## <u>Holiday clinic services on Chung Yeung</u> Festival

The following is issued on behalf of the Hospital Authority:

The Hospital Authority (HA) spokesperson today (October 15) reminded the public that 12 general out-patient clinics (see table below) will continue to provide services on Chung Yeung Festival this Wednesday (October 17). Members of the public requiring medical consultation could make advance booking for an appointment through the telephone system as usual.

The spokesperson said the accident and emergency (A&E) departments in public hospitals will also operate as usual during the holiday to serve patients with urgent medical needs. In view of the possible increase in A&E attendances during the holiday, priority treatment would be accorded to patients with critical and emergency conditions as assessed under the established A&E triage system.

Since the queuing time for semi-urgent and non-urgent patients would likely be longer than usual, the spokesperson appealed to members of the public for their understanding and co-operation while waiting in the A&E Department for consultation. As an alternative, non-urgent patients are advised to consider seeking consultation at general out-patient clinics, clinics of private doctors or 24-hour clinics of private hospitals.

Members of the public are welcome to call the HA Infoline (2882 4866) for information on holiday general out-patient clinic service. They can also browse the Primary Care Directory of Department of Health at <a href="https://www.pcdirectory.gov.hk">www.pcdirectory.gov.hk</a>, or download the mobile App of "Primary Care Directory" to help find the appropriate family medicine doctor and related clinic service of their choice.

District	Name of Clinic	unumber tor	General enquiry
Hong Kong Island	Shau Kei Wan Jockey Club General Out-patient Clinic	3157 0077	2560 0211
	Violet Peel General Out-patient Clinic	3157 0000	3553 3116
	Aberdeen Jockey Club General Out-patient Clinic	3543 5011	2555 0381

Kowloon	Kwun Tong Community Health Centre	3157 0687	2389 0331
	Our Lady of Maryknoll Hospital Family Medicine Clinic	3157 0118	2354 2267
	Robert Black General Out-patient Clinic (Holiday clinic service is now provided at Our Lady of Maryknoll Hospital Family Medicine Clinic due to renovation works currently undertaking)	3157 0113	2383 3311
	Yau Ma Tei Jockey Club General Out-patient Clinic	3157 0880	2272 2400
New Territories	Lady Trench General Out-patient Clinic	3157 0107	2614 4789
	Lek Yuen General Out-patient Clinic	3157 0972	2692 8730
	Shek Wu Hui Jockey Club General Out-patient Clinic	3157 0965	2670 0211
	Tai Po Jockey Club General Out-patient Clinic	3157 0906	2664 2039
	Tuen Mun Clinic	3543 0886	2452 9111
	Yuen Long Jockey Club Health Centre	3543 5007	2443 8511

Consultation Hours: 9am to 1pm and 2pm to 5pm