

# MASTER OF SCIENCE IN HEALTH SERVICES MANAGEMENT

JC School of Public Health and Primary Care  
The Chinese University of Hong Kong

**OPEN**  
Your Eyes

**GROW**  
Your Mind

**PAVE**  
YOUR WAY

**BUILD HEALTHCARE LEADERSHIP**



香港中文大學  
The Chinese University of Hong Kong



香港中文大學醫學院  
Faculty of Medicine  
The Chinese University of Hong Kong

Public Health  
賽馬會公共衛生及基層醫療學院  
The Jockey Club School of Public Health and Primary Care



## OUR PILLARS



PROFESSIONALISM



KNOWLEDGE  
INTEGRATION



LEADERSHIP  
EXPERIENCE



CONTINUOUS  
IMPROVEMENT



LEARNING  
NETWORK



PRACTICE  
FOCUS

# PROGRAMME OVERVIEW

36 units in total

## Core Courses (32 units)

- Foundations of Public Health
- Basic Epidemiology and Health Statistics
- Health Systems, Policy and Management
- Healthcare Organization and Management
- Healthcare Systems and Policies
- Managing in Healthcare
- Health Informatics
- Health Economics: Economic Evaluation
- Healthcare Financing
- Human Resource Management
- Financial Management
- Quality and Safety Management
- Medico-legal Management
- Healthcare Ethics
- Master Level Guided Case Studies

## Elective Courses (Select 4 out of 9)

- Health Services Planning
- Health Innovation and Technology Management
- Operation Management
- Corporate Communication and Marketing
- Advanced Organization Management
- Patient-Centred Health System
- Driving Healthcare Improvement with Data
- Flow Management in Healthcare Operation
- Local Visits

## Experiential Learning (Non-unit bearing)

- Overseas Study Tour (self-financed)
- Series of Seminar given by distinguished speakers

**Study  
Period**

**MScHSM  
(Part-time)**

**32 Core  
+  
4 Elective**

**36  
Units**

Normative Study Period: 2 years  
Maximum Study Period: 4 years

**RECOGNITION**

MScHSM (CUHK) is recognised by the Medical Council of Hong Kong  
as quotable qualification.

# TUITION FEES



\* Adjustment and changes may apply without prior notice, please visit our programme website for updated information.

According to CUHK Graduate School Regulation, HKD 300 application fee is mandatory for all programmes. All payments go directly to Graduate School and are non-refundable.

# ADMISSIONS TIMELINE & DEADLINE



Applications will be processed on a rolling basis; Early application is therefore highly advantageous.

# WHO SHOULD APPLY

**Healthcare professional and managers in both public and private health sectors who:**

- Wish to pursue leadership roles in health services management;
- Preferably possess 3 years of healthcare or related work experience; and
- Fulfil the general qualification for admission and English Language Proficiency Requirement stipulated on the CUHK Graduate School website.

# HOW TO APPLY

Applications can be submitted via the Graduate School online application system at <http://www.gs.cuhk.edu.hk>

# TEACHERS- WHO THEY ARE



**Prof. YEOH, Eng-kiong,  
GBS, OBE, JP**

- Director,  
Centre for Health System and Policy Research,  
JC School of Public Health and Primary Care,  
CUHK
- Former Director,  
JC School of Public Health and Primary Care,  
CUHK
- Former Secretary for Health, Welfare and Food,  
Government of the Hong Kong  
Special Administrative Region
- Former Chief Executive,  
Hospital Authority



**Prof. HUNG, Chi-tim,  
JP**

- Professor of Practice in  
Health Services Management,  
JC School of Public Health and Primary Care,  
CUHK
- Former Cluster Chief Executive  
(New Territories East Cluster),  
Hospital Authority



**Prof. FUNG, Hong,  
JP**

- Professor of Practice in Health  
Services Management (by courtesy),  
JC School of Public Health and Primary Care,  
CUHK
- Chief Executive Officer,  
CUHK Medical Centre
- Former Cluster Chief Executive  
(New Territories East Cluster),  
Hospital Authority

# TEACHERS- WHO THEY ARE



**Prof. HO, Shiu-wei William,  
JP**

- Honorary Professor,  
JC School of Public Health and Primary Care,  
CUHK
- Chief Medical Executive,  
St. Paul's Hospital, Hong Kong
- Former Chief Executive,  
Hospital Authority



**Prof. LAI, Bo-san Paul**

- Professor and Division Chief,  
Division of Hepato-biliary and  
Pancreatic Surgery, Department of Surgery,  
CUHK
- Medical Director (Quality & Safety),  
CUHK Medical Centre
- Head of Cluster HBP Surgery Services,  
New Territories East Cluster,  
Hospital Authority



**Prof. TSE, Sau-ling Nancy,  
JP**

- Adjunct Professor,  
JC School of Public Health and Primary Care,  
CUHK
- Former Director,  
(Financial and IT Services),  
Hospital Authority

# SHARING OF LEARNING EXPERIENCE

**Mr. Timothy TSO**  
Class of 2015,  
Founder & CEO,  
Medical Professional Service LTD



'Being both a healthcare professional and a businessman who provides health services, HSM programme widens my career vision and facilitates my growth further in the field.  
I learnt to be a "leader" rather than just a "manager" of a company.'

**Ms. Pauline POON**  
Class of 2013  
Senior Physiotherapists,  
Hospital Authority



'Be prepared that there is a fairly heavy workload, nevertheless, it's a great experience to meet people coming from different backgrounds and to make new friends, they are there to support you and to make you feel like part of the team.'

**Ms. Moria LAM**  
Class of 2019,  
Speech Therapist,  
Tuen Mun Hospital,  
Hospital Authority



'Pursuing studies in Health Services Management proved to be an incredible reward experience for me. With a team of experienced and dedicated professors and lecturers, I am well inspired and stimulated in the field of healthcare delivery in both academic and practical ways. Group projects and site visits were all fun and useful. Joining studies in Health Services Management programme should be your optimum and effective solution too!'

**Dr. Kenny YUEN**  
Class of 2018  
Hospital Chief Executive  
Tseung Kwan O and  
Haven of Hope Hospitals,  
Hospital Authority



'A Master Course that "Connected with the Reality" and "Practical". A valuable learning opportunity that we can share experience and viewpoint with teachers and classmates from different professional background. The acquired management knowledge is truly applicable. Busy yet Worthy.'

**Mr. Dick NGAN**  
Class of 2018  
Advanced Practice Nurse,  
Tsueng Kwan O Hospital,  
Hospital Authority



'Great Leaders do what is right, not what is easy.' MscHSM is the right choice to be a great leader. The fruitful program includes different aspects of healthcare management. All the teaching professor are the star of the industry. The sharing of their top management skill are precious and extraordinary. This incredible program cannot be missed and essential for the next level of your career.'

**Ms. Josephine CHUNG**  
Class of 2018  
Department Operation Manager  
(Nursing),  
Prince of Wales Hospital,  
Hospital Authority



'This program is very useful. Professors and speakers had excellent experiences in the field of public healthcare and hospital management. Through imparting real world experiences in healthcare management by them, they speed up my learning curve in the new managerial role and have made me a more competent front-line manager.'

**Dr. Cindy TAM**  
Class of 2019,  
Psychiatrist,  
North District Hospital,  
Hospital Authority



'Expensive course fee  
Exhausting homework and assessment  
Extensive topics and comprehensive curriculum  
Extremely inspirational discussions and sharing  
Exciting study tour  
Experienced, knowledgeable professors and instructors  
Enthusiastic supervision, participation and interaction  
Altogether: Excellent and rewarding learning experiences!'

**Dr. KY CHAN**  
Class of 2013  
Consultant,  
Kwong Wah Hospital,  
Hospital Authority



'Demanding yet rewarding, of balanced depth and comprehensiveness, it exposes clinical doctors to a new horizon.'






**MScHSM Programme Director:**  
Prof. YEOH, Eng-kiong, GBS, OBE, JP

**MScHSM Programme Co-Director:**  
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