

Dr Yap Han Seong ~ Academic Profile

Academic Qualifications

1990 B.Med.Sc (UKM)

1994 MD (UKM)

2000 MRCP (UK)

2012 FRCP (Edinburgh)

Other qualification:

ATCL (1984), LTCL (1985) in piano performing from Trinity College of Music, London.

Working experience

1994-1995

- Intern in Muar Hospital, finished rotations in internal medicine, Surgery, orthopaedics, pediatrics and Ob & Gyn.
- Participate in active night calls every other night for the year of internship.
- Acquired skills in basic clinical procedures.

1995-1999

- House officer in the department of Internal Medicine.
- Put in charge of an active medical ward, managing cases the assistance of junior officers.
- Present cases to consultant during rounds.
- Supervising the medical training of junior officers.
- Participate in CME activities in and out of hospital.
- Collaborate with consultant in clinical research and writing papers.
- Did clinical attachments in Kuala Lumpur Hospital, Klang hospital and various hospitals in Singapore prior to the stint in UK.

1999-2000

- Pre-MRCP training with Prof DH Lawson (now retired) at Glasgow Royal Infirmary. Underwent rotations in general Medicine, dermatology, geriatrics and medical cardiology.

2000

- Completed *MRCP (UK)*

2000-2001

- Clinical specialist (equivalent to registrar) in the department of internal medicine, Muar Hospital under Dr.N.Nivedita, then consultant in medicine.
- Continued clinical work in the capacity of a clinical specialist
- Training junior and senior house officers.
- Organizing in-house CME activities, pre-MRCP courses with the help of consultant.
- Provide support for the undergraduate education of medical students from local varsities and those abroad.

2002-present

- Consultant physician in general medicine at my own private clinic, previously under Medical Specialist Centre, JB.
- Run outpatient medical clinic, with active ward work.
- Participate in night calls, in rotation with other physicians.
- In charge of non-invasive cardiac lab, mainly stress ECG and echocardiogram.
- Continued with CME activities, on-line and otherwise.
- Started to assist Monash University in the training of their medical students, mainly the third year.

2010-present

- Part-time senior lecturer in clinical medicine at Monash University Malaysian Campus.
- Taking two afternoon bedside sessions a week with year 3 students, in internal medicine.
- Involved in the exam committee.
- Examiner to their 3rd year final exam.
- Also involved in social counseling of the 3rd year students.
- For the last 3 years, I've also been involved in the training and mock exam for PACES (MRCP UK) candidates in HSAJB, organized by Dr.Hooi, who has recently retired.

Papers/journals/books

1994-1999

- Co-authored review articles (with Dr.N.Nivedita, FRCP) on bronchial asthma, diabetes mellitus and dengue fever in the local community.
- Epidemiological study of the presenting symptoms of dengue fever in Muar Hospital (Malaysian Medical Journal)
- Local survey of the diagnosis and inhalational technique of asthmatic patients in Muar Hospital (Malaysian Medical Journal)
- Presenting symptoms of diabetes mellitus : in and out-patient survey for local consensus paper.
- Co-authored Emergency Medicine Handbook, Muar Hospital.

Current position

- Consultant physician, Yap Medical Specialist Clinic.
- Senior Lecturer in Clinical Internal Medicine, Monash University, Malaysia.