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CUHK Sets Up First Multi-disciplinary Oesophageal Cancer Clinic in Hong Kong

Cancer of the oesophagus is a common disease in Hong Kong. Every year approximately 600 people in Hong Kong suffers from this tumour. It is also the fifth commonest cause of cancer death in males.

The Faculty of Medicine of the Chinese University of Hong Kong has established the first multi-disciplinary oesophageal cancer clinic at the Sir YK Pao Cancer Centre at the Prince of Wales Hospital. In this clinic, patients will be seen at one sitting by specialists in oesophageal surgery, clinical oncology and therapeutic endoscopy. A hot line (26322788) is also set up for referrals and enquiries from patients and their relatives.

For more information of this clinic, you are cordially invited to send a representative to cover the press conference.

Two oesophageal cancer patients will also be present for interview and to answer questions from the press.

Date: January 5, 1996 (Friday)

Time: 3:00pm

Venue: Seminar Room I, 2/F., Prince of Wales Hospital, Shatin.

Panelists: Arthur K C Li (Dean, Faculty of Medicine, CUHK)
Prof. Sydney Chung (Department of Surgery, CUHK)
Dr W T Leung (Department of Clinical Oncology, CUHK)
Dr S F Leung (Department of Clinical Oncology, CUHK)
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