

HKICNA NEWSLETTER

Celebrating HKICNA's 37th Annual General Meeting cum Anniversary Dinner

The Hong Kong Infection Control Nurses' Association (HKICNA) successfully held its 37th Annual General Meeting (AGM) cum Anniversary Dinner on 6 June 2026 at the Royal Plaza Hotel. The event brought together members, honorary advisors, speakers, guests, and sponsors for an evening of professional learning, Association reporting, and joyful celebration. With an enthusiastic turnout across over 240 participants, the AGM reflected the strong unity and dedication of the HKICNA community in advancing infection prevention and control practice in Hong Kong.

Pre-AGM Seminar

Reduce microbial burden: Decolonization and innovative environmental decontamination

The night commenced with an informative pre-AGM seminar delivered by Dr. Christopher Lai Koon Chi, Clinical Assistant Professor of Department of Microbiology, The Chinese University of Hong Kong. Dr. Lai shared practical

insights on reducing microbial burden through decolonization strategies and innovative environmental decontamination, equipping attendees with up-to-date perspectives that support enhanced infection prevention preparedness and implementation in healthcare settings.



AGM Proceedings

Following the seminar, the AGM proceeded smoothly. Mr. Ching welcomed members and presented the Chairman's Report, highlighting the Association's work and engagement over the year. Ms. Madelaine Chow, Treasurer of HKICNA, then presented the Financial Report, providing members with an overview of the Association's financial status. The reports tabled were endorsed in accordance with AGM proceedings.



Chairman's Report delivered by
Mr. Radley Ching



Financial Report presented by
Ms. Madelaine Chow (Treasurer)

Appreciation to Honorary Advisors

Mr. Ching expressed heartfelt gratitude to our honorable advisors for their continued guidance and unwavering support. Gifts were presented and individual photos were taken, followed by a group photo with advisors and council members.



Prof. Ivan Hung Fan Ngai, Chief of the Division of Infectious Diseases at LKS Faculty of Medicine, The University of Hong Kong



Dr. Kristine Luk, Service Director (Pathology) at Kowloon West Cluster and Chief of Service at Prince Margaret Hospital and North Lantau Hospital



Prof. SETO Wing Hong, Director, WHO Collaborating Center for Infection Control



Mr. Alan Yau, Legal Advisor



Group photo of council members and advisors

Award Presentation

The evening also recognized the participant who achieved outstanding results in the Certificate Course on Basic Infection Control for Nurses in 2024. Ms. Gloria Chiu, Vice-Chairman, presented the award to the participant and wished her success and continued contribution in infection control.



Top student of Certificate Course 2024: Ms. LAM Hung Ting, Department of Health

Acknowledgement of Sponsors

Ms. Queenie Chan, Council member of HKICNA, expressed sincere thanks to all participating vendors for their generous support. The booths and product displays provided valuable opportunities for members to exchange ideas and learn about innovations that support infection prevention and control practice. Acknowledgement of sponsors by Ms. Queenie Chan.



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Members visiting booths and engaging with vendors



Games, Table Prizes & Lucky Draw

The celebration continued with engaging games, exciting table prizes, and lucky draws, bringing laughter and cheer to the ballroom.



Table prizes and happy moments

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Game sessions underway



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Lucky draw winners on stage



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HKICNA thanks all members and guests for their enthusiastic participation, making the evening smooth, vibrant, and memorable. We look forward to another thriving year ahead, and to welcoming you again at our next annual dinner in 2027!

**THANK YOU ALL FOR BEING PART OF THIS SPECIAL CELEBRATION.
SEE YOU AT OUR NEXT ANNUAL DINNER IN 2027!**



CERTIFICATE COURSE

ON

BASIC INFECTION CONTROL FOR NURSES - 2026

COURSE DETAILS



PERIOD

3 September to
26 November 2026
(Thursday)
18:00 - 20:00



CNE POINT

21.5



VENUE

Lecture Theatre, G/F,
Centre for Health
Protection (CHP)



AIM AND OBJECTIVE



To provide nurses with more comprehensive knowledge
basic microbiology, basic infection control, and common
infectious diseases

- ✓ 20 local speakers involved
- ✓ 12 training sessions conducted
- ✓ Covered: microbiology fundamentals, common and emerging infectious diseases, infection control core elements
- ✓ Concluded with course assessment



APPLICATION METHOD:

<https://hkcna.gleupp.com/event/certificate-course-on-basic-infection-control-for-nurses-2026-179868/>



SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Join us to advance infection control and
support nursing excellence.



We are delighted to announce that Miss Kwan Wai Yan, Infection Control Nurse at TKOH, has been granted sponsorship by HKICNA to participate in the 15th International Symposium on Antimicrobial Agents and Resistance (ISAAR 2026), taking place in Hong Kong from 12-14 June 2026.