

**Programme Brief**  
**(as at 10 February 2017)**

**Workshop for Preparedness of Bioterrorism**

**Organised by Infectious Disease Control Training Centre, Hospital Authority/  
Infection Control Branch, Centre for Health Protection;  
Chief Infection Control Officer's Office, Hospital Authority**

**Date: 16 February (whole day) and 17 February (am) 2017**

**Venue: Lecture Theatre, G/F, Centre for Health Protection, 147C Argyle Street, Kowloon**

**Objectives:**

The workshop would focus on the following aspects:

1. To equip healthcare professionals of various levels with latest knowledge and skills on major infectious disease emergencies and Bioterrorism preparedness
2. To provide a platform for cross-sharing on experience / expertise on latest trend, findings or views on related practice from global perspective
3. To identify enhancement needs for Infectious Disease emergency preparedness in Hong Kong with international communities
4. To review training needs for Infectious Disease emergency preparedness in Hong Kong with international communities

**Target participants:**

1. Doctors of related specialties including Infectious Disease, Microbiology, A&E, Internal Medicine, Paediatrics, Community Medicine and Family Medicine
2. Infection Control Officers and/or Infection Control Nurses
3. Other clinical or nursing professionals / healthcare administrators involved in infection control or infectious disease management

**Programme outline:**

1.5-day program including didactic lecture and roundtable meeting

**International Faculty:**

**Prof David Jay Weber, MD, MPH, FIDSA, FSHEA**

Professor of Medicine, Pediatrics and Epidemiology  
School of Medicine and Gillings School of Global Public Health  
University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

Associate Chief Medical Officer, UNC Medical Center  
Medical Director, Hospital Epidemiology, UNC Medical Center  
Medical Director, Occupational Health Service, UNC Medical Center  
Co-Chair, Biomedical IRB  
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

**Dr Daniel Lucey MD MPH**

Georgetown University Medical and Law School

**Associate Prof Poh Lian Lim, MD, MPH**

Senior Consultant, Institute of Infectious Diseases & Epidemiology  
Tan Tock Seng Hospital, Singapore  
Senior Consultant, Communicable Disease Division  
Ministry of Health, Singapore

**Local Faculty:**

**Dr Yeung Sai Dat, Richard**

Consultant, Department of Accident & Emergency  
Alice Ho Miu Ling Nethersole Hospital

**Moderators:**

**Dr Dominic NC Tsang**

Chief Infection Control Officer, Hospital Authority

**Dr Andrew TY Wong**

Head, Infection Control Branch, Centre for Health Protection & Consultant in-charge, Infectious Disease Control Training Centre, Hospital Authority

**Dr Choi Kin Wing**

Deputy Chief of Service / Consultant, Department of Medicine, Alice Ho Miu Ling Nethersole Hospital, Hospital Authority

**Dr Owen TSANG**

Medical Director (ID) Hospital Authority Infectious Disease Centre / Consultant (Medicine & Geriatrics), Princess Margaret Hospital, Hospital Authority

## Programme Rundown

### (Day One – 16 Feb 2017)

#### **Didactic lectures**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Topic</b>	<b>Speaker</b>
8:45 – 9:00	Registration	
9:00 – 9:15	Welcome address and souvenir presentation	

#### **Session I**

9:15 – 9:55	Topic 1: Black Swans & White Powder: Challenges of Diagnosis & Management as Clinicians	Prof Lim Poh Lian
9:55 – 10:35	Topic 2 : Recognition and management of emerging highly contagious diseases: Hemorrhagic fevers (Ebola) and highly communicable respiratory diseases (avian influenza, MERS, SARS)	Prof David Weber
10:35 – 11:05	Panel Discussion Session	
11:05 – 11:15	Break	
11:15 – 11:55	Topic 3 : Anthrax: Diagnosis, Clinical Staging, Risk Communication	Dr Daniel Lucey
11:55 – 12:45	Panel Discussion Session	
12:45 – 14:15	Lunch	

#### **Session II**

14:00 – 14:15	Registration	
14:15 – 14:55	Topic 4 : Recognition and Management of Agents of Biothreats : Overview, Smallpox, Plague and Tularemia	Prof David Weber
14:55 – 15:30	Panel Discussion Session	
15:30 – 15:45	Break	
15:45 – 16:25	Topic 5 : Anthrax: Vaccines, Antitoxins, Chest Tubes	Dr Daniel Lucey
16:25 – 17:15	Panel Discussion Session	

### **End of Didactic lectures of Day 1**

### (Day Two – 17 Feb 2017)

#### **Didactic lectures**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Topic</b>	<b>Speaker</b>
8:45 – 9:00	Registration	

#### **Session III**

9:00 – 9:40	Topic 6 : Smallpox: Recognition and Vaccination	Dr Daniel Lucey
9:40 – 10:20	Topic 7 : Bioterrorism: is Hong Kong prepared?	Dr Richard Yeung
10:20 – 10:30	Break	

**End of Didactic lectures of Day 2**

**(Day Two – 17 Feb 2017)**

**Round Table Meeting**

10:30 – 12:45

Discussion Topic: Preparedness on Bioterrorism in HA

Chaired by  
Dr T Y Wong and  
Dr Vivien Chuang

**End of Round Table Session of Day 2**

*Remarks:*

*All international faculties and local speakers will be invited to participate and give expert advice/ views during all Discussion sessions and round table meeting with interactive dialogue with the participants*