



The 14th International Advisory Board (IAB) Meeting
Hong Kong Chinese Materia Medica Standards (HKCMMS)

Provisional Programme

Date: 14-15 July 2026 (Tuesday-Wednesday)

Venue: Ballroom, 23 Oil Street, Harbour Grand Hong Kong, North Point, Hong Kong

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Provisional Programme :

Day 1: 14 July 2026 (Tuesday)		
Time	Programme	
08:30 – 09:00	Registration	
09:00 – 09:20	Opening of the Meeting • Opening Speech by Chairperson of IAB Adoption of Provisional Programme	Dr. Ronald LAM, Director of Health, Hong Kong, China
09:20 – 09:30	Reporting the Progress of HKCMMS Project	HKCMMS Section
09:30 – 10:00	Bambusae Caulis in Taenias (竹茹)	The Chinese University of Hong Kong (CUHK)
10:00 – 10:30	Pyrolae Herba (鹿衔草)	China Medical University (CMU)
10:30 – 11:00	Natrii Sulfas (芒硝)	The Hong Kong Polytechnic University (PolyU)
11:00 – 11:15	Coffee / Tea Break	
11:15 – 11:45	Dichroae Radix (常山)	National Institutes for Food and Drug Control (NIFDC)
11:45 – 12:15	Dioscoreae Hypoglaucae Rhizoma (粉萆薢)	CUHK
12:15 – 12:45	Cynanchi Atrati Radix (白薇)	CMU
12:45 – 13:45	Lunch	
13:45 – 14:15	Inulae Flos (旋覆花)	NIFDC
14:15 – 14:45	Dioscoreae Hypoglaucae Rhizoma (粉萆薢)	CUHK
14:45 – 15:15	Tinosporae Caulis (寬根藤)	CMU
15:15 – 15:30	Coffee / Tea Break	

15:30 – 16:00	Haematitum (赭石)	PolyU
16:00 – 16:30	Lasiosphaera seu Calvatia (馬勃)	CUHK
16:30 – 17:00	Vespaee Nidus (蜂房)	PolyU
17:00 – 17:30	Dioscoreae Rhizoma (山藥)	CUHK
17:30 – 18:00	<i>Cocktail session</i>	
18:00 – 20:00	<i>Welcoming Dinner</i>	

Day 2: 15 July 2026 (Wednesday)		
Time	Programme	
08:30 – 09:00	Reception at GCMTI	
09:00 – 11:00	Visit Government Chinese Medicines Testing Institute (GCMTI)	
Resume of Meeting Programme		
11:30 – 12:00	Aconiti Kusnezoffii Folium (草烏葉)	PolyU
12:00 – 12:30	Meliae Cortex (苦楝皮)	NIFDC
12:30 – 13:00	Tripterygii Wilfordii Radix (雷公藤)	CMU
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch	
14:00 – 14:45	Selection of CMM for Phase XIII of the HKCMMS Project and Review of Content of Previously Published Monographs	HKCMMS Section
14:45 – 15:30	Review of technical guidelines for Micro-morphological Identification	HKCMMS Section
15:30 – 15:45	Coffee / Tea Break	
15:45 – 17:15	Review of requirements for safety tests of the HKCMMS	HKCMMS Section
17:15 – 17:30	Closure of meeting Closing Remarks by Chairperson of IAB	Dr. Ronald LAM, Director of Health, Hong Kong, China
End of Meeting Programme		