

MCPD EXPRESS for HKPU members!!!

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Dear members,

In view of the implementation of Mandatory Continuous Professional Development (MCPD) for all Physiotherapists in Hong Kong; HKPU has explored channels to facilitate members to gain the MCPD with much flexibilities in terms of professional-related online courses offered by well-recognized organizations in Australia as,

Physio Plus (Full level) by Physiopedia

- With more than 600 courses covering large range of topics, including MSK, neuro, cardio, paediatrics, geriatrics, primary healthcare, critical care, as well as leadership, professional skills (e.g. communication, mentorship, empathy).
- Courses are regularly updated.
- With >500 technique videos and >500 expert videos.
- Access to 130 complete textbooks.
- With online discussion forum to connect with physiotherapists around the world.
- Course contents are approved for CPD hours in Australia, UK, Canada, etc.
- Participation cert will be issued after completion of course.
- More information about *Physiopedia*: <u>https://members.physio-pedia.com/learn/</u>

and Masterclass by Physio Network

- With more than 50 courses with in-depth coverage of topics, which focus on MSK.
- A new class is added every month.
- Course contents are approved for CPD hours in Australia, UK, Canada, etc.
- o Participation cert will be issued after completion of course.
- More information about *Masterclass* from *Physio Network*: <u>https://www.physio-network.com/join-masterclass/</u>



Advantages of these 2 online course platforms:

- Majority of the listed courses meet the core categories I & II of the MCPD criteria
- Any topic that interests you and optimizes your clinical performance
- All the available courses could be attended at one's discretion in terms of time and place
- The verified CPD collected from these 2 platforms would enhance the possibilities of CPD equivalency to that of the Hong Kong Physiotherapists Board.

<u>Remarks</u>

- 1) Only HKPU members are privileged to register for the enrollment of these bundled online platforms with considerable discount.
- 2) HKPU will recruit members to register to subscribe to the bundled online platforms (launched in *January 2024*).
- 3) The annual subscription fees are HK\$1000 for HKPU Life members & Full members.
- Due to limited quota, on a first come first serve basis, please make haste to complete the online registration form (<u>https://forms.gle/AUXm8Lm7MTn9zqcz7</u>) on or before 20th November, 2023.
- 5) Dates and means for subscription fee collection will be announced later.

Thank you for your attention!

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