

Exit Exam HKCFP

Specialty Board

11 April 2019

TODAY WORKSHOP RUNDOWN

Time	Topics
7:00 - 7:10	Introduction (Dr Wendy Tsui)
7:10 - 7:30	Research (Prof Martin Wong)
7:30 - 7:50	Clinical Audit (Dr Alfred Kwong)
7:50 - 7:55	<i>Q&A (Research & Clinical Audit) 5 min</i>
7:55 - 8:20	Practice Assessment (Dr Luk Kam Hung)
8:20 - 8:50	Consultation Skills Assessment (Dr Welchie Ko)
8:50 - 9:00	<i>Q&A (PA & CSA) 5 min</i>

HKAM, HKCFP and Exit Examination

Hong Kong Academy of Medicine (HKAM)

▶ all specialist training program of constituent Colleges

to be of

▶ at least six years in duration with

▶ an intermediate examination and

▶ an exit examination



HKCFP / RACGP
Conjoint Examination

HKCFP Exit Examination
conducted by Specialty Board

Exit Exam

is a high stake regulatory professional exam

Purposefully designed to assess a candidate's clinical performance at the standard expected of a

Specialist in Family Medicine

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Passing HKCFP
Exit Exam

prerequisite

FHKAM
(Family Medicine)

Roles of Specialty Board

- ▶ To plan and conduct the Exit Examination of Vocational Training in Family Medicine of the HKCFP (“Exit Exam”)
- ▶ To assist the College Council to process the applications and formulate recommendations on nomination for FHKAM (Family Medicine) and certification for specialist registration

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Back Row (left to right): Dr. Yiu Yuk Kwan, Dr Chan Yin Hang, Dr Kwong Siu Kei,
Dr Ko Wai Kit, Dr Jenny Wang
Front Row (left to right): Dr Ho Yiu Keung, Dr Chan King Ling, Dr Wendy Tsui,
Prof Cindy Lam, Dr Angus Chan, Dr Luk Kam Hung

Specialty Board members and the Exit Examination

Chairlady:	Dr. Wendy Tsui
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Segment Coordinators & Deputy Coordinators:

Clinical Audit

- ▶ Coordinator: Dr. Alfred Kwong
- ▶ Deputy Coordinator: Dr. Lisa Cheng

Research

- ▶ Coordinator: Prof. Martin Wong
- ▶ Deputy Coordinator: Dr. Chan Yin Hang

Practice Assessment

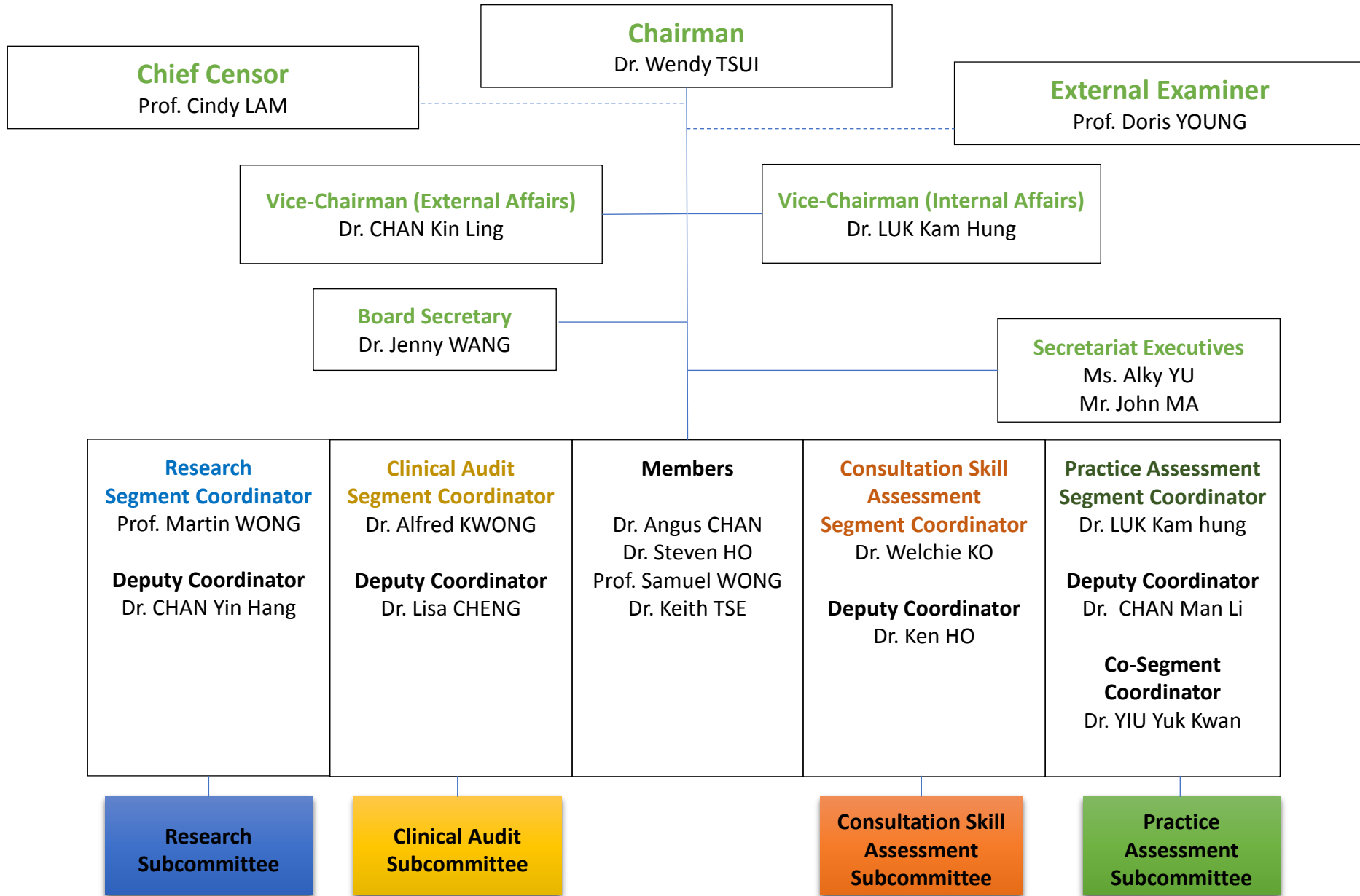
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- ▶ Deputy Coordinator: Dr. Chan Man Li

Consultant Skills Assessment

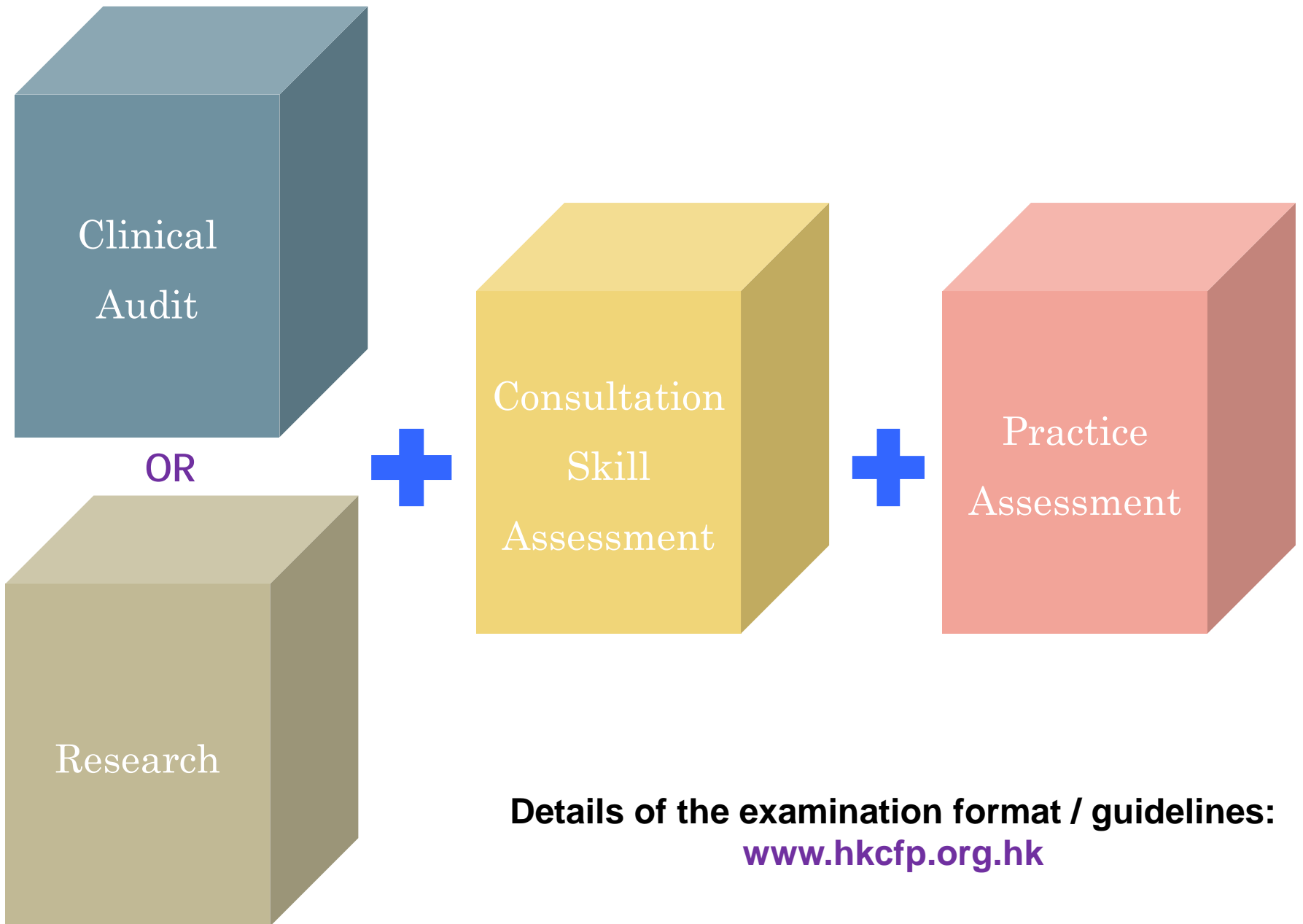
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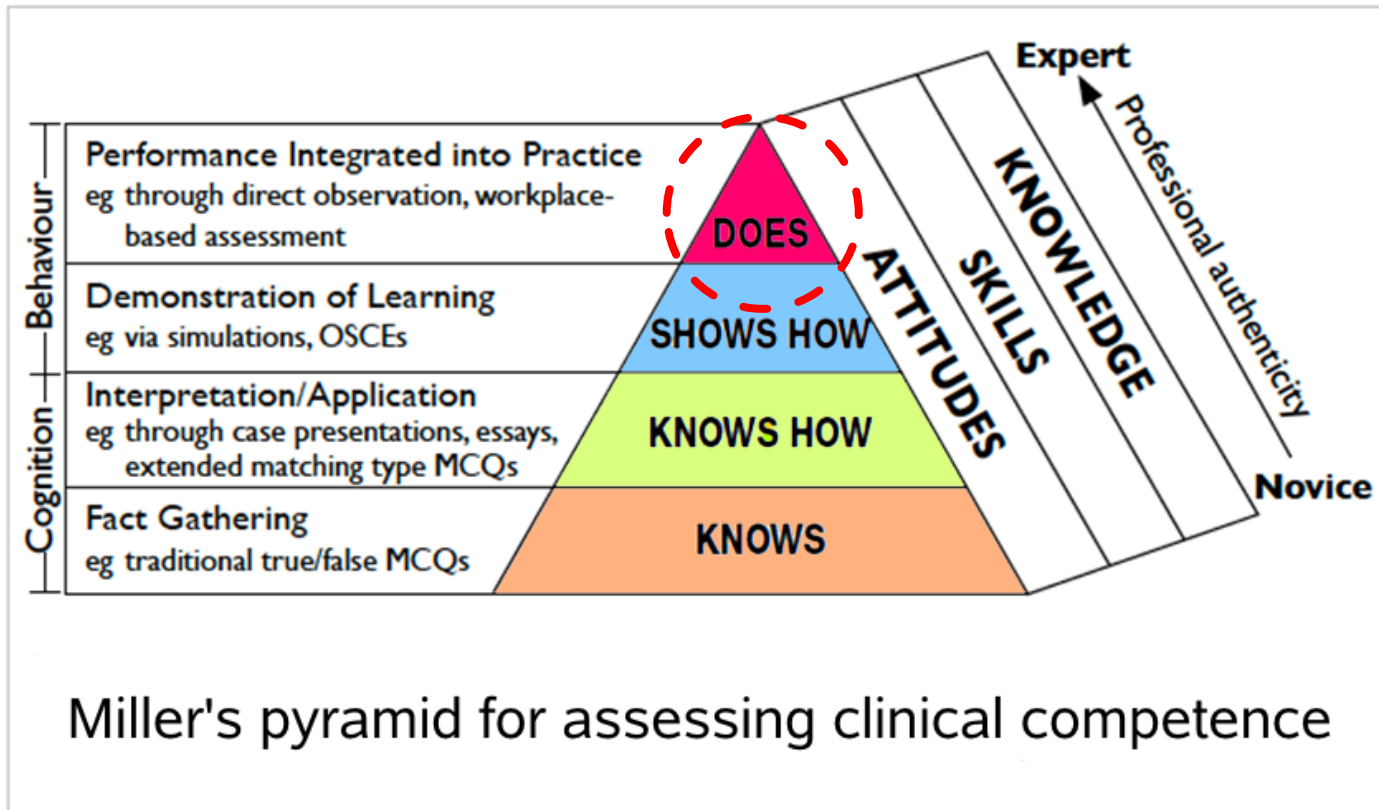
Segments of HKCFP Exit Examination



Details of the examination format / guidelines:
www.hkcfp.org.hk

Consultation Skills Assessment (CSA)

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It's only in the DOES triangle that the doctor truly performs !

Consultation Skills Assessment (CSA)

- ▶ ? LAP as marking scheme for CSA
 - ▶ LAP coding sheets are intended for examiners' reference ONLY on articulating strengths and weaknesses
 - ▶ It is NEVER used as a checklist to scrutinize against the candidate's performance
- ▶ Common causes for failure
 - ▶ Unnecessarily prolonged consultations
 - ▶ Lack of discrimination in problem solving
 - ▶ Inclusion of irrelevant details
 - ▶ Disorganized interview and management

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Practice Assessment

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- ▶ *“ The most frustrating part for candidates is the submission of 300 medical records ...”*
 - ▶ *The ideal situation should be a random sampling from ALL medical records of patients ever seen by the candidate during the years of higher training*
 - ▶ *The number ‘300’ is based on a sample size calculation to achieve a reasonable (5% error) precision*
- ▶ *“Why not assessing computer records directly ?”*
 - ▶ *Encountered objections because of concerns on patient personal data protection and technical problems*
 - ▶ *Some candidates use manual medical records and to align the method of assessments, ALL candidates are thus required to present hard copies of medical records*

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Research/ Clinical Audit Segment

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- ▶ *“ Research segment is much more difficult ...”*
 - ▶ *Research and clinical audit are alternative options for candidates to choose freely*
 - ▶ *The passing rates in both assessments are similar*
 - ▶ *We fully respect the candidate’s choice on what he/ she thinks is the easiest for him/her*

Research & Clinical Audit Presentation

From Full Exit Examination 2019 onwards, presentation at Research & Clinical Audit Forum will **become a prerequisite** for the Application of Exit Examination.

Date: 2 sessions in June 2019

Venue: HKAM Jockey Club Building, Wong Chuk Hang

For registration, please contact Alky at 28718899 or by email.

Your Ultimate Professional Examination

- ~~▶ Not difficult to prepare~~
- ▶ Be prepared
- ▶ Prepare well

Thank You !!!