

**11th APPS Annual Scientific Congress in conjunction with
29th HKSPRA Annual Scientific Meeting
30 Oct – 1 Nov 2026, Hong Kong
Programme (Version: 17 Aug 2026)**

30 Oct 2026 (Friday)

<u>Parallel Workshop 1</u> Paediatric Airway Interventions by Flexible Bronchoscopy <i>Chairpersons: Prof. Ashkan Moslehi and Prof. Wen-Jue Soong</i> 09:30 – 10:00 Registration 10:00 – 10:10 Welcome and Introduction <i>Prof. Wen-Jue Soong, Taichung City</i> 10:10 – 10:35 Airway Mapping: From Images to Bronchoscopy <i>Prof. Ashkan Moslehi, Kuwait</i> 10:35 – 11:00 Airway Foreign Body: Management by Flexible Bronchoscopy <i>Dr. An-Xia Jiao, Beijing</i> 11:00 – 11:25 Flexible Bronchoscopy Guided Cryotherapy / Thermoablation <i>Dr. Sarabon Tahura, Bangladesh</i> 11:25 – 11:50 Paediatric Airway Stenting <i>Prof. Ashkan Moslehi, Kuwait</i> 11:50 – 12:15 Anesthetic/Sedation for Interventional Bronchoscopy: Oxygenation and Ventilation Support <i>Prof. Wen-Jue Soong, Taichung City</i>	<u>Parallel Workshop 2</u> Cystic Fibrosis: From Zero to 100+ <i>Chairpersons: Assoc. Prof. Hussein Al Kindi and Dr. Ka-Ka Siu</i> 09:30 – 10:00 Registration 10:00 – 10:10 Welcome and Introduction <i>Assoc. Prof. Hussein Al Kindi, Oman</i> 10:10 – 10:35 Making the Diagnosis <i>Prof. Sushil Kabra, India</i> 10:35 – 11:00 How intensive to Identify and Treat Respiratory Infection <i>Prof. Bulent Karadag, Turkey</i> 11:00 – 11:25 Nebulizer Therapy <i>Dr. Ka-Ka Siu, HKU</i> 11:25 – 11:50 CFTR Modulator Use in Asia <i>Prof. Sushil Kabra, India</i> 11:50 – 12:15 Nutritional Support <i>Assoc. Prof. Harutai Kamalaprorn, Thailand</i> 12:15 – 12:40 Chest Physiotherapy <i>Ms. Brigitte KY Fung, Hong Kong SAR</i>	<u>Parallel Workshop 3</u> Lung Function: Tidal to Force <i>Chairpersons: Prof. Anne Goh and Dr. Michelle YP Tsang</i> 09:30 – 10:00 Registration 10:00 – 10:10 Welcome and Introduction <i>Prof. Anne Goh, Singapore</i> 10:10 – 10:35 Incentive Spirometry <i>Prof. Basil Elnazir, Ireland</i> 10:35 – 11:00 Tidal Breathing Lung Function Tests <i>Dr. Michelle YP Tsang, UCH</i> 11:00 – 11:25 Challenge Tests in Lung Function <i>Prof. Anne Goh, Singapore</i> 11:25 – 11:50 DLCO – Interpretation <i>Prof. Gerald Loughlin, USA</i> 11:50 – 12:15 Interpretation of Body Box Readings <i>Prof. Anna Nathan, Malaysia</i> 12:15 – 12:40 Nitric Oxide Tests for Respiratory Diseases <i>Dr. Michelle YP Tsang, UCH</i>	<u>Parallel Workshop 4</u> Ventilators Optimization: PICU Transport to Home <i>Chairpersons: Dr. Karen KY Leung and Prof. Aroonwan Preutthipan</i> 09:30 – 10:00 Registration 10:00 – 10:10 Welcome and Introduction <i>Dr. Karen KY Leung, HKCH</i> 10:10 – 10:30 Pathophysiology of Respiratory Insufficiency <i>Dr. Ellis KL Hon, CUHK Medical Centre</i> 10:30 – 10:50 Acute Non-invasive Ventilation <i>Dr. Manu Sundaram, Qatar</i> 10:50 – 11:10 Invasive Ventilation: The Right Strategy <i>Dr. Judith JM Wong, Singapore</i> 11:10 – 11:30 Apnoeic Oxygenation During Intubation <i>Prof. Andreas Schibler, Australia</i> 11:30 – 11:40 Break 11:40 – 12:00 Ventilation During Critical Care Transport <i>Dr. Karen KY Leung, HKCH</i>
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12:15 – 12:30 Wrap Up and Introduction of Hands-on Workshop <i>Prof. Ashkan Moslehi, Kuwait</i> 12:30 – 14:00 Lunch Break (self-arrangement) 14:00 – 16:30 Hands-on Stations Station 1: Foreign Body Retrieval <i>Dr. An-Xia Jiao, Beijing</i> Station 2: APC / Cryo <i>Dr. Sarabon Tahura, Bangladesh</i> Station 3: Ballon Dilatation <i>Prof. Ashkan Moslehi, Kuwait</i> Station 4: Soong's Ventilation <i>Prof. Wen-Jue Soong, Taichung City</i> 16:30 – 17:00 Question and Answer <i>Whole Faculty</i>	12:40 – 12:55 Wrap Up and Introduction of Hands-on Workshop <i>Assoc. Prof. Hussein Al Kindi, Oman</i> 12:55 – 14:25 Lunch Break (self-arrangement) 14:25 – 16:30 Hands-on Stations <i>(Sponsors: Celki nd Medwell)</i> Station 1: Sweat Test <i>Prof. Sushil Kabra, India and Prof. Bulent Karadag, Turkey</i> Station 2: Aquagenic Winkling <i>Prof. Sushil Kabra, India</i> Station 3: Airway Clearance <i>Ms. Brigitte KY Fung, Hong Kong SAR and Ms. Rebecca SY Wong, Hong Kong SAR</i> Station 4: Inhalation Therapy <i>Dr. Ka-Ka Siu, HKU</i> 16:30 – 17:00 Question and Answer <i>Whole Faculty</i>	12:40 – 12:55 Wrap Up and Introduction of Hands-on Workshop 12:55 – 14:25 Lunch Break (self-arrangement) 14:25 – 16:30 Hands-on Stations Station 1: Incentive Spirometry <i>Sponsor: Prism Technologies</i> Station 2: FOT <i>Sponsor: Prism Technologies</i> Station 3: FeNo <i>Sponsor: Prism Technologies</i> Station 4: Nasal NO / Offline NO <i>Sponsor: Pebble Healthcare</i> 16:30 – 17:00 Question and Answer <i>Whole Faculty</i>	12:00 – 12:20 Use of NAVA in Neuromuscular Patients or Recurrent Failed Extubation <i>Dr. Manu Sundaram, Qatar</i> 12:20 – 12:40 Troubleshooting Paediatric NIV: A Case-based Practical Approach <i>Prof. Aroonwan Preutthipan, Thailand</i> 12:40 – 13:00 Tracheostomy – Optimal Home Care Strategies <i>Ms. Sheila Kun, USA</i> 13:00 – 13:05 Wrap Up and Introduction of Hands-on Workshop <i>Dr. Karen KY Leung, HKCH</i> 13:05 – 14:10 Lunch Break (self-arrangement) 14:10 – 14:30 Video Lecture: From Mechanism to Bedside: High Velocity Therapy Use in Pediatrics <i>Dr. Theresa Schultz, USA</i> 14:30 – 16:35 Hands-on Stations Station 1: Invasive Ventilation and NAVA <i>Prof. Aroonwan Preutthipan, Thailand and Dr. Judith JM Wong, Singapore</i> <i>Sponsor: Getinge</i> Station 2: NIV Set Up and Troubleshooting <i>Dr. Ellis KL Hon, CUHK Medical Centre and Dr. Manu Sundaram, Qatar</i> <i>Sponsor: Legend Master</i>
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31 Oct 2026 (Saturday)

08:00	Registration		
09:00 – 09:30	Opening Ceremony		
09:30 – 11:00	<u>Keynote Lecture 1 and 2</u> 09:30 – 10:10 Paediatric Pulmonary Tuberculosis Guideline – 2026 <i>Prof. Varinder Singh, India</i> 10:10 – 10:50 Asthma Management 2026 <i>Prof. Basil Elnazir, Ireland</i> 10:50 – 11:00 Question and Answer		
11:00 – 11:30	Coffee Break		
11:30 – 13:15	<u>Parallel Symposium 1</u> Asthma 11:30 – 12:00 Managing Paediatric Asthma and Wheezing in the Light of GINA 2026 Guidelines <i>Dr. Alfred YC Tam, Hong Kong SAR (Sponsored by AZ)</i> 12:00 – 12:30 Climate Change and Thunderstorm Asthma in Children: Challenges and Responses <i>Prof. Kun-Ling Shen, Shenzhen</i> 12:30 – 13:00 Real World Outcomes of Dupilumab in Children with Multiple Allergic Diseases <i>Prof. Julia Levina, Russia</i> 13:00 – 13:15 Question and Answer	<u>Parallel Symposium 2</u> Obstructive Sleep Apnoea Syndrome 11:30 – 12:00 Hypoxic Burden – Is it Ready for Use in Childhood Obstructive Sleep Apnoea? <i>Prof. Albert MC Li, CUHK</i> 12:00 – 12:30 Dental Intervention for Childhood Obstructive Sleep Apnoea – What is the Longer-term Outcome? <i>Dr. Michael TK Chao, UCH</i> 12:30 – 13:00 Phenotyping Childhood Obstructive Sleep Apnoea Syndrome – A New Standard <i>Dr. Chien-Heng Lin, Taichung City</i> 13:00 – 13:15 Question and Answer	<u>Parallel Symposium 3</u> Technology Dependent Children 11:30 – 11:50 The News in Neuromuscular Disorder <i>Prof. Omendra Narayan, UAE</i> 11:50 – 12:10 Transition to Non-invasive Support: When & How <i>Prof. Aroonwan Preutthipan, Thailand</i> 12:10 – 12:30 Hospital to Home Ventilation <i>Dr. Ka-Ka Siu, HKU</i> 12:30 – 12:50 Common Mistakes, Unmet Needs and Adaptation at Home: Unknown to Hospital Staff <i>Ms. Sheila Kun, USA</i> 12:50 – 13:15 Question and Answer

13:15 – 14:00	Lunch Break		
14:00 – 15:13 (Present: 10 mins; Q&A: 3 mins)	<u>Parallel Free Paper Oral Presentation 1</u>	<u>Parallel Free Paper Oral Presentation 2</u>	<u>Parallel Free Paper Oral Presentation 3</u>
15:15 – 15:45	Coffee Break		
15:45 – 17:15	<u>Keynote Lecture 3 and 4</u> 15:45 – 16:25 What Happens to a Child with Obstructive Sleep Apnoea in Adulthood – Cardiovascular Perspective <i>Dr. Kate CC Chan, CUHK</i> 16:25 – 17:05 Year in Review: Paediatric Respiratory Medicine <i>Prof. Anne Goh, Singapore</i> 17:05 – 17:15 Question and Answer		
	17:30 – 18:45 <u>30th HKSPRA Annual General Meeting</u> (HKSPRA members only)	17:45 – 18:45 <u>13th APPS Annual General Meeting</u> (APPS members only)	
19:00 – 22:00	Congress Dinner		

1 Nov 2026 (Sunday)

07:15	Registration		
08:00 – 08:45	<u>Keynote Lecture 5</u> 08:00 – 08:40 Diagnosis and Management in Primary Ciliary Dyskinesia <i>Prof. Bulent Karadag, Turkey</i> 08:40 – 08:45 Question and Answer		
08:45 – 10:30	<u>Parallel Symposium 4</u> Respirology 08:45 – 09:15 Mapping the Vascular Obstruction in the Airway – An Integrated Approach <i>Dr. Carol Ng, HKCH</i> 09:15 – 09:45 Management of Central Airway Obstruction in Children <i>Dr. Sarabon Tahura, Bangladesh</i> 09:45 – 10:15 Heated Humidified High Flow – A Pragmatic Approach <i>Prof. Andreas Schibler, Australia</i> 10:15 – 10:30 Question and Answer	<u>Parallel Symposium 5</u> Respiratory Syncytial Virus 08:45 – 09:15 Protecting Infant from Respiratory Syncytial Virus <i>Dr. Kate CC Chan, CUHK (sponsored by Sanofi)</i> 09:15 – 09:45 Treatment of Respiratory Syncytial Virus Infection <i>Dr. Wa-Keung Chiu, UCH</i> 09:45 – 10:15 Sequelae of Respiratory Syncytial Virus Infection <i>Prof. Omendra Narayan, UAE</i> 10:15 – 10:30 Question and Answer	<u>Parallel Symposium 6</u> Cystic Fibrosis 08:45 – 09:05 Overcoming the Diagnosis Challenges <i>Prof. Sushil Kabra, India</i> 09:05 – 09:25 Establishing a Cystic Fibrosis Service – A Tale of 2 Cities <i>Assoc. Prof. Harutai Kamalapron, Thailand</i> <i>Dr. Ka-Ka Siu, HKU</i> 09:25 – 09:45 Achieving an Optimal Cystic Fibrosis Management <i>Prof. Bulent Karadag, Turkey</i> 09:45 – 10:05 Diagnosis of Cystic Fibrosis by Genes Study – The Pros and Cons <i>Prof. Li-Wei Gao, Beijing</i> 10:05 – 10:30 Question and Answer
10:30 – 11:00	Coffee Break		

11:00 – 12:45	<u>Parallel Symposium 7</u> Skin and Allergy 11:00 – 11:30 Role of Jak Inhibitors in Atopic Dermatitis and Vitiligo <i>Prof. Steven Thng, Singapore</i> (sponsored by Rxilient) 11:30 – 12:00 Early Nutrition and Allergic Diseases <i>Prof. Kamilla Efendieva, Russia</i> 12:00 – 12:30 Integrative Medicine for Childhood Atopic Diseases <i>Dr. Ellis KL Hon, CUHK Medical Centre</i> 12:30 – 12:45 Question and Answer	<u>Parallel Symposium 8</u> Critical Care Medicine 11:00 – 11:30 A Novel Respiratory Support for Resuscitation: Soong's Ventilation <i>Prof. Wen-Jue Soong, Taichung City</i> 11:30 – 11:50 Aerosolized Therapies in Critical Ill Children <i>Dr. Manu Sundaram, Qatar</i> 11:50 – 12:10 Flexible Bronchoscopy Treatment in Airway Hyper-secretion <i>Dr. An-Xia Jiao, Beijing</i> 12:10 – 12:30 Neuromuscular Respiratory Crises and Extubation Failure <i>Dr. Judith JM Wong, Singapore</i> 12:30 – 12:45 Question and Answer	<u>Parallel Symposium 9</u> Infectious Diseases 11:00 – 11:30 Encephalitis 11:30 – 11:50 Severe Adenovirus Respiratory Infections – The Possible Treatment <i>Prof. Julian WT Tang, UK</i> 11:50 – 12:10 Update on Antivirals and Immunomodulatory Treatments for Respiratory Viral Infections <i>Prof. Ivan FN Hung, HKU</i> 12:10 – 12:30 OM-85: 35 Years of Evidence in Russia <i>Prof. Leyla Namazova-Baranova, Russia</i> 12:30 – 12:45 Question and Answer
12:45 – 13:30	Lunch Break		
13:30 – 15:15	<u>Parallel Symposium 10</u> Respirology 13:30 – 14:00 Non-CF Bronchiectasis – The NEWs <i>Prof. Sushil Kabra, India</i> 14:00 – 14:30 Dysfunctional Swallowing <i>Prof. Gerald Loughlin, USA</i> 14:30 – 15:00 Post-infection Bronchiolitis Obliterans Management <i>Prof. Anna Nathan, Malaysia</i>	<u>Parallel Symposium 11</u> Tuberculosis 13:30 – 14:00 Difficulties and Challenges in the Diagnosis and Treatment of Paediatric Tuberculosis <i>Prof. A-Dong Shen, Beijing</i> 14:00 – 14:30 Sequelae of Pulmonary Tuberculosis <i>Dr. Citra Cesilia, Indonesia</i> 14:30 – 15:00 Classification and Treatment Strategies of Paediatric Tracheobronchial Tuberculosis <i>Dr. An-Xia Jiao, Beijing</i>	<u>Parallel Symposium 12</u> Common Sleep Medicine 13:30 – 14:00 An App Intervention for Sleep Problems in Children with Neurodiversity <i>Dr. Shirley Li, HKU</i> 14:00 – 14:30 Technological Ways of Dealing with Insomnia in Adolescents <i>Dr. Rachel Chan, CUHK</i> 14:30 – 15:00 Paediatric Insomnia: What to Exclude, What to Teach, When to Prescribe <i>Dr. Majid Al Teneiji, UAE</i>

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15:15 – 15:45	Coffee Break		
15:45 – 16:30	<u>Keynote Lecture 6</u> 15:45 – 16:25 Interventional Flexible Bronchoscopy in Children: State of the Art <i>Prof. Ashkan Moslehi, Kuwait</i> 16:25 – 16:30 Question and Answer		
16:30 – 17:00	Closing Ceremony and Presentation of Awards		