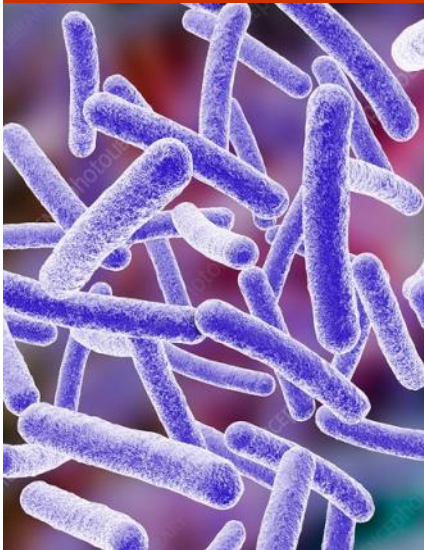




# Infection Control Course Series: Module 1

## Importance of Infection Control I

### *Structure, Science and Outlook*



The purpose of these series of courses is to provide knowledge and practical experience in infection control measures, through an interactive and problem-solving approach in learning, for clinicians, nurses, allied health professionals, and other healthcare workers who are interested or actively involved in the daily management of hospital infection control.

#### Topics:

- General concepts of microbes and disease
- Are we living with microbes?
- Concepts of epidemiology
- Infusion related sepsis after cell therapy
- Advance in laboratory diagnostic for outbreak investigation including COVID-19
- COVID-19 in Hong Kong: success and challenges
- Scientific basis of hand hygiene
- Invasive pneumococcal disease before and during COVID-19
- Surveillance programs in infection control
- Infectious diseases: interaction between human and microbes
- Common childhood infections: skin and soft tissue infection
- History and organizational structure of infection control
- Future prospects of surface disinfection and microbicide-impregnated surfaces
- Case studies in outbreak investigation: Pulmonary & cutaneous zygomycosis
- Understanding of disease transmission: a paradigm shift from droplets to airborne transmission
- Case studies in outbreak investigation: Nosocomial transmission of *Candida auris*
- A to Z in patient care practice I: Prevention of infection in immunocompromised patients
- A to Z in patient care practice II: Bedside procedure (blood taking, IV insertion, joint aspirates)
- Interactive show: Surprised by an old man
- Interactive show: *Burkholderia cepacia* a contaminant of exit site inf dialysis patients?

**Programme Director:**  
Professor KY Yuen  
Professor Chia-Chin Lin

**Date:** Apr 29 –30, 2023  
(Sat & Sun)

**Time:** 9:00 am ~ 5:00 pm

#### Venue:

Lecture Theatre 3 & 4,  
William MW Mong Block,  
21 Sassoon Road, Pokfulam,  
Hong Kong

**Fees:** HK\$1,000 / \$800\* / \$500#

\* for Nursing Alumni and Honorary  
Tutors of the School of Nursing,  
HKU and Graduates from Certificate  
in Infection Control

# for current part-time students and  
staff of School of Nursing, HKU

Lectures are taught in  
**English & Cantonese**

**Closing date for Application:**

**April 14, 2023 (Fri)**

or

**Until FULL**

CNE points will be awarded to nursing candidates on completion of the module

**Online registration or download application form**

**Please visit:**

<http://nursing.hku.hk/education/certificate-in-infection-control>



Programme certificate will ONLY be granted to candidates registered the “Certificate in Infection Control” programme with satisfactory results in all course assessment which is **NOT** applicable to candidates sitting 6 individual modules. Please also note that we accept **TWO modules** for **credit transfer** to “Certificate in Infection Control” programme. For details and request for credit transfer from individual module to “Certificate in Infection Control” programme, please contact [cichku@hku.hk](mailto:cichku@hku.hk)