

Course Title	Health System, Policy and Management
Day & Time	Weekday evening night 18:30 – 21:30
Description	This course is an introduction to the basic principles of management, strategic planning, quality assurance, health economics and financing, and health policy analysis that serves as a foundation to more advanced coursework in health policy & management. This course is benchmarked to meet certain part of the competencies of the Part A, Diplomate Membership level of the UK Public Health Examination, the US Certified Public Health Exam of the Association of Schools of Public Health as well as Part I Examination in Administrative Medicine of the HK College of Community Medicine.

I. Learning Content

Topic	Contents/fundamental concepts
1. Health Policy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Context and overview of health policy, determinants of health, health policy response to ill-health, public health challenges and reforms, in both national (both Hong Kong and China) and international perspectives. Evidence based health policy making, policy analysis and health programme implementation and scale-up will be discussed.

II. Learning Outcomes or Objectives of the Course

<p>Student should be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Appreciate the basic principles of healthcare system, policy. Become familiar with the basic management theories and concepts that underlie the operations of healthcare organizations. Apply systems thinking to resolve organizational issues.
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Face-to-face lectures will be resumed as normal teaching format in 2021/22 academic year.