



Newsletter
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Dear Fellows, Members, Inceptors and Affiliates,

Please take note of the following announcements:

I. New College Website

We are pleased to inform members of all categories that construction of the new college website is complete and the new website can be accessed at <http://www.hkcpysch.org.hk/>.

Fellows are encouraged to log onto the “*Fellows’ Area*” where a password is required for entry to set up a new password as soon as possible. The default user name is your registered email address with the College, while the temporary password is the words before the “@” in your email address. Fellows without an email address would be sent a temporary user name and password by post along with this newsletter.

II. Part III Dissertation Archive

To facilitate viewing of old Part III dissertations for senior trainees, a Part III Dissertation Archive has been set up. Abstracts of all old dissertations in PDF format can be accessed at the new college website at <http://www.hkcpysch.org.hk/> under “*Members and Fellows*” and then “*Examination*”. Leather-bound hardcopies of all old dissertations have been placed in the KCH library. They are available for **viewing** as reference items in the KCH library.

III. College Policy of Retired Fellows

Recently the College has received enquiries from members regarding our policy for retired Fellows and its relationship with subscription fees and CME/CPD requirement. In relation to these, the College has clarified with the Academy and has decided to align our policy with that of the Academy, which is as follows:

1. Subscription fee: Fellows of the following categories are entitled to a reduced subscription fee
 - i. Fellows aged 65 or above (whether in active practice or not)
 - ii. Fellows declaring retirement from active clinical practice with supporting evidence (irrespective of age).
2. Compliance to CME/CPD is required if a Fellow is in active clinical practice (irrespective of age or status).

Fellows who wish to change your status may make use of the attached “*Notification of Change of Personal Particulars*” Form.

IV. The Hong Kong Journal of Psychiatry

The Publication Committee would like to inform our Members and Fellows that the College Journal has been indexed by the *Index Copernicus*. We would like to solicit more submission of manuscripts and cross referencing to improve the impact of our research work.

V. Organisational Application for CME/CPD

Please note that organisational application for CME/CPD accreditation needs to be submitted to the Hong Kong Academy of Medicine ***before*** the actual conduct of the activity. Retrospective recognition of organisational activity for CME/CPD is generally NOT accepted by the HKAM and the College. Enquiries for application procedure can be submitted to Ms. Sabrina Hung at the College Secretariat.

Thank you for your attention.

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Notification of Change of Personal Particulars

Name (in block letters):	Prof./ Dr.	
With effect from _____, please change my records as follows:		
New correspondence address:		
Room/Flat:	Floor:	Block:
Name of building/estate:		
No. and name of Street/Road:		
District:	Hong Kong / Kowloon / NT	
Postal code:		
Country:		
New correspondence contact numbers / e-mail address:		
Office telephone no.		
Facsimile No.:		
Mobile phone/pager:		
E-mail address:		
Change of status: (For Fellows Only if applicable)		
Current status:		
<input type="checkbox"/> Public sector (HA/University)	<input type="checkbox"/> Private sector	
<input type="checkbox"/> Retired	<input type="checkbox"/> Overseas	
New status:		
<input type="checkbox"/> Public sector (HA/University)	<input type="checkbox"/> Private sector	
<input type="checkbox"/> Retired	<input type="checkbox"/> Overseas	

Signature: _____

Contact telephone number: _____

Date: _____