

CME Quiz - Awarding CME Points through Reading the Newsletter¹

Registered CMPs, having answered the 10 questions below, must send the completed answer sheet to their CME administrator **on or before 6 February 2014** for assessment and recording of the CME points awarded. (Please note that the Secretariat of the Chinese Medicine Council of Hong Kong will **NOT** relay the answer sheets to the CME administrators for any CMPs.) **Two** CME points would be awarded for successful attempt of **six or more** questions. In the cases of **late submission** and **insufficient personal particulars provided**, **NO** CME points will be awarded.

CMP Personal Particulars

Name (Chi) _____ (Eng) _____

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Respective Administrator _____

Please mark the answers as sample :

<p>1. In Hong Kong, many proprietary Chinese medicines (pCms) contain Calculus bovis and its substitutes. As the supply of natural Calculus bovis has been decreasing, which of the following is not a substitute of Calculus bovis approved by the state drug administration?</p>	
A : Cultural Calculus bovis	A <input type="checkbox"/>
B : Calculus bovis sativus	B <input type="checkbox"/>
C : Organic Calculus bovis	C <input type="checkbox"/>
D : Calculus bovis artifactus	D <input type="checkbox"/>
E : None of the above	E <input type="checkbox"/>
<p>2. In which of the following situation can a Chinese medicine practitioner (CMP) be exempted from applying for a retailer licence in Chinese herbal medicines from the Chinese Medicines Board (Medicines Board) under the Chinese Medicine Council of Hong Kong?</p>	
A : The Chinese herbal medicines are being used for the purpose of administering to a patient under his direct care	A <input type="checkbox"/>
B : The Chinese herbal medicines are being used for the purpose of administering to a patient under his direct care and dispensed on a prescription given by him	B <input type="checkbox"/>
C : The Chinese herbal medicines are being used for the purpose of administering to a patient under his direct care, dispensed on a prescription given by him and at the premises where he practises	C <input type="checkbox"/>
D : The Chinese herbal medicines are being used for the purpose of administering to a patient under his care and dispensed on a prescription given by his assistant	D <input type="checkbox"/>
E : None of the above	E <input type="checkbox"/>
<p>3. A CMP may entrust a local manufacturer to manufacture pCms. According to the requirements, at least how many working days should the pCm manufacturer submit a notification accompanied by a written undertaking given by the CMP to the Medicines Board before the day on which the manufacturing process of the entrusted pCm begins?</p>	
A : 1 working day	A <input type="checkbox"/>
B : 7 working days	B <input type="checkbox"/>
C : 14 working days	C <input type="checkbox"/>
D : 21 working days	D <input type="checkbox"/>
E : No specific requirement	E <input type="checkbox"/>

¹ The previous issues of Newsletter are available on CMCHK homepage (<http://www.cmchk.org.hk>)

4.	According to the Codes of Conduct, which of the following information should be displayed at a conspicuous place in the clinic by the CMP?	
	A : A photo of the CMP	A <input type="checkbox"/>
	B : A valid practising certificate of registered CMP or the Notification of Listing of a listed CMP	B <input type="checkbox"/>
	C : Proof of academic qualifications of the CMP	C <input type="checkbox"/>
	D : A name card of the CMP	D <input type="checkbox"/>
	E : Proof of qualifications of the CMP	E <input type="checkbox"/>
5.	Which of the following is not the way the Disciplinary Committee of Chinese Medicine Practitioners would handle a complaint?	
	A : Referring the case to the Chinese Medicine Practitioners Board (Practitioners Board) for disciplinary inquiries	A <input type="checkbox"/>
	B : Issuing an advisory letter to the CMP being complained against	B <input type="checkbox"/>
	C : Requesting the CMP being complained against to commit himself to strictly observing the requirements of the relevant Code of Conduct	C <input type="checkbox"/>
	D : No further follow-up for cases with insufficient evidence	D <input type="checkbox"/>
	E : Ordering that the CMP be reprimanded	E <input type="checkbox"/>
6.	Which of the following is not a proper conduct of a CMP?	
	A : Specifying the names and quantities of all Chinese medicines prescribed on the prescription	A <input type="checkbox"/>
	B : Reporting to the Practitioners Board immediately of any court conviction of an offence punishable with imprisonment	B <input type="checkbox"/>
	C : Arranging the presence of an assistant or a third person as far as possible when he is conducting physical examination on a patient of the opposite sex	C <input type="checkbox"/>
	D : Prescribing high dosages of Chinese medicines to patients under all circumstances	D <input type="checkbox"/>
	E : Establishing and maintaining personal medical records for all patients	E <input type="checkbox"/>
7.	What is the maximum penalty a registered CMP is about to face if he/she practices Chinese medicine without obtaining a valid practising certificate for a period exceeding six months since the expiry of his/her practising certificate?	
	A : A verbal warning	A <input type="checkbox"/>
	B : A written warning	B <input type="checkbox"/>
	C : Suspension of his/her practising certificate for one year	C <input type="checkbox"/>
	D : Removal of his/her name from the Register of Chinese Medicine Practitioners	D <input type="checkbox"/>
	E : Imprisonment for six months	E <input type="checkbox"/>
8.	If a registered CMP fails, not being the first time, to acquire the required CME points when applying for renewal of practising certificate (i.e. he/she has been warned previously by the Practitioners Board for not acquiring the required CME points and yet his/her application for renewal has been approved), will the Practitioners Board accept his/her application for renewal of practising certificate?	
	A : Yes, but the Practitioners Board will issue a written warning to the CMP	A <input type="checkbox"/>
	B : Yes, but the Practitioners Board will issue a written warning to the CMP and request him/her to undertake that he/she will meet the CME requirements in future	B <input type="checkbox"/>
	C : No	C <input type="checkbox"/>
	D : Yes, but the Practitioners Board will request the CMP to submit a written explanation and supporting documents	D <input type="checkbox"/>
	E : Yes, but the validity period of the CMP's practising certificate will be shortened to two years	E <input type="checkbox"/>

9.	If a registered CMP has duly applied to the Registrar for the renewal of practising certificate and paid the prescribed fee in accordance with the Chinese Medicine Ordinance but his/her application is still being processed, can he/she practise Chinese medicine during the period awaiting for the approval of his/her application?	
	A : No, because his/her original practising certificate is invalid	A <input type="checkbox"/>
	B : It depends on whether the practising certificate of the registered CMP has expired	B <input type="checkbox"/>
	C : Yes, but the registered CMP has to declare in his/her application his/her intention to continue practicing Chinese medicine during the period awaiting for the approval of his/her application	C <input type="checkbox"/>
	D : Not until the Practitioners Board has made a decision regarding his/her application	D <input type="checkbox"/>
	E : Yes, until the Practitioners Board has made a decision regarding his/her application	E <input type="checkbox"/>
10.	To be eligible to apply to be a registered CMP, apart from having satisfactorily completed such an undergraduate degree course of training in Chinese medicine practice or its equivalent as is approved by the Practitioners Board, what other qualification should an applicant who is not a listed CMP possess?	
	A : He/she should become a listed CMP first	A <input type="checkbox"/>
	B : He/she should become a CMP with limited registration first	B <input type="checkbox"/>
	C : He/she should possess a qualification of a relevant master degree or above	C <input type="checkbox"/>
	D : He/she should have passed the Licensing Examination conducted by the Practitioners Board	D <input type="checkbox"/>
	E : It varies, depending on the qualifications of each individual applicant	E <input type="checkbox"/>

Staff Name and Post : _____

CME Points Awarded _____

(Staff Signature)

Chop of the CME Administrator

Date