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## HONG KONG COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS 香港內科醫學院

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21 October 2025

To: All Medical Officers

### Notice on Joint MRCP(UK)/HKCPIE Part I Examination January 2026

This serves to announce the details of the Joint HKCPIE / MRCP(UK) Part I Examination to be held in Hong Kong in January 2026. Examination schedule and application arrangements are as follows:-

Examination Date Wednesday, 28 January 2026

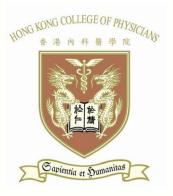
**Examination fee** HK\$9227

### 2 Application

- 2.1 Candidates who wish to enter the examination must hold a recognised medical qualification for not less than 12 months from the date of graduation given on their diploma of medical qualification.
- 2.2 Owing to limited spaces in the examination, applications will be accepted on a first come, first served basis. Candidates who wish to apply for this examination, including both new and re-entry participants, are advised to access to the following google link to fill in the google form and with diplomas of primary medical qualification(s) for first entry candidate by 3 November 2025 (our local application deadline) for registration and vetting first:

#### https://forms.gle/StHYayJSEugWNHmn8

The College will consider the arrival time/date of return emails/uploads in our "first come, first served" mechanism if we receive more applications than our allowed quota. The name on the google form should be **exactly the same in order and spelling** as those on the diploma(s). Applications received after the closing date **will not** be accepted.



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2.3 Examination fee should be submitted in the form of crossed cheque marked payable to "Hong Kong College of Physicians", with the name of the candidate and the contact phone number clearly stated at the back of the cheque. The cheque should reach the College Secretariat at Room 603, Hong Kong Academy of Medicine Jockey Club Building, 99 Wong Chuk Hang Road, Hong Kong, before 5:00 pm on Monday, 3 November 2025, which is our local The cheque should be sent via double application deadline. registered mail, should one wish that to be duly delivered to the College. Our College will not be responsible for loss of mails in the application process, including deliver failures due to insufficient postage fee. Failure to put down the name and contact phone number would also lead to difficulty to identify the candidate in the application procedure.

Alternatively, you can bank in the examination fee to the following bank account of the College before 5:00 pm on Monday, 3 November 2025, which is our local application deadline.

Bank account name: Hong Kong College of Physicians

Bank account number: 262-165228-001

Bank name: Hang Seng Bank

You should submit a copy of the pay in slip with your name written on it. You can either upload to the same google link https://forms.gle/StHYayJSEugWNHmn8 or email to: eliechoi@hkcp.org with your google form and copy of primary medical qualification (if applicable). Failure to put down your name would lead to difficulty in identifying the candidate in the application procedure.

2.4 After vetting, our College will inform eligible candidates by emails to ask them to officially apply for the Part I examination on the MRCP website. You are required to open a MyMRCP(UK) online account for such purpose. For details, you can refer to the MRCP(UK) website:

https://www.thefederation.uk/examinations



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#### 3 Withdrawal/Refund

Candidates can request to withdraw prior to the examination but the proportion of the fee they receive as a refund will vary depending on when they submit the request as a percentage will be retained to cover administrative costs:

- a) During the application period: 90%
- b) After the application period closes and more than 28 days before the examination: i. 60% ii. 80% if evidence of exceptional circumstances (e.g., ill health or bereavement) is provided
- c) Candidates who request to withdraw within 28 days of an examination will only receive a refund (of 80%) if they provide evidence of exceptional circumstances. Where possible, candidates should contact MRCP(UK) or the relevant college administrative office before the examination. Evidence must be submitted within four weeks after their scheduled examination date.

### 4 New Policy from MRCP(UK) Central Office

With effect from January 2013, the MRCP (UK) Central Office will adopt a **NO ID NO ENTRY policy** for all MRCP candidates. No candidates will be allowed to sit an MRCP(UK) exam if they cannot produce appropriate ID when requested to do so on the day of the exam. There will be no exceptions to this rule, unless specifically pre-arranged with MRCP(UK) Central Office in advance of the day of the exam.

MRCP(UK) Central Office specifies appropriate ID to be an official document which contains a candidate's full name, signature and photograph.

Please be reminded to adhere to the above regulation and bring the appropriate ID documents to the examination centre on the examination day.

Dr Chow Kai Ming Hon Secretary

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cc Director of Health (Attn: Staff Training Unit)
Prof Eric Tse, Department of Medicine, Queen Mary Hospital