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Message from the Editors

As we are into the Year of the Horse, on behalf of the House Committee, we would like to wish everyone a prosperous and healthy new year.

Standing Committees for 2014 – 2015

In this issue of the newsletter we have provided information on chairpersons and members of the various Standing Committees for 2014–2015 (**Appendix I**). The College council expresses sincere thanks to all outgoing committee members. Their support has contributed to the success of the College in the past few years.

Message from the Honorary Treasurer

To: All Fellows / Overseas Fellows / Members / Overseas Members / Associates

1st REMINDER -2014 Annual Subscription

Further to my notice dated 12 December 2013 together with our Debit Note requesting for payment of Year 2014 annual subscription, please be informed that there are still some Fellow members who have not yet sent in their subscriptions. If you have not sent in your payment, please send in your subscription fee **immediately**.

Year 2014 subscription fees for Hong Kong College of Paediatricians are as follows:

Fellows: HK\$1,800

Fellows, Members and Associates over the age of 65 before 1 January 2014: Waived

Overseas Fellows: HK\$900 (with approved overseas status)

Members: HK\$1.200

Overseas Members: HK\$600 (with approved overseas status)

Associates: HK\$600

Please make your cheque **payable to "Hong Kong College of Paediatricians"** and send to the College Chamber at your earliest convenience:

Dr Chan Chi Sik

Honorary Treasurer

Room 801, Hong Kong Academy of Medicine Jockey Club Building

99 Wong Chuk Hang Road, Aberdeen, Hong Kong

Kindly please ignore this reminder if you have already paid your subscription. Thank you for your attention.

Dr Chan Chi Sik

Honorary Treasurer

Examination Committee

Results of recent examinations

Date	Examination	Pass / No. of sittings	Pass rate
19 December 2013	31 st Exit Assessment	8/8	100%

32nd Exit Assessment

The 32nd Exit Assessment will be held on 19th June 2014. The closing date for receipt of completed application forms and associated documents is **1**st**April 2014**. Details of application and forms can be downloaded from the College website.

Education Committee

1) 2014 Paediatric Update No. 1

The first 2014 Paediatric Update seminar in 2014 will be held on 27th April 2014 (Sunday afternoon) from 2:00pm to 5:00pm at the Lecture Theatre, Ground Floor, M Block of Queen Elizabeth Hospital. The seminar will be on "Paediatric Genetics/Genomics". Several exciting talks will be given by our local experts together with a prominent guest speaker from the Baylor College of Medicine, USA. The final programme will be confirmed soon. Please refer to Appendix II for the preliminary announcement. THREE Category A CME points will be awarded.

The **2014 Paediatric Update No. 2** and **2014 Annual Scientific Meeting** will be held on **13thJuly 2014 (Sunday)** and **6th December 2014 (Saturday)** respectively.

2) Child Protection Course

The College will hold the 7th Child Protection Course on **Saturday**, **10th May 2014**. This will be a whole day training course, consisting of role-play, lectures and class discussion, and is open to Associates, Members and Fellows of the College. Since completion of the Child Protection Course is a mandatory requirement before the Exit Assessment, Training Supervisors may wish to plan ahead for release of their trainees to attend the Course. Course information and application details will be available in March/April 2014.

Hong Kong College of Paediatricians - HM Lui Memorial Fund

The Hong Kong College of Paediatricians established the HM Lui Memorial Fund in Year 2001 to promote postgraduate study and research in liver diseases and related disciplines in children.

Applications are invited for the HM Lui Fellowship, which will be awarded to residents of Hong Kong SAR who are able to meet the following minimum criteria:

THE HM LUI FELLOWSHIP

The HM Lui Fellowship will be awarded to paediatricians for education, training and research in overseas countries **in any field of Paediatrics**, preferably liver diseases and gastroenterology in the year 2014. The applicant must be aged below 40 years; residents of Hong Kong SAR and are currently working in Hong Kong SAR.

The award of the Fellowship will consist of:

- 1. Round trip airfare (economy class) by the most economical route.
- 2. Monthly allowance of HK\$10,000-HK\$12,000.
- 3. Reimbursement of course fees and books up to HK\$6,000.

The award of the Fellowship shall range from three (3) to twelve (12) months. <u>Application must be made by nomination by the Head of the Department of Paediatrics or Hospital Chief Executive</u>. **The deadline of application is 31 March 2014.**

Application forms are available on the College website at www.paediatrician.org.hk or contact Ms Connie Lui, College Secretary of the Hong Kong College of Paediatricians, Room 801, Hong Kong Academy of Medicine Jockey Club Building, 99 Wong Chuk Hand Road, Aberdeen, Hong Kong at Tel: (852) 2871 8872/ Fax: (852) 2785 1850 / Email: connie.lui@paediatrician.org.hk.

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, including continuous courses, and Category B 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 College Web site on 23 Jan 2014. *Members and fellows are reminded to contact the enquiries listed below for last-minute alternations.*

Feb2014		
19 Feb	Topic:	Paediatric Neurology Academic Meeting on Cerebral Palsy
	Venue:	Queen Elizabeth Hospital
	Time:	18:30-19:30
	Speaker:	Ms. Chan Nar Chi, Nerita / Dr. Choi Kai Yiu, Alexander
Cat. A 1	Organizer:	Paediatric Neurology Association of Hong Kong
pt	Coordinator:	Dr. Ma Kam Hung
	Enquiry:	Tel: 51457621

27 Feb	Topic:	Neurodevelopmental Conference: Substance Abuse in Children and	
		Adolescents	
Venue: Queen Elizabeth Hospital		Queen Elizabeth Hospital	
	Time:	19:30-21:30	

	Speaker:	Various
Cat. A 2	Organizer:	The HK Society of Child Neurology and Developmental Paediatrics
pts	Coordinator:	Dr. Lee Mun Yau, Florence
	Enquiry:	Tel: 22466642

Mar 2014		
20 -21	Topic:	Cerebral Palsy in focus: Emerging Clinical Applications with Cord
Mar		Blood Stem Cells (Identical)
	Venue:	Day 1: The Landmark Mandarin Oriental
		Day 2: Hyatt Regency, T.S.T.
	Time:	19:15-20:30
	Speaker:	Various
Cat. A 1pt	Organizer:	The Obstetrical and Gynaecological Society of Hong Kong
	Coordinator:	Ms. Carol Chow
	Enquiry:	Tel: 22080948

Hong Kong College of Paediatricians Membership of the College Committees for Years 2014-2015

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Dr CHENG Chun Fai

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Examination Committee

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Dr TSE Wing Yee, Winnie

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Prof YEUNG Chap Yung Prof YUEN Man Pan, Patrick

^{*} New Members

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Dr HO Hok Kung, Marco

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CME Subcommittee

Chairman : Dr TSOI Nai Shun
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Hon. Secretary : Dr LAM Shu Yan, David
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Dr HO Che Shun, Jackson

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Dr LEE Ngar Yee, Natalie

Dr LEE Wai Hong

Dr TSE Wan Ting, Philomena Dr WONG Sik Nin (Ex-officio)

Dr YAM Man Ching Dr YUEN Hui Leung

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Dr CHEN Hong

Dr CHENG Chun Fai*(wef 6 Feb 14)

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Dr LAM Hung San
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Dr LOUNG Po Yee
Dr MA Lap Tak
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Preliminary Announcement

Hong Kong College of Paediatricians 2014 Paediatric Update No. 1

Co-organized with Hong Kong Society of Medical Genetics

PAEDIATRIC GENETICS/GENOMICS

Date : **27 April 2014 (Sunday)** Time : 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Venue: M Block, Ground Floor, Lecture Theatre,

Queen Elizabeth Hospital

Chairmen: Prof Y L LAU

Dr Ivan F M LO

Speakers: Dr Josephine S C CHONG

Dr Brian H Y CHUNG Dr Stephen T S LAM

Dr H M LUK

Prof James R LUPSKI

......EXCITING TOPICS INCLUDE

- **♦** Common Genetic Syndromes in Paediatric Practice
- "New Disorders" Uncovered by New Technology: Lessons From The First 2 Years of aCGH Studies
- ◆ Experience From the First Expanded Newborn Metabolic Screening Program in Hong Kong
- Merging Human Genetics and Genomics From Genes to Genomes, Rare Variants and Clan Genomics
- **♦** Ethical Issues Associated with Genomics Technology

All College Fellows, Members & Associates are welcome

Watch out for our Final Programme