705

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