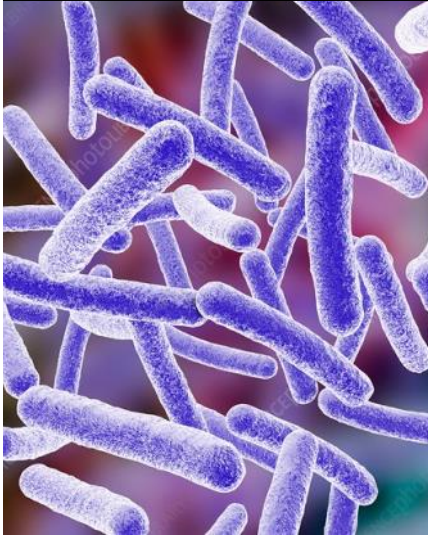




# Infection Control Course Series: Module 1

## 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 self-disinfecting and microbicide-impregnated surfaces
- Understanding of disease transmission: a paradigm shift from droplets to airborne transmission
- Case studies in outbreak investigation: Pulmonary & cutaneous zygomycosis
- Case studies in outbreak investigation: Nosocomial transmission *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: Is *Burkholderia cepacia* a contaminant of exit site in dialysis patients?

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

#### Programme Director

Professor KY Yuen  
Professor Chia-Chin Lin

#### Date

Mar 29-30, 2025 (Sat & Sun)

#### Time

9:00 am - 5:00 pm

#### Venue

Lecture Theatre 3 & 4,  
William M.W. Mong Building,  
21 Sassoon Road, Pokfulam,  
Hong Kong

#### Fees

HK\$1,500 / \$1,200\* / \$750#

\* 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 of Application:**

**March 14, 2025**  
**(Fri)**

#### **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 more details and request for credit transfer from individual module to "Certificate in Infection Control" programme, please contact [cichku@hku.hk](mailto:cichku@hku.hk)