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64th CFA Meeting
17 March 2023

Photo taken during the 121st ACA Meeting on 20 January 2023



Pink Dot Hong Kong 2022 and Hong Kong Pride Parade 2022

Red Ribbon Centre (RRC) had hosted a booth at a large-scale LGBT event “Pink Dot Hong Kong 2022” held in the Kowloonbay International Trade & Exhibition Centre on 23 October 2022 to promote safer sex and HIV self-testing. The event was co-organised by various LGBT community partners. A total of 600 condoms and over 1,200 giveaway items were distributed.



RRC had hosted a booth at a large-scale LGBT event “Hong Kong Pride Parade 2022” held in the D2 Place One on 13 November 2022 to promote safer sex and HIV self-testing. The event was co-organised by various LGBT community partners. A total of 740 condoms and over 2,000 giveaway items were distributed.



Welcome new CFA Convener & farewell outgoing Convener

*The Council welcomes **Mr. TONG Tak-fai, Edmond**, to be the new Convener of the Community Forum on AIDS (CFA); and gives a vote of thanks to **Mr. CHU Muk-wah, Daniel** for his contributions in the past and wishes him all the best in his future endeavors.*

"HIV ENDGAME - Innovations in HIV Prevention and Care" organised by C.H.O.I.C.E (25 November 2022)

A virtual conference, "HIV ENDGAME - Innovations in HIV Prevention and Care", was organised by C.H.O.I.C.E on 25 November 2022. Dr. Edwin TSUI, Controller of the Centre for Health Protection, DH was invited to deliver an opening address. Dr. Bonnie WONG, Senior Medical & Health Officer of DH, presented "An update on the local HIV epidemiology and an integrated approach for the prevention and control of viral hepatitis among PLHIV". Other speakers included HIV experts from UNAIDS China, Australia and Hong Kong.



Arrangement for attending CFA as observers

The following arrangement was agreed during the CFA Meeting held in March 2012 -

- a. Upon the Convener's invitation/agreement, people who were interested to take part as observer might attend the whole or certain sessions of the meeting and speak up in the meeting at the Convener's discretion;
- b. The CFA Secretariat would announce the agenda on the ACA's website (in the ACA Newsfile) prior to each CFA Meeting. Interested parties could put up their requests to the CFA Secretariat for consideration;
- c. In case of over subscription, the CFA Secretariat would work out the list of participants by adopting a fair procedure deemed appropriate;
- d. Despite of this new administrative arrangement, the meeting would continue to be conducted in Cantonese only; and
- e. At the same time, the CFA Secretariat could invite relevant stakeholders to attend the meeting if deemed appropriate.

64th CFA Meeting

Date : 17 March 2023 (Friday)

Time : 2:30 pm

Venue : Activity Area, Red Ribbon Centre
2/F, Wang Tau Hom Jockey Club Clinic
200 Junction Road East, Kowloon

Three main items on the Agenda

- ◆ Experience sharing by non-governmental organisation:
 - Action for REACH OUT
- ◆ Preliminary result of PRiSMTG 2022
- ◆ HIV epidemiology in Hong Kong 2022

Invitation

Dear All,

If you are interested to take part as observer in the 64th CFA Meeting to be held on 17 March 2023, please complete the application form (available for download from https://www.aca.gov.hk/cfa_observers_form.pdf) and send the completed form to the CFA Secretariat by **2 March 2023**. For more details of this arrangement, please refer to the summary shown on the left of this page.

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