

# **AIDS hotline service to be suspended**

The Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS) hotline service under the Special Preventive Programme of the Centre for Health Protection of the Department of Health will be suspended from 8am tomorrow (August 31) for telephone system update until the system update is completed.

The free and anonymous AIDS hotline (2780 2211) provides information on AIDS and sexually transmitted infections and a Human Immunodeficiency Virus antibody testing booking service to the public.

The public may visit the following pages for more information on HIV/AIDS: the Virtual AIDS Office ([www.aids.gov.hk](http://www.aids.gov.hk)), the Red Ribbon Centre ([www.rrc.gov.hk](http://www.rrc.gov.hk)), the HIV Testing Service website ([www.hivtest.gov.hk](http://www.hivtest.gov.hk)) and the Gay Men HIV Information website ([www.21171069.gov.hk](http://www.21171069.gov.hk)).