

Symposium on Infection Control in Nephrology Services

Jointly organized by:

**Infectious Disease Control Training Centre, Hospital Authority /
Infection Control Branch, Centre for Health Protection and Central Renal Committee,
Hospital Authority**

Title	Symposium on Infection Control in Nephrology Services
Target Participants	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• All health care workers in nephrology service from HA hospitals, private hospitals and the community• Doctors of related specialties including Infectious Disease, Microbiology, A&E, Pathology, Paediatrics, Internal Medicine, Community Medicine and Family Medicine• Infection Control Nurse or Officers in public and private hospitals & Department of Health
Objectives	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• To update on evidence based infection control in nephrology service• To highlight the international recommendations on the prevention and management of blood borne pathogens in dialysis patients• To discuss the importance of surveillance system in prevention of catheter-related blood stream infections and multiple drugs resistant organisms in renal patients• To describe important indicators for future infection control accreditation
Date	17th January 2010 (Sunday whole day)
Time	9:00 – 5:00 pm [Registration start at 8:30 am]
Venue	Lecture Theatre Head Office Hospital Authority 147A Argyle Street, Kowloon

Time	Lecture and Seminar
0830 - 0900	Registration
AM	Chairmen: Dr TY Wong and Dr FK Li
0900 - 0930	Welcoming Address & Presentation of Souvenirs Dr Alex Yu Clinical Professor of Medicine, Chinese University of Hong Kong Chief of Service, Department of Medicine, AHNH Dr TY Wong Head and Cons i/c Infectious Disease Control Training Centre Hospital Authority / Infection Control Branch, Centre for Health Protection
0930 - 1015	Infectious Diseases with Public Health Impact for Dialysis Services Dr Richard Fluck Clinical Director, Department of Renal Medicine, Royal Derby Hospital United Kingdom
1015 - 1035	Infection Control Survey Overview in Local Dialysis Centres Dr Vivien Chuang Associate Consultant, Infectious Disease Control Training Centre Hospital Authority / Infection Control Branch, Centre for Health Protection
1035 - 1100	Tea Break
1100 - 1145	Prevention of bacterial & viral cross-infection in a dialysis unit Ms Josephine S. F. Chow, PhD Clinical Manager, Cardiovascular Stream, SSWAHS Co-Director of Renal Clinical Research Centre Associate Professor, University of Tasmania, University of Sydney
1145 - 1215	Water treatment system and water quality - standard, configuration and practical considerations Mr Tse Lok-him Electronics Engineer, Electrical and Mechanical Services Department
1215 - 1230	Panel Discussion
1230 - 1345	Lunch Break
PM	Chairman: Dr Alex Yu and Dr KL Tong
1345 - 1405	Assessment of home environment for home hemodialysis Ms Candic Tang, Ward Manager, Department of Medicine and Geriatrics, Prince Margate Hospital
1405 - 1450	Infection control for home hemodialysis Ms. Josephine S. F. Chow, PhD
1450 - 1515	Tea Break
1515 - 1600	National Surveillance System for Dialysis Centre and Dialysis Associated Diseases Dr Richard Fluck
1600 - 1645	Accreditation of Dialysis Units: the Australian perspective Ms. Josephine S. F. Chow, PhD
1645 - 1700	Panel Discussion