

Hong Kong Sterile Services Management Association

Sterilization Academy

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2024 **SEP**

4TH - 6TH

VENUE: PANDA HOTEL, TSUEN WAN, HONG KONG



STERILIZATION SCIENCES COURSE (ENGLISH) MODULE II



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Course Information - Sterilization Sciences Course (English) Module Two

A) Date

4th – 6th September, 2024

B) Time:

0900 - 1700

C) Venue

Address: Panda Hotel, Tsuen Wan, Hong Kong (Link)

D) Course Handout

Hyperlink for Course Handout would be send to participant 2days before the course.

E) Attendance

Participants must attend 75% of the theoretical lecture to acquire course certificate

F) Course Certificate

Upon completion of course assessment and Evaluation with over 75% attendance. Certificate will be granted.

G) Rules and Regulation

- To enable the training starting at 09:00 am sharp, please arrive at least 10 minutes earlier for attendance registration.
- To avoid disturbance to participants, please switch off your electronic device or turn it into silence mode during the lecture.

H) Enquiries

If you have any query, please don't hesitate to contact the course coordinator, Mr. Samuel Tat Hong LAW at lawthsamuel@hkssma.org

I) Bad Weather Arrangement

BEFORE the Training	
Tropical Cyclone Warning Signal No.8 or above / Extreme Conditions /Black Rainstorm Signal Still in Force	Tropical Cyclone Warning Signal No.8 or above / Extreme Conditions /Black Rainstorm Signal Cancelled
At 7:00 am	<u>Before 7:00 am</u>
 On-site training will be cancelled. Instead, a Zoom webinar will be set up to continue the training course by online presentation 	On-site training will be held as scheduled.



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Access to Venue

A) Purchase Octopus Card for Transportation

Octopus is an electronic payment system that uses a microchip built into Octopus cards or products, eliminating the need to carry coins. Simply hold your Octopus over a participating company's Octopus reader and our payment system automatically deducts the correct amount.



- For On-Loan Octopus, you can get a Standard Octopus at Any Airport Express or MTR Customer Service Centre. (link)
- Octopus on iPhone or Apple Watch or transfer a physical Octopus to Octopus on iPhone or Apple Watch via Octopus

 App or Wallet app. (link)
- Huawei Pay Octopus or transfer a physical Octopus to Huawei Pay Octopus via Octopus App or HUAWEI Wallet. (link)
- Octopus in Samsung Pay, you can issue a new one or transfer a physical Octopus to Smart Octopus in Samsung Pay via the Samsung Pay app. (link)

We recommend you to access the venue by following means:

From Hong Kong Airport

Transportation	Charges (HKD)	Approximate Time	
Taxi	Around \$250 / trip	28 minutes	
Airport Express to Tsing Yi Station and	Airport Express- \$65/ person	50 minutes	
Taxi to the Hotel	Taxi- Around \$55 /trip		
Airport bus A31 to Tsuen Wan	¢10.9 / marcan	60 minutes	
(Yan Chai Hospital bus station)	\$19.8 / person	60 minutes	

From High-speed Rail – Hong Kong West Kowloon Station

-Taxi: Directly access to Venue with approximate fee at \$100 HKD, additional charges for luggage maybe charged.



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Practical Information of Hong Kong:

A) Time Zone

Hong Kong Time is eight hours ahead of Coordinated Universal Time (UTC +8).

B) Language

English and Cantonese are the official languages of Hong Kong. Most street signs, menus, tourist and government publications are usually bilingual in both English and Chinese. Most taxi drivers, salespersons, tourism industry employees are able to communicate in English.

C) Visa and Passport Requirements

Visitors to Hong Kong must have valid passports. People of most countries do not require a visa to enter Hong Kong for tourism and can stay for periods varying from seven to 180 days, depending on their nationalities. Participants can check with the Chinese embassy in your country and the Department of the Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic of China for details.

D) Currency and Credit Card

The currency of Hong Kong is the Hong Kong dollar (HKD). One US Dollar is approximately HKD 7.8. It is widely used and accepted throughout the city and can be easily exchanged at banks, exchange offices, and Automatic Teller Machines (ATM). ATM can be found almost everywhere and provide 24-hour cash withdrawal for HKD. International credit cards such as VISA, MasterCard, Diners Club, UnionPay and American Express are commonly accepted by hotels, retail shops and restaurants in Hong Kong. Such premises usually display stickers showing the credit cards they accept at their entrances.

E) Weather

Hong Kong has a sub-tropical climate with seasonal changes. In July, average temperature is ranged from 26°C to 31°C.

Please visit Hong Kong Observatory website for weather forecast before deciding what to pack. (Link)

F) Electricity

The standard voltage in Hong Kong is 220 volts AC/50 cycles. The plug/socket system in Hong Kong is a three-pronged UK-style plug.

G) Emergency numbers

In case of emergency, dial 999 for police, fire, or ambulance services.



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Get Around Hong Kong using Public Transportation:

A) Taxi

Fare Table - Urban Taxi	
	Fare (HK\$)
First 2 kilometres or any part thereof	\$ 27
Every subsequent 200 metres or part thereof, or	
Every period of 1 minute waiting time or part thereof	
Until the chargeable amount reaches \$ 93.5	\$ 1.9
After the chargeable amount has reached \$ 93.5	\$ 1.3
Additional Charges	
Every piece of baggage (Except light personal hand baggage carried inside passenger compartment)	\$ 6
Wheelchairs and crutches carried by disabled passengers	Free
Every animal or bird	\$ 5
Every hiring arranged through telephone booking	\$ 5

(Source: Transport Department, HK, Link)

B) MTR

MTR (Mass Transit Railway) is a public transportation system in Hong Kong, operated by MTR Corporation Limited. It provides metro, light rail, and Airport Express services, covering most of the city with over 90 stations and more than 200 kilometers of rail lines. It is known for its efficiency, reliability, safety, and punctuality.

Application Download:



C) Bus

Buses are a common mode of public transportation in Hong Kong, operated by several companies including KMB, Citybus, and New World First Bus. They provide extensive coverage of the city and offer a cost-effective option for getting around. Buses are equipped with air conditioning and are generally safe and reliable.

Application Download:

KMB:

Citybus, and New World First Bus: 4

















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Plan Your Trip in Hong Kong:

A) Popular Tourist Attractions in Hong Kong





- Victoria Peak: A must-visit attraction with spectacular panoramic views of Hong Kong Island,
- -Victoria Harbour, and Kowloon. You can take the Peak Tram to the top, or hike up if you're feeling adventurous.
- Hong Kong Disneyland: A magical world of Disney characters and attractions, including seven themed lands, parades, and fireworks.
- Big Buddha and Po Lin Monastery: Located on Lantau Island, this impressive bronze statue of Buddha is a popular attraction in Hong Kong. Visitors can also explore the nearby Po Lin Monastery and enjoy vegetarian meals.
- Ocean Park: A marine-themed amusement park with roller coasters, aquariums, and animal exhibits.
- Temple Street Night Market: A bustling market in Kowloon with stalls selling everything from clothing and souvenirs to street food and fortune-telling services.
- Avenue of Stars: A promenade along the waterfront in Tsim Sha Tsui, featuring handprints and statues of famous Hong Kong actors and actresses.
- Hong Kong Museum of History: A fascinating museum that showcases the history and culture of Hong Kong, from prehistoric times to the modern era.
- Ngong Ping 360: A cable car ride that offers stunning views of Lantau Island and the Big Buddha.
- Symphony of Lights: A daily light and sound show that illuminates the skyline of Hong Kong Island and Kowloon.

For details, please visit: https://www.discoverhongkong.com/



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B) Traditional Chinese Dishes





- Dim Sum: This is a style of Cantonese cuisine that features small plates of steamed or fried dumplings, buns, and rolls. Popular dim sum dishes include siu mai, har gow, char siu bao, and cheong fun.
- Roast Goose: This is a succulent and crispy dish that is a favorite in Cantonese cuisine. The skin is roasted until golden brown and served with plum sauce.
- Wonton Noodle Soup: This is a simple yet delicious dish consisting of wontons filled with shrimp or pork, served in a clear broth with thin noodles.
- Char Siu: This is a sweet and savory roasted pork dish that is a staple in Cantonese cuisine. It is often served as a filling in buns or with rice.
- Egg Tart: This is a popular dessert that consists of a flaky pastry crust filled with a smooth and creamy egg custard.
- Pineapple Bun: This is a sweet bun that is topped with a crusty layer of sugar and resembles a pineapple.
- Hong Kong-style Milk Tea: This is a strong, creamy, and sweet tea that is made with black tea and evaporated milk.