

# Labour Department to hold courses and public talks on prevention of heat stroke at work and occupational health

The Labour Department (LD) organises courses and public health talks on prevention of heat stroke and occupational health regularly to raise employers' and employees' awareness of occupational health.

Details of nine courses and health talks on the prevention of heat stroke at work in July are as follows:

(1)

Dates and Time: July 3, 11 and 24 (Half-day (am));

July 6, 17 and 27 (Half-day (pm))

Venue: Occupational Safety and Health Training Centre of the LD, 13/F, KOLOUR·Tsuen Wan I, 68 Chung On Street, Tsuen Wan, New Territories

Enrolment method: Download the application form

([www.labour.gov.hk/eng/osh/form.htm](http://www.labour.gov.hk/eng/osh/form.htm))

Enquiry hotline: 2940 7057

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Dates and Time: July 6 and 21 (Half-day (am))

Venue: Occupational Safety and Health Centre of the LD, G/F, Kwun Tong Community Health Centre Building, 60 Hip Wo Street, Kwun Tong, Kowloon

Enrolment method: Online registration ([www.oshsreg.gov.hk/en](http://www.oshsreg.gov.hk/en))

Enquiry hotline: 2361 8240

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Date and Time: July 21 (3.30pm to 5pm)

Venue: Lecture Hall, Hong Kong Space Museum, 10 Salisbury Road, Tsim Sha Tsui, Kowloon

Enrolment method: Online registration ([www.oshsreg.gov.hk/en](http://www.oshsreg.gov.hk/en))

Enquiry hotline: 2852 4040

In addition, the LD will hold the following occupational health public talks in July:

(1)

Topic: Occupational Stress

Content: The talk will introduce the symptoms and health impact of occupational stress, and explain the stress-coping strategies through case illustrations.

Date and Time: July 3 (3.30pm to 5pm)

Venue: Lecture Theatre, Hong Kong Central Library, 66 Causeway Road, Causeway Bay, Hong Kong

Enrolment method: Online registration ([www.oshsreg.gov.hk/en](http://www.oshsreg.gov.hk/en))

Enquiry hotline: 2852 4040

(2)

Topic: Occupational Safety and Health (OSH) for Confined Space Workers

Content: The talk will explain the related OSH hazards as well as their preventive measures to enhance workers' OSH awareness in confined spaces.

Date and Time: July 12 (6.30pm to 8pm)

Venue: Lecture Theatre, Hong Kong Central Library, 66 Causeway Road, Causeway Bay, Hong Kong

Enrolment method: Online registration ([www.oshsreg.gov.hk/en](http://www.oshsreg.gov.hk/en))

Enquiry hotline: 2852 4040

(3)

Topic: Infection Control in the Workplace

Content: The talk will explain how micro-organisms may enter the human body and their effects on health. The concept of infection control in workplaces will also be discussed.

Date and Time: July 24 (7.15pm to 8.30pm)

Venue: Lecture Theatre, Hong Kong Central Library, 66 Causeway Road, Causeway Bay, Hong Kong

Enrolment method: Online registration ([www.oshsreg.gov.hk/en](http://www.oshsreg.gov.hk/en))

Enquiry hotline: 2852 4040

All the courses and public talks will be given by the LD's occupational hygienist, occupational safety officer or occupational health nurse in Cantonese. Admission is free.

The LD also provides a free-of-charge outreach health education service. For details, please visit the department's webpage ([www.labour.gov.hk/eng/osh/content7.htm](http://www.labour.gov.hk/eng/osh/content7.htm)) or call 2852 4062.