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Background:

Hong Kong Chapter was accepted in December 2000. The Chapter has 5 Executive Committee members and 2 corresponding members.

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I. Activities of the Chapter can be summarized as follows:

1. Academic activities:
 - Organizing of a pharmacoeconomics workshop for AstraZeneca on July 4 2007, Hong Kong
2. Promotional activities:
 - Meetings with the chief pharmacist of Hospital Authority of Hong Kong in exploring the possibility of including PE data into drug formulary consideration
 - Meetings with patients' groups to alert their awareness of the significance of PE
 - Meetings with members of the Hong Kong Association of the Pharmaceutical Industry to collaborate on research and other activities
3. Liaison with Mainland China:
 - Regular correspondence with mainland Chinese universities to provide assistance and advice

II. Upcoming Activities of 2008:

1. Co-organizing the International Health Economics Conference, February 29 2008, Hong Kong
2. Compiling a cost-of-illness list for some major chronic diseases such as diabetes, myocardial infarction, rheumatoid arthritis, COPD, hepatitis, influenza etc. in Hong Kong
3. Evaluating and revising the curriculum in Pharmacoeconomics for both undergraduate and postgraduate teaching.
4. Assisting the organizing of a pharmacoeconomic workshop for Novartis, April 7-10