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Dear Dr Stavdal,

**26th World Organisation of Family Doctors (WONCA)
World Conference 2027**

The Department of Health of the Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic of China would like to express our full support to the Hong Kong College of Family Physicians (HKCFP) for their bid to host the 26th WONCA World Conference in 2027.

Since its establishment in 1977, the HKCFP has been making significant contribution to the development of family medicine in Hong Kong by promoting good quality medical practices and primary care services in the community. We support the HKCFP's role in promoting family medicine and upholding the standards of family physicians.

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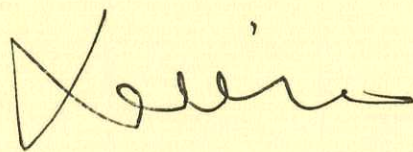
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The HKCFP has hosted WONCA Regional Conferences in 1987 & 2009, and WONCA World Conference in 1995 successfully. The year 2027 also marks the 50th Anniversary of the HKCFP. I am confident that the 26th WONCA World Conference, if hosted by the HKCFP, will be another monumental great success.

Hong Kong, a vibrant global hub bridging East and West, as well as being the gateway to China, provides an excellent platform for hosting international conferences to foster both international and cross-border collaboration. With a proven track record of successfully hosting international and regional conferences, Hong Kong offers a seamless experience, combining its world-class infrastructure, ensuring a memorable conference for all delegates.

I sincerely hope Hong Kong will be given the opportunity to welcome participants of the 26th WONCA World Conference in 2027. We look forward to forging closer collaboration and partnership with medical professions both locally and internationally in shaping the future of primary care development, both locally and globally.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ronald LAM', with a stylized, flowing script.

(Dr Ronald LAM)
Director of Health