

HKU Faculty of Dentistry to hold *Love Teeth Day* event for public

To celebrate National Love Teeth Day (20 September), the Faculty of Dentistry at The University of Hong Kong will be holding an Oral Health Exhibition for the general public in the main lobby of the Prince Philip Dental Hospital on Wednesday, 20 September 2017 as well as Workshop on Tobacco Cessation Counselling for dental students.

1) Oral Health Exhibition

Activities: The exhibition will provide the public with oral health information, brushing and flossing demonstrations, quizzes and games to check oral health knowledge (with prizes), an opportunity to interact with Faculty dental students, door souvenirs and prize draw.

Venue: Main lobby of the Prince Philip Dental Hospital, 34 Hospital Road, Sai Ying Pun, Hong Kong (MTR Sai Ying Pun Station Exit B2)

Date: Wednesday, 20 September 2017

Time: 9:00 am to 4:30 pm

Languages: Cantonese and English



The poster features a central logo of a smiling tooth with a red circular border containing the text '9月20日 全國愛牙日' and 'Love Teeth Day'. To the right, it says 'Get your teeth into a national celebration'. Below the logo, it states '20 September is China's National Love Teeth Day 全國愛牙日'. The main title is 'Oral Health Exhibition 口腔健康展覽'. The event details are: 'Wednesday, 20 September 2017 2017年9月20日(星期三) 9:00 am to 4:30 pm Lobby, Prince Philip Dental Hospital'. Contact information for enquiries is provided: 'Ms Sau-wan Cheng, Knowledge Exchange Officer, dentkee@hku.hk, 2859 0410'. The bottom of the poster mentions 'Organised by: Faculty of Dentistry The University of Hong Kong 35 Years' and the website 'http://facdent.hku.hk'.

2) Tobacco Cessation Counselling Workshop

Presentation of research findings on Dental students' awareness, preparedness and barriers towards managing tobacco-using patient, introduction to tobacco-cessation counselling, knowledge sharing on epidemiology, correct use of pharmacotherapy and suggestions to improve anti-tobacco trainings in HKU. The workshop also has Hands-on Nicotinelles Product Training.

Venue: Lecture Theatre 2, Prince Philip Dental Hospital

Date: Wednesday, 20 September 2017

Time: 6:00 pm to 8:00pm

Language: English (*Registration required*)

20 September is National Love Teeth Day in China. This date has been so named since 1989 as an annual nationwide campaign to encourage preventive oral health care and to promote oral health awareness.

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