

Newsletter and Website Revamp!

The Case Management Society of Singapore has recently revamped their Newsletter, CM Connect, and their Website, with a new layout and updated content to increase the reading pleasure. The website hopes to provide up-to-date information on the latest trends and special reports, with a user-friendly interface for both our members as well as the wider network of colleagues and cooperating partners. The aim of this revamp is to boost case managers' relevance across the healthcare system, and to strive towards better patient care with the vision of enhancing patients' healthcare quality in Singapore.



Heart Failure Awareness Day 2015

On 17 September 2015, the Joint Institution Heart Failure Workgroup collaborated with Khoo Teck Puat Hospital to organize the Heart Failure Awareness Day. Visitors, patients and caregivers were treated to a comprehensive programme which raised public awareness on recognizing the symptoms of heart failure as well as strategies to boost prevention. Infotainment booths were set up to provide information on the importance of strong cardiac health through interactive games, and visitors to these booths were highly encouraged to adopt healthy lifestyle habits that could reduce the risk of heart failure.

Feedback from the attendees were positive, citing reasons such as booths were enjoyable and informative. The attendees also requested to extend this event beyond one day. *By Ms Rose Low*



Coney Island

The CMSS social sub-committee organized a trip to Coney Island on 9 Jan 2016. Coney Island, formerly known as Pulau Serangoon, is located off the north-eastern coast of Singapore. Known for its natural and rustic charm, Coney Island was opened to the public in Oct 2015.

CMSS members and their loved ones participated in the activities and games planned by the committee, such as dog-and-bone, Singaporean style (Using names of local food delights), and spotting the famous roaming cow of Coney Island. During the outing, some members chose the leisurely route to admire the scenery, while the more adventurous ones walked to the other end of the island.

By Mr Alan Poon



Case Management Week 2015

TTSH celebrated their Case Management Week on 11 Nov 2015 and they invited a few of their community partners and colleagues from various departments to grace the occasion. Miss Zahara from Eastern Health Alliance (EHA) shared on the Neighbours for Active Living, and Miss Zahara and Miss Rujia from Virtual Hospital shared on the motivating factors that has kept them going as case managers. The Action Team, Nursing Service, Comnet and AICare Link jointly staged a role play and a sing-a-long session prior to the end of the event. *By Ms Tan Yun Jing*



Upcoming Event

ADVANCED CASE MANAGEMENT WORKSHOP scheduled in October (details to be confirmed)



CMSA Anniversary Celebration!
 Date: 12 May 2016
 Venue: Theatre @ TTSH

Programme:

- 15:30 - 16:00 - Registration
- 16:00 - 16:30 - Hong Kong Study Trip sharing by
Mr Alan Poon
Manager, Kwong Wai Shui Hospital
- 16:30-17:30 - Cake Cutting & Refreshment

Kindly RSVP by 6th May 2016

WORLD DAY EVENT



The World Immunization Week, which was celebrated in the last week of April, aims to promote the use of vaccines to protect people of all ages against disease. Immunization has saved millions of lives and is widely recognized as one of the world's most successful and cost-effective health intervention.

For more information, please visit this website: <http://www.who.int/campaigns/immunization-week/2016/event/en>