

## Advanced Primary Care Life Support (APCLS) Training and Examination Workshop 2025

As required by the Royal Australian College of General Practitioners (RACGP), an adequate CPR training course needs to have advance components on airway management, neck support and automated external defibrillation (AED) on top of basic life support. In order to align with our Sister College (RACGP) and to achieve reciprocal recognition in Conjoint Fellowship Examination and Quality Assurance Certificate, the CPR Subcommittee of the Board of Education is pleased to announce that an enhanced CPR course, the Advanced Primary Care Life Support (APCLS) has been launched since 2017.

APCLS course materials have been endorsed by HKCFP Council in 2015 and the Resuscitation Council of Hong Kong (RCHK) in 2016. The course aims to widen the scope of our existing CPR training course by adding several important elements: use of automated external defibrillator (AED), use of airways adjuncts and dealing with initial trauma care through use of neck support.

Tentatively, 2 APCLS Training and Examination Workshops will be held in 2025 (23 March 2025 & 18 May 2025).

As no one is guaranteed to pass in the first attempt, members who plan to sit for the 2025 Conjoint Examination are strongly advised to register for our APCLS session. Members are reminded that a valid HKCFP APCLS Certificate is a pre-requisite for enrolment of the Conjoint Examination. Members who plan to sit for the 2025 Conjoint Examination are also reminded to check the validity of their HKCFP APCLS Certificate to make sure that it is valid at the time of application and also at the time Clinical Examination. HKCFP APCLS certificates are valid for 2 years.

### 23 March / 18 May 2025 (Sunday)

#### APCLS Training and Examination Workshop

Time	12:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Venue	23 March 2025: Function Room 2, 2/F, HKAM Jockey Club Building, 99 Wong Chuk Hang Road, Hong Kong 18 May 2025: 8/F, Duke of Windsor Social Service Building, 15 Hennessy Road, Wan Chai
Talks	1. Advanced Primary Care Life Support-Principles and Techniques 2. Advances in CPR and use of Automated External Defibrillator (AED) 3. Use of Airway Insertion and Cervical Injury Management 4. Updates in Guidelines
Training	Hands-on training, supervised by HKCFP APCLS Instructors
Accreditation	3 CME Points HKCFP (Cat. 4.4) 3 CPD Points HKCFP (Cat. 3.11) for passing the APCLS Examination
Co-organizer	Resuscitation Council of Hong Kong

#### Admission Fee:

##### Members and Non-members

(Attend Training and Examination Workshop) HK\$900.00

##### Members with expired APCLS certificate issued by HKCFP

(Attend Training and Examination Workshop) HK\$500.00

#### Registration QR Code



#### Payment Methods

Course fee could be settled by **cheque or FPS**. Please indicate your preferred method in the registration and the secretarial staff would further email you once the e-debit note with payment details is ready.

Successful candidates will be awarded an APCLS Certificate valid for 2 years, which is also accredited by the Resuscitation Council of Hong Kong. Please contact Ms. Minny Fung at 2871 8899 for registration on or before **12 March 2025 (Wednesday). Registration would be closed when the registration has reached its maximum number of participants.**

**LATE APPLICATIONS WILL BE SUBJECT TO AN ADDITIONAL ADMINISTRATION FEE.**

#### Please take note of the infection controls measure as below:

- Please note participants **with fever ( $\geq 38^{\circ}\text{C}$ )** and/or any respiratory symptoms are **not allowed** to take part in the event named above and should seek medical attention promptly.

#### \*REMARKS:

1. You are not allowed to take the APCLS training workshop and examination during your pregnancy.
2. Priority will be given to candidates who is planning to sit for the Conjoint HKCFP/RACGP Fellowship Examination in 2025 and is going to sit the Diploma of Family Medicine Examination 2025.