

PROFESSIONAL PROGRAMMES

Clinical Attachments

Introduction

Training is the backbone of Tsao Foundation's modus operandi in its mission to transform the experience of ageing in the community. Besides providing opportunities for targeted and meaningful lifelong learning for the older persons, the Foundation also provides training for family care partners, students of medicine, health and social sciences, aged-care service providers, policy makers and other stakeholders in ageing.

Clinical attachment in Hua Mei Centre for Successful Ageing (HMCSA) is crucial in creating an impactful experience for training students, service providers, policy makers and other stakeholders.

Apart from training, clinical attachment meets many other of the Foundation's objectives including – partnership development; social network for clinical care; advocacy to reveal gaps in services and community aged care solutions; positive branding as a practitioner-advocate and donor engagement, among other objectives.

Who should Attend

Health and social care professionals and aged-care service planners.

½ Day attachment

Objectives

1. To acquire an appreciation of the challenges faced by frail elders and their caregivers in the community.
2. To understand the principles in the design of community aged care services, as demonstrated by Hua Mei Centre for Successful Aging

2 days attachment

Objectives

S/n 1 to 2 and:

3. To appreciate the importance of multi-disciplinary team approach to care through observing an Interdisciplinary Group Meeting
4. To understand the different services and programmes under the Hua Mei Centre for Successful Aging

10 days attachment

Objectives

S/n 1 to 4 and:

5. To acquire an in-depth understanding of the range of services within Hua Mei Centre for Successful Aging, their strengths and limitations, to facilitate future collaboration.
6. To appreciate the impact of health and social care policies on their livelihood.

Training Methodology

Observation, Didactic questioning, Reflection

Course Details

Time:

9.00 am to 5.00 pm

Venue:

Tsao Foundation

Fee (Including GST):

½ day attachment - \$192.60
2 days attachment - \$347.75
10 days attachment - \$802.50

Prevailing course fee subsidy at 90% for Singaporeans/PRs and 45% for foreign staff working in eligible community care organisations.

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For more on HMTA:

<https://tsaofoundation.org/what-we-do/training-educations/about-hmta>

For more on our training calendar:

<https://tsaofoundation.org/events>

About Hua Mei Training Academy

HMTA is a dedicated provider of training in person-centred multidisciplinary eldercare to support healthy ageing over the life stages.

Its courses for professionals and new market entrants and its consultancy services meet an urgent need for capacity-building in the eldercare sector. It also provides training to family and informal caregivers to empower ageing in place.

Known for its practitioner-to-practitioner training methodology and signature courses in team-managed primary healthcare, HMTA transmits the expertise of the Tsao Foundation, which has been providing quality integrated bio-psycho-social healthcare to older persons in the community since 1993.

Tsao Foundation's training services started in 1995. To advance opportunities in longevity, it also offers a range of courses through the Learning Room at its Community for Successful Ageing (ComSA).

	Outline	Fees (Including GST)
½ Day Attachment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Guided visit to the home of an older person under the care of HMCSA • Debrief, Questions and Answers 	\$192.60
2 Days Attachment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Guided visit to the home of older persons under the care of HMCSA • Tour and Briefing of HMCSA services • Observe: Interdisciplinary Group Meetings • Debrief, Questions and Answers 	\$347.75
10 Days Attachment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Guided visit to the home of older persons under the care of HMCSA • Tour and Briefing of HMCSA services • Conferences: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Family Conference (if available for observation) ○ Hospital visits/ communication with primary care physician • Observe doctor's or nurse's clinic session • Observe: Interdisciplinary Group Meetings • Debrief, Questions and Answers 	\$802.50

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