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The Chinese University of Hong Kong
Department of Psychiatry
Schedule for February, 2026

Date	Time	Activity	Speaker(s)
Feb5	14:30-16:00	Psychotherapy Case Conference (MUL)*# *The process of Psychodynamic Therapy* *Venue: Room G23	Dr. Irene KAM
	16:00-17:00	Psychotherapy Supervision (MUL)*#	
Feb12	14:30-16:30	Quality Assurance Meeting (SH)# / (TPH)#	
Feb19		Public Holiday	
Feb26	14:30-15:30	Academic Lecture (MUL)* *The clinical toxicities of novel psychoactive substances*	**Dr. Jones CHAN** Clinical Associate Professor (honorary) Division of Clinical Pharmacology Department of Medicine and Therapeutics Faculty of Medicine The Chinese University of Hong Kong
	15:30-16:30	Academic Lecture (MUL)* *Cannabis in the New Era - Clinical Implications for Severe Mental Illness* *Registration link*: https://bit.ly/3NQL48R	**Dr. Vincent WONG** Associate Consultant Tai Po Hospital

Venue:	*Live video	#Closed meeting	@Non-CME Event	MUL	TPH	SH	1AL
				Seminar Room, Multi-centre, Tai Po Hospital, Tai Po, N.T.	Conference Room 1 G/F, Wing D Tai Po Hospital Tai Po, N.T.	Dining Room Ward 7AB Dept. of Psychiatry 7/F, Shatin Hospital Shatin, N.T.	Rm. 1005, Dining Room Ward 1AL, 1/F Tai Po Hospital Tai Po, N.T.

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ACADEMIC LECTURE



Dr. Jones CHAN

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26 FEB 2026 (THU)

14:30 - 15:30

Seminar Room, Multicentre, Tai Po Hospital & Zoom

Topic: The clinical toxicities of novel psychoactive substances

Abstract:

Novel psychoactive substances (NPS) comprise a heterogenous group of compounds designed to mimic traditional illicit substances, often producing similar or even more pronounced psychoactive effects. These substances are associated with significant health and social harms on both individual and societal levels. Frequently marketed as legal alternatives to traditional illicit drugs, the rapid development of NPS outpaces research into their pharmacological and toxicological profiles, leaving much unknown regarding their safety.

This lecture will provide an introduction to the current trend of misuse, pharmacology, and clinical toxicities associated with NPS, with a specific focus on those reported locally.

Biography:

Dr. Jones Chan is a consultant toxicologist at the Prince of Wales Hospital Poison Treatment Centre. He has completed training in Geriatric Medicine, Clinical Pharmacology, and Clinical Toxicology. Currently, Dr. Chan serves as the head of the Poison Treatment Centre of Prince of Wales Hospital, as well as a Clinical Associate Professor (honorary) in the Division of Clinical Pharmacology, Department of Medicine and Therapeutics, Faculty of Medicine, at The Chinese University of Hong Kong. He has collaborated extensively with clinical pharmacists to ensure the safe and appropriate use of medications for elderly patients, including implementing a drug refill system and conducting comprehensive drug reviews in both inpatient and outpatient settings. His research interests include the management of patients with toxicology and drug-related problems, particularly in the elderly population.

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Abstract:

With its rising global prevalence and shifting user demographics, cannabis is one of the most commonly abused substances for the youth. However questions remain as to how it induces genetic predisposition for the development of severe mental illnesses later in life and how it affects their prognosis. This talk is going to provide updates on its epidemiological landscape and review evidence on psychiatric implications.

Biography:

Being a specialist in psychiatry, I have been working in the Substance Abuse Clinic of NTEC for the past few years covering patients with mental illness and co-morbid substance use problems.

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