

## **The Hong Kong Academy of Nursing Limited**

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## 10<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting on 26 June 2021 The President Report

#### 1. The Council

The year of 2020/2021 is a busy and challenging year for healthcare professionals, especially our fellow nurses who have been fighting tediously and timelessly against COVID-19. However, the COVID-19 pandemic has not abstained Hong Kong Academy of Nursing (HKAN) from speeding up the development of advanced nursing practice in Hong Kong. The HKAN continuously plays a crucial role in supporting nurses who practise in different capacities of their specialty areas to serve the people in Hong Kong with high standards.

#### 1.1. Academy Colleges and Membership

As of 31<sup>st</sup> May 2021, there are active registration of 2364 Fellow Memberships and 32 Ordinary Memberships.

The HKAN welcomes a total of 22 earned Ordinary Members in 2020/2021 and 26 earned Fellow Members who passed the Fellowship Exit Assessment as stipulated by the Academy Colleges. With great honor, Ms. WONG Yuet Ngor Anne Marie, Prof. Anecita P. FADOL and Prof. Rebecca JESTER are being nominated and to be conferred as Honorary Fellows in 2021. Unfortunately, the 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> Conferment Ceremony have been postponed due to COVID-19 pandemic.

#### 2. Committee Reports

#### 2.1. Accreditation Committee

The Manual for College Accreditation was reviewed and revised according to the new pathway. It was uploaded in the HKAN website. Manuals from

. Colleges for accreditation also have been revised and were submitted for vetting on 17<sup>th</sup> March 2021. All Colleges have completed the re-accreditation exercise with college validity and program validity aligned in the same year.

#### 2.2. Education Committee

The Academy has re-structured the pathway for progression to her Fellowship, with rationales as follows: (a) enhancing education commitment for Ordinary Members; and (b) adopting the philosophy of inclusion in which heterogeneity is desirable and nurses from

diverse backgrounds are valued with equal learning opportunities. This will enable the Academy to better serve and benefit the community as pledged. The new pathway has already taken effect from May 2021. With this new pathway, the Academy would be able to build up a strong specialized nursing workforce for providing quality advanced nursing care to local populations that they serve.

The Manual for Program Planning and Examination was revised according to the new pathway. It was uploaded to HKAN website. Manuals from Colleges for Program Planning and Examination have been revised and submitted for vetting on 17<sup>th</sup> March 2021. Hong Kong College of Gerontology Nursing has her membership program submitted, assessed and granted validation till 2023. All colleges have completed the membership program reaccreditation exercise with college validity and program validity aligned in the same year.

An Ordinary Admission Interview has been added into the new pathway and the guideline of admission interview has been developed and disseminated to Colleges.

#### 2.3. Registration and Membership Committee

There are 2364 Fellow Members and 32 Ordinary Members renewed as at 31<sup>st</sup> May 2021. HKAN welcomed the admission of 22 Ordinary Members from 4 Academy Colleges and 26 Fellow Members from 8 Academy Colleges in 2020/2021. With the launching of the new pathway of membership and fellowship in specialty nursing from May 2021 and the promotion by colleges, the application of membership is greatly increased.

#### 2.4. Promotion & Public Relations Committee

HKAN has launched a series of promotional activities since October 2020 with a view to promote advanced nursing practice and to provide up-to-date health knowledge through the media. Health articles (護專世代) are published on the Hong Kong Economic Journal twice a month and short videos on specialty nursing under the topic of ("專科護理 3 分鐘") are produced and posted on social media platforms once a month. Moreover, Academy College representatives are interviewed by RTHK "Healthpedia"(精靈一點) to share on health related topics every second Tuesday of the month. The touching nursing stories and inspiring experiences shared by fellow members in these channels are well commented.

#### 2.5. Fund Raising Committee

No fund raising activities has been conducted due to COVID-19 pandemic.

#### 2.6. Professional Development Committee

- On-line Learning Platform was developed to provide and to facilitate the Academy of CNE activities for members achieving CNE points. Six learning articles have been uploaded.
- HKAN sponsored two quotas to attend the virtual 11th NP/APN Conference which will

- be held at Halifax, Canada.
- HKAN had co-organized the 15th International virtual Symposium on Healthy Ageing with the Research Centre of Heart, Brain, Hormone and Healthy Aging, Li Ka Shing Faculty of Medicine, The University of Hong Kong, on 13-14 March 2021.

#### 2.7. Executive Committee

The Executive Committee was chaired by the President, members being the office bearers of the Academy Council, namely the Vice Presidents, Honorary Secretary and Honorary Treasurer. The main purpose of the Committee is to deliberate strategic directions and resolve operational issues before and after Council meetings. Six meetings were held since last AGM 2021. Executive Committee members have regular meetings with Advisors, leaders and top management from the Food and Health Bureau, Hospital Authority, Nursing Council of Hong Kong, Hong Kong Academy of Medicine and the Advisors of HKAN to update the progress of the HKAN and to share the forthcoming directions on nursing professional.

#### 3. Special Project Reports

#### 3.1. Nursing Council of Hong Kong (NCHK) on Advanced/Specialized Nursing Subgroup

As invited by Nursing Council, Hong Kong (NCHK) in joining the Voluntary Scheme on Advanced and Specialized Nursing Practice workgroup, HKAN's contributions in corecompetency developments of specialties are well recognized. A total of 16 specialties corecompetency have been completed and submitted to NCHK.

#### 3.2. Universal Community Testing Program (UCTP)

HKAN was invited by the Government to operate 3 Community Testing Centers at Sham Shui Po Center, Tuen Mun Tai Hing Center and Tuen Mun Leung Tin Center in Sept 2020. HKAN was assigned by Civil Service Branch to support the central relieving pool.

#### **3.3.** Community Vaccination Centers (CVC)

HKAN was selected to operate two Community Vaccination Centers (CVC) of the Government COVID-19 Vaccination programme at Tung Chung and Hong Kong International Airport. The vaccination service started on 16 March 2021. Running these 2 centers is a big challenge to Academy, but with the support by our physician partners and our nurses, a lot of difficulties have been overcome and the mission is in progress.

By request of the Food and Health Bureau, Hong Kong Academy of Medicine (HKAM) and HKAN were the co-organizers to produce an online training video for the COVID\_19 vaccination Programme which is mandatory for the medical teams serving the vaccination centres.

#### 3.4. 1st International Advanced Practice Nursing Conference 2021 (IAPNC2021)

The 1<sup>st</sup> International Advanced Practice Nursing Conference 2021 (IAPNC2021) in hybrid was successfully held on 22-23 May 2021 with 1085 attendees from local and overseas. The Conference, funded by the Professional Services Advancement Support Scheme (PASS), was organized by the HKAN, in collaboration with Hospital Authority, Department of health, Chinese University of Hong Kong, University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong Polytechnic University, Open University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong Baptist University, Tung Wah College and Caritas Institute of Higher Education. The theme of the conference is "Catalyst for A Brighter Future in Health". 7 keynote speakers and 10 plenary speakers from local and overseas were invited to share their excellent work in advanced practice nursing and the experience in combating COVID-19.

#### 3.5. Training Course for District Health Centre (DHC) Nurse

The HKAN, in collaboration with Hong Kong College of Community & Public Health Nursing (HKCCPHN) conducted the following two course for nurses who are interested in providing community-based primary health care:

- Post-registration Certificate Course District Health Center Module 2020: 10 October 2020 to 6 February 2021. With a total of 50 participants competed the training.
- Post-registration Certificate Course District Health Center Module 2021: 10 April 2021 to 31 July 2021. With a total of 42 participants.

The next training course was proposed to be conducted at 4Q2021. The FHB has provided sponsorship of an amount of HK\$3,000 for the participants who have successfully completed the course.

Prof. Frances Wong, Prof. Chair, Mr. Jimmy Wong and Ms. Kathy Cheung and Ms. Margaret Lam attended meeting conducted by the Food & Health Bureau (FHB) on 8<sup>th</sup> April 2021 to discuss the high level training of District Health Center Nurses

#### 4. Other Professional participation

HKAN received various invitations to participate in professional development activities, meetings and events. Herewith some of the major undertakings

Item	Date	Activity	
1.	5 August 2020	Prof. CHAIR attended a one-hour Zoom Interview by Our Hong Kong	
		Foundation	
2.	6 August 2020	Prof CHAIR attended a Zoom meeting – "Healthcare manpower Projection	
		Exercise 9 Base year 2017)	
3.	14 Sept 2020	Prof CHAIR attended a Zoom Consultative Session about the year 2020 Policy	
		Address	
4.	23 Sept 2020	Prof. CHAIR and Prof. WONG attended NCHK Working Group meeting	

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30 Sept 2020	Prof CHAIR attended the 1st meeting of Advisory Committee for Regulatory	
	Standards for Private Healthcare facilities	
23 Nov 2020	Prof. CHAIR and Prof. WONG attended NCHK Working Group meeting	
14 Oct 2020	Prof. CHAIR attended the AGM of Hong Kong College of Mental Health	
	Nursing	
21 Dec 2020	Prof. CHAIR and Prof. WONG attended NCHK Working Group meeting	
28 Dec 2020	Prof. CHAIR had a meeting with Mr. Anders YUEN, President of AHKANS	
11 Jan 2021	Prof. CHAIR, Prof. WONG, Dr. CC CHAN, Ms. SH YEUNG and Ms. Cynthia	
	HUIE has a meeting with Dr. LEONG Che Hung	
29 Jan 2021	Prof. CHAIR, Prof. WONG, Dr. CC CHAN, Ms. SH YEUNG and Ms. Cynthia	
	HUIE has a meeting with Dr. LEONG Che Hung and Prof Agnes TIWARI	
31 Jan 2021	Prof. CHAIR attended the seminar cum Forum of District Health Center Future	
	Development	
26 Feb 2021	Prof. CHAIR attended the Kick-off Ceremony of the Youth Quitline at PolyU	
	and gave a speech	
27 April 2021	Prof CHAIR, Prof. WONG, Dr. CC CHAN, Ms. Cynthia HUIE, Ms. Susanna	
	LEE and Ms, SH YEUNG have a meeting with HA Top management Dr.	
	Deacons YEUNG, Mr. Lawrence POON and Dr. M LEUNG	
	23 Nov 2020 14 Oct 2020 21 Dec 2020 28 Dec 2020 11 Jan 2021 29 Jan 2021 31 Jan 2021 26 Feb 2021	

## 5. International Networking and Collaboration

Item	Date	Activity
1	4 Dec 2020	Prof CHAIR and Prof WONG has a meeting with Director CHEN
		Wei-ju of 廣東省護士協會

## 6. Major Events

Item	Date	Activity	Remarks
1	31 Jan 2021	Seminar cum Forum of District Health	Co-organizer
		Centre Future Development	

## 7. Responses to the Government

Item	Date	Response	
1	6 August 2020	Response to a Manpower meeting held at Food and Health Bureau	
2	19 Sept 2020	Suggestions on enhancing and expanding primary health care in	
		Hong Kong	
3	16 Dec 2020	Response to The Chief Executive's 2020 Policy Address	

## 8. Special Recognition Award COVID-19

Nurses play a very important role in combating the infection and protecting the health of the public. This is the Nightingale spirit of nurses even when they have stepped down from the clinical field.

In appreciation of the extraordinary contribution of Fellows/Members/Associate members in the COVID-19 pandemic, A Special Recognition Award exercise was conducted in September 2020.

A total of 49 nominations were received by the deadline. All nominees were contributory in their own way which gave the judge panel a difficult time in the selection process.

#### Most Outstanding Awardees in sequence of highest scores

1 <sup>st</sup>	Ms. CHIM Chun King	HKCCPHN
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Dr. LAM Ching Simon	HKCERN
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Dr. TSO Shing Yuk Alice	HKCNHCM

#### **Outstanding Awardees**

Prof. CHAN Yip Wing Han carmen	HKCERN
Ms. CHEUNG Po Fong	HKCCPHN
Ms. CHONG Yuen Chun Samantha	HKCNHCM
Ms. LAM Yan Ha	HKCMN
Ms. YEUNG Nga Man	HKCNHCM
Dr. YIP Ka Huen	HKCSN
Mr. YU Chung Tsang Mick	HKCMN

#### 2020 CE Honor List

10 Fellows were awarded the 2020 CE Honour List

Ms. KO Siu Shan, Lucia	НКССРНИ
Ms. LO Kit Lun, Brenda	HKCCPHN
Ms. MAK Tsz Mei	HKCCPHN
Ms. CHOW Shuk Fan, Nana	HKCCPHN
Ms. LEE Kam Chee, Angela	HKCCPHN
Ms. LEE Wan Mui	HKCMN
Ms. LAI Wan Man Yvette	HKCMN
Ms. CHENG Wai Yan	HKCMN
Ms. WONG Hay Tai	HKCEN
Ms. WONG Kit Ming	HKCON

#### 南粤護士楷模

2021年5月11日上午,在由廣東省護士協會、廣東省醫院協會、廣東省護理教育中心、廣東省衛健系統政促會主辦、廣東省人民醫院協辦,主題為"建黨百年宏偉業,提燈女神展新姿"的第三屆護理科學藝術羊城大會香港護理專科學院創院院長林崇綏博士獲得

<sup>&</sup>quot;南粤護士楷模"的光榮稱號。

#### As at 31 May 2021

#### **Patron and Advisors**

Patron Dr. LEONG Che Hung, GBM, GBS, OBE, JP

Advisors Dr. CHEUNG Wai Lun, Allen, Project Director, Chinese Medicine Hospital

Project Office, Food and Health Bureau

Mr. FAN Hung Ling, Henry, SBS, JP Chairman, Hospital Authority

Dr. HO Shiu Wei, William, JP Chairman, Hong Kong Private Hospitals Association

Dr. HUGHES, Frances, JP, ONZM, Director, Global Strategic Initiatives

**CGFNS** International

Dr. LAW Chun Bon, Alexander, Cluster Chief Executive (Kowloon West) and Hospital Chief Executive (Princess Margaret Hospital and North Lantau

Prof. LEUNG Ka Kit, Gilberto, President, Hong Kong Academy of Medicine

Nursing & Midwifery Accreditation Council

Prof. Agnes TIWARI, Chairman, Nursing Council of Hong Kong

Mr. HUANG Garson Lester, JP P. C. Woo & Co. Honorary Legal Advisor

Honorary Auditor Honorary Consultant Mr. YEN Yuen Ho, Tony, SBS

#### **HKAN Council**

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Ms. WONG Kin I

Supported by:

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Dr. LEE Lai Yin, Irene, Chairman, Midwives Council of Hong Kong

Prof. McBRIDE, Angela Barron, Distinguished Professor and University Dean

Emerita, Indiana University School of Nursing, USA

Ms. STOKER, Fiona, Clinical Professor, Chief Executive Officer, The Australian

Mr. CHAN Wai Hei, William Roger K. C. Tou & Co.

Committee

Chair, Community, Promotion & Public **Relations Committee** 

Chair, Fund Raising Committee

Chair, Professional Development Committee Chair, Registration & Membership Committee

# Academy Colleges and Ordinary Members

Name of College	Current Ordinary Members 31 May 2021	
Hong Kong College of Cardiac Nursing	1	
香港心臟護士專科學院		
Hong Kong College of Community & Public Health Nursing	0	
香港社區及公共健康護理學院		
Hong Kong College of Critical Care Nursing	0	
香港危重病護理學院	U	
Hong Kong College of Education & Research in Nursing	7	
香港護理教育及科研學院	,	
Hong Kong College of Emergency Nursing	4	
香港急症科護理學院	7	
Hong Kong College of Gerontology Nursing	0	
香港老年學護理專科學院	U	
Hong Kong College of Medical Nursing	2	
香港內科護理學院		
Hong Kong College of Mental Health Nursing	0	
香港精神健康護理學院	U	
Hong Kong College of Midwives	0	
香港助產士學院	0	
Hong Kong College of Nursing & Health Care Management	1	
香港護理及衞生管理學院		
Hong Kong College of Orthopaedic Nursing	2	
香港骨科護理學院	2	
Hong Kong College of Paediatric Nursing	10	
香港兒科護理學院	10	
Hong Kong College of Perioperative Nursing	2	
香港圍手術護理學院	2	
Hong Kong College of Surgical Nursing	2	
香港外科護理學院	3	
Total 總數	32	

# **Academy Colleges and Fellow Members**

Name of College	Admitted in May 2021	Current Fellows 31 May 2021
Hong Kong College of Cardiac Nursing	2	116
香港心臟護士專科學院		
Hong Kong College of Community & Public Health Nursing	0	184
香港社區及公共健康護理學院		-
Hong Kong College of Critical Care Nursing	0	162
香港危重病護理學院	Ů	102
Hong Kong College of Education & Research in Nursing	7	111
香港護理教育及科研學院	/	111
Hong Kong College of Emergency Nursing	<b>T</b>	171
香港急症科護理學院	5	171
Hong Kong College of Gerontology Nursing	0	E.C.
香港老年學護理專科學院	0	56
Hong Kong College of Medical Nursing	~	420
香港內科護理學院	5	428
Hong Kong College of Mental Health Nursing	0	82
香港精神健康護理學院	0	
Hong Kong College of Midwives	2	1.00
香港助產士學院	3	162
Hong Kong College of Nursing & Health Care Management	1	104
香港護理及衞生管理學院	1	104
Hong Kong College of Orthopaedic Nursing	2	120
香港骨科護理學院	2	120
Hong Kong College of Paediatric Nursing	0	250
香港兒科護理學院	0	258
Hong Kong College of Perioperative Nursing	0	202
香港圍手術護理學院	0	203
Hong Kong College of Surgical Nursing	1	207
香港外科護理學院		
Total 總數	26	2364