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Food and Health Bureau, Government Secretariat
The Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region
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8 December, 2010

Dear Colleague,

Seminar on
"Electronic Health Record System – Latest Development in Hong Kong"
19 January 2011

I have the pleasure to invite the healthcare professionals in different disciplines, the management staff and IT teams of your hospital/organisation to join the subject seminar which is organised by the eHealth Record (eHR) Office of the Food and Health Bureau of the Government of the Hong Kong SAR.

Being an essential infrastructure for healthcare reform in Hong Kong, the territory-wide patient-oriented eHR System aims at providing an electronic platform for sharing patients' health records between the public and private healthcare sectors. Healthcare professionals in both public and private sectors would be able to enter, store and retrieve patients' health records, subject to patients' consents and proper authorisation for access to the system, ultimately realising the objective of "records follow patients".

Time flies and we have entered the second year of the development programme. We have just completed a fruitful year by developing the blueprint for eHR core infrastructure and Clinical Management System extension projects, rolling out the radiological image sharing pilot with private hospitals, piloting the use of Smart ID for patient authentication, and commencing the implementation of first stage eHR engagement initiative with the private healthcare sectors. This seminar will let you know the work done by our dedicated colleagues and the latest progress of the programme. Apart from sharing eHR updates, the seminar will also serve as a two-way communication platform which your feedback on eHR development will be much valued.

The details of the seminar are as follows:-

Date & Time:
Date: 19 January 2011 (Wednesday)
Time: 9:15 am to 12:30 pm

Venue:
Lecture Theatre, M/F,
Hospital Authority Building
147B Argyle Street, Kowloon (map attached)

Language:
English

The program rundown is attached. If you are interested in attending the seminar, please complete and return the attached reply slip for registration by fax no. 2300 7921 or via email ehr.enquiry@ha.org.hk before 27 December 2010 (Monday). We may not be able to accommodate all applications but we will notify you of the result by email before the seminar.

I look forward to seeing you in the seminar. For enquiries, please contact Mr Victor Chan at 2300 7931 or via email ehr.enquiry@ha.org.hk.

Yours sincerely,

Dr Choy Khai-meng
Consultant (Public-Private Partnership)
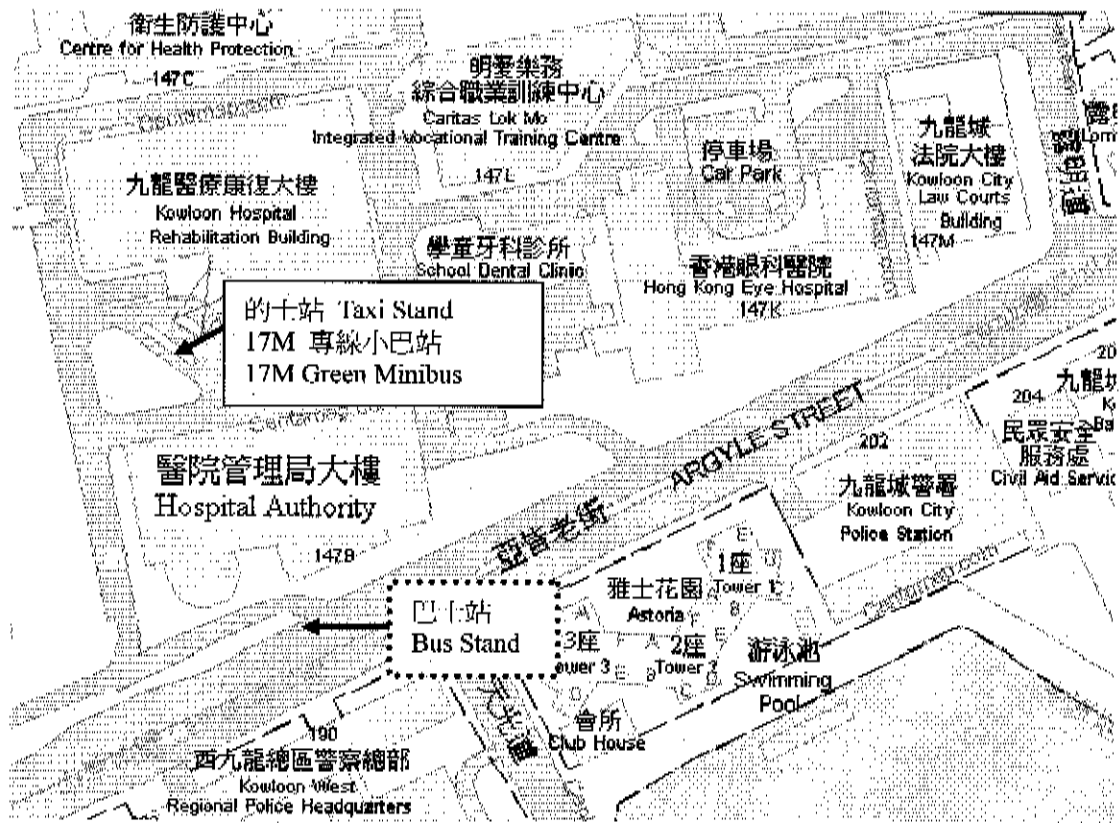eHealth Record Office

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9:15 – 9:30 am	Registration
Session A – eHR Background	
9:30 – 9:35 am	Opening Remarks *by Miss Janice TSE, Head of eHealth Record Office, Food and Health Bureau*
9:35 – 9:55 am	Overview of the eHR Programme *by Dr N T CHEUNG, Chief Medical Informatics Officer, Hospital Authority*
9:55 – 10:15 am	Legal, Privacy and Security Issues on eHR Sharing *by Ms Lydia LAM, Deputy Head of eHealth Record Office, Food and Health Bureau*
10:15 – 10:35 am	eHR Pilot Projects and eHR Engagement *by Dr KM CHOY, Consultant (Public-Private Partnership), eHealth Record Office, Food and Health Bureau*
10:35 – 11:00 am	*Break*
Session B – eHR Core Projects	
11:00 – 11:20 am	eHR Core Sharing Infrastructure *by Ms Clara CHEUNG, Senior Systems Manager, Hospital Authority*
11:20 – 11:40 am	Clinical Management System (CMS) Extension Systems *by Mr Hudson CHAN, Senior Systems Manager, Hospital Authority*
11:40 – 12:00 noon	Standardisation of Health Information *by Ms Vicky FUNG, Senior Health Informatician, Hospital Authority*
12:00 – 12:30 pm	Question & Answer

Location Map – Hospital Authority

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The following representative(s) of our organisation will attend the seminar-

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<u>Name</u>	<u>Post Title</u>

Contact Person:

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