

# HK College of Paediatricians

Proposal on neonatology training program

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# Summary (1)

- \* Making reference to overseas training programs (US, UK, Australia)
- \* Local modification through consensus building in HK Neonatal Society council
- \* Local adaptation with incorporation of HK Children Hospital (when established)

# Summary (2)

- \* Emphasis on:
  - \* Entry requirement and Duration
  - \* Core and non-core training modules
  - \* clinical training, relevant subspecialties and disciplines
  - \* Local and overseas exposure
  - \* Perinatal centers\* and surgical centers#
  - \* Transport\*\*
  - \* Research
  - \* Content and format

# Elaborations

- \* **Entry requirement:**
  - \* After fellow in paediatrics
- \* **Total duration of subspecialty training: 3 years**
  - \* One year can be overlapping with high training if neonatology training requirement is satisfied
  - \* **Core training: 2 to 2.5 year** (One year can be overlapping with high training if neonatology training requirement is satisfied)
  - \* **Non-core training: 0.5 to 1 year** (research in neonatology/overseas/other subspecialty; max 6 months each activity)

# Elaborations (2)

- \* Core training:
  - \* more than one center
  - \*  $\geq$  two years in accredited tertiary perinatal centers
  - \*  $\geq$  3 months in any one perinatal center
  - \* At least 3 months in neonatal surgical service (not restricted to HKCH)

# Elaborations (3)

- \* Non-core training modules /choices: (refer excel)
- \* Overseas attachment: can be up to one year with prior approval
- \* Training projects: at least one during training
- \* Neonatal transport (inter-hospital)
- \* Training sites: annual deliveries  $\geq 1800$ /year, level 3

# Details

- \* Excel table attached