

Latest Development of Primary Healthcare: Chronic Disease Co-Care Pilot Scheme (CDCC) and Seasonal Influenza Vaccine Arrangement for Specified Family Doctors



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Key Milestones of PHC and CDCC Development

Oct 2022



Policy Address 2022

Set out the policy direction to launch the CDCC Pilot Scheme

Dec 2022



Primary Healthcare Blueprint

Set out direction of development and strategies for strengthening Hong Kong's Primary Healthcare (PHC) system

Nov 2023



CDCC Pilot Scheme

The first item to promote primary healthcare since the announcement of Primary Healthcare Blueprint

Oct 2024



Policy Address 2024

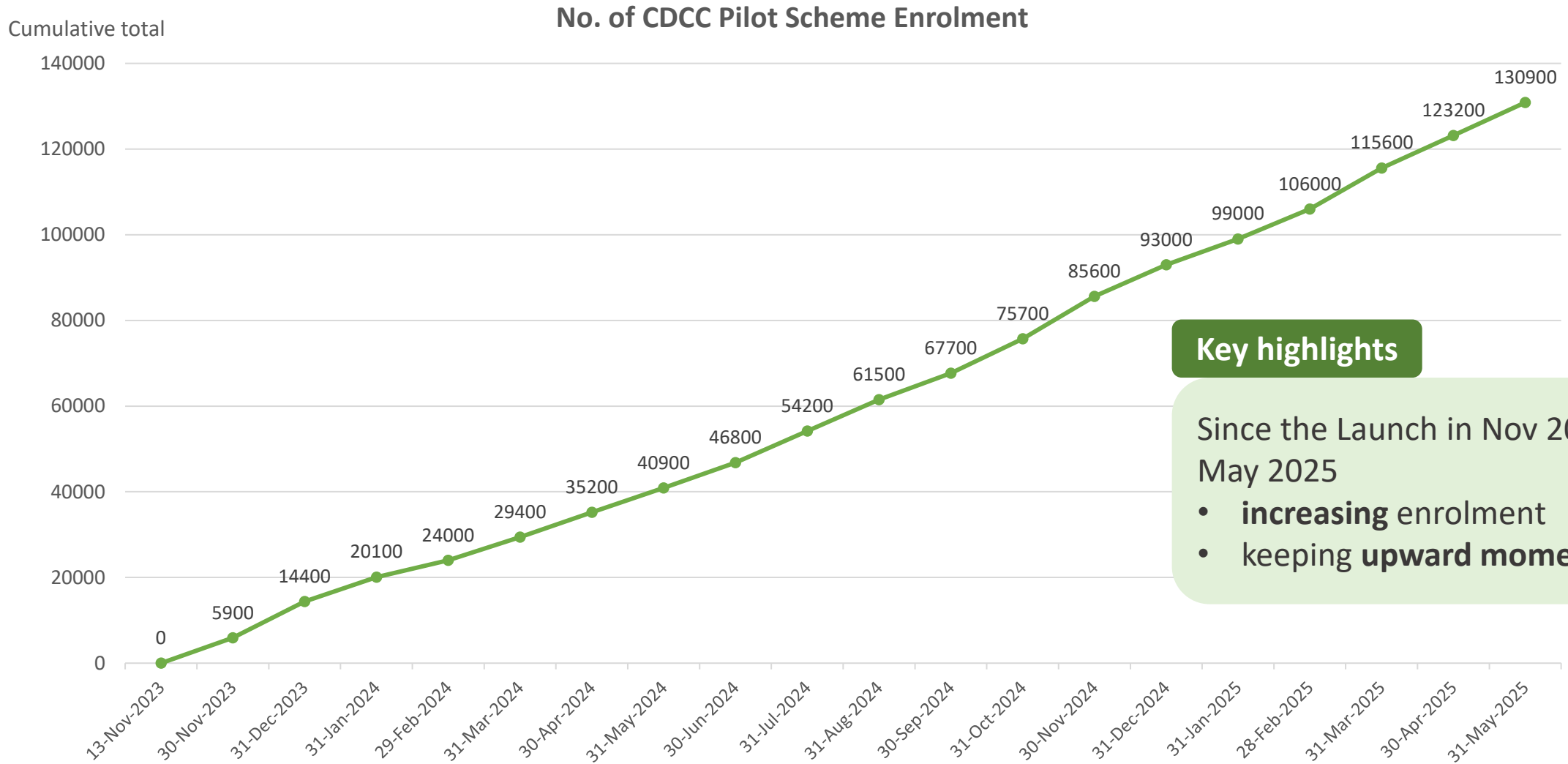
Expand CDCC Pilot Scheme to cover blood lipid testing *(launched on 28 Mar 2025)* & implement hepatitis B screening *(by Q4 2025)*

Key Elements of CDCC

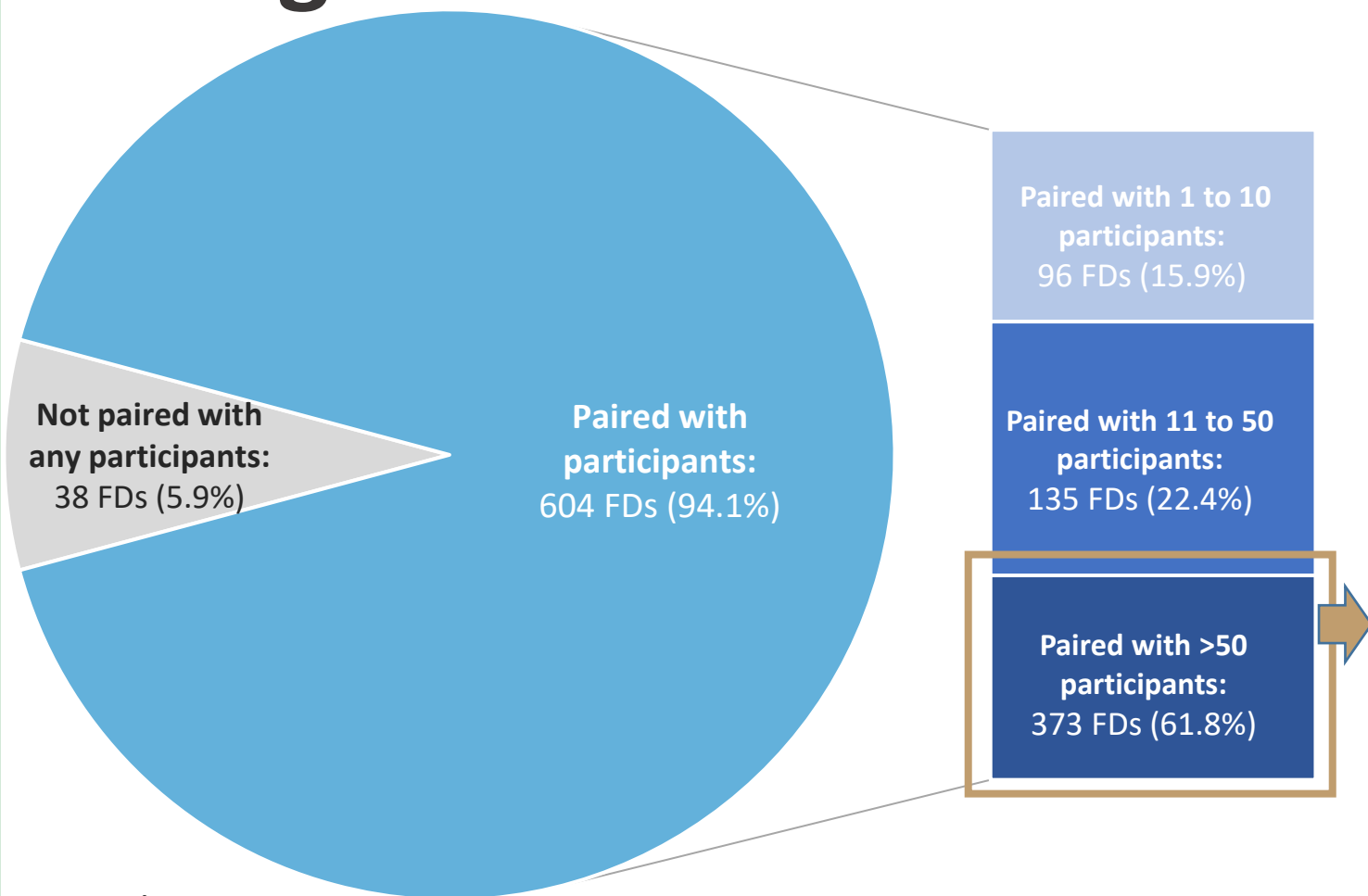
- Providing subsidies for the public to **conduct screening** for and **manage targeted chronic diseases** including DM and HT in the private healthcare sector
 - Expand **drug list** and **investigation choices** including imaging
 - Integrate government subsidised programs e.g. **VSS** and **CRC**
- **“Family Doctor for All”** and Coordinated by DHC/ DHC Express
 - Subsidised for services involving women’s health & elderly health (e.g. pap smear)
 - Paired PTs/OTs for first contact arrangement
 - Referral system with HA hospitals
- **Brand building for family doctors**



CDCC Participant Enrolment



Drive Pairing with FD for Long Term Relationship through DHCs



94% of FDs paired with participants, with **> 60% pairing with >50 participants**

For FD paired with >50 participants:

No. of participants paired with each FD (Nov 2023 – May 2025)	No. of FD
>2000	3
1000- 2000	15
500- 999	54
100- 499	223
51-99	78

Remarks:

1. Source: CDCC IT System
2. Provisional figures (as at 31 May 2025)
3. Excluded FDs withdrawn

Public Information on Subsidy Level and Co-Payment for pairing of FD

- Enhance information transparency
- ✓ co-payment fees details on CDCC Pilot Scheme website

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家庭醫生編號: [REDACTED] eHR UID: [REDACTED]	女性	油尖旺 • 九龍, 油尖旺區漢口道 [REDACTED] 詳細資料	HK\$150	
家庭醫生編號: [REDACTED] eHR UID: [REDACTED]	男性	離島 • 新界, 離島區愉景灣 [REDACTED] 詳細資料	HK\$50	

Note: FDs may adjust the medical consultation co-payment fee for the treatment phase on an annual basis around mid-year.

Develop Family Doctor-Led Subsidized Services

Chronic disease management with paired participants

Subsidised vs Non-subsidised

- Diabetes Mellitus / Pre-diabetes
- Hypertension
- Hyperlipidaemia
- Hepatitis B carriers management
- Cardiovascular diseases
- Benign Prostatic Hypertrophy
- Mild depression or cognitive impairment
- Osteoporosis
- Women's common disorders
- Hyperthyroidism / hypothyroidism

Disease Screening and Vaccination

Subsidised vs Non-subsidised

- Vaccination
 - Seasonal flu vaccines
 - Pneumococcal vaccines
 - Human papillomavirus vaccine
 - Herpes zoster vaccine
 - Hepatitis B vaccine
 - Child Immunisation Programme
 - Covid-19 vaccine
- Cervical Cancer screening
- Colorectal cancer screening program
- Breast Cancer screening for high risk group

DHC's role in Supporting Family Doctors



Future Development of Primary Care Register

- Policy Address 2024 announced new legislation for primary care development
- Primary Care Directory will migrate to register for building formal list for doctors providing primary care
- Primary Care Directory/Register will consist of disciplines which will support community network



Nurses



Pharmacists



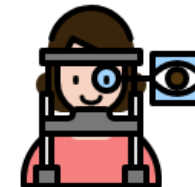
Occupational Therapists



Physiotherapists



Optometrists



Expansion of CDCC Pilot Scheme - SIV Arrangement for Family Doctors under CDCC

- Doctors who have **joined both VSS and CDCC Pilot Scheme** in the period specified by the Government
(Interested doctors should enrol CDCC before 15 Aug 2025)



- Pilot programme to **draw SIV(IIV) from Government contracts at specified quantity for eligible persons** under VSS at a price set by the Government
(Eligible doctors can indicate the option to draw SIV(IIV) in VSS enrolment via eHRSS by 31 Aug 2025)

Call for Action – Join CDCC Now

Benefits as a Family Doctor -

- ✓ Be part of the transformative movement for advancing primary healthcare
- ✓ Pairing with CDCC participants to bring positive health impacts and financial sustainability
- ✓ Extensive support ingrained in CDCC programme design, e.g. DHC/E network, IT systems and financial incentives, to be continuously developed by Government

**Simple steps to
Enrol as Family
Doctor!**

Simple steps to enrol as Family Doctor

Website for enrolment-

https://www.primaryhealthcare.gov.hk/cdcc/en/hp/join_cdcc_how_to_enrol.html

The screenshot displays the official website for enrolling as a Family Doctor in the CDCC Pilot Scheme. At the top, the Health Bureau logo and name are visible, along with the text 'The Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic of China'. A navigation bar contains links to 'Primary Healthcare in Hong Kong', 'Introduction of CDCC Pilot Scheme', 'Eligibility of Scheme Participant', 'Join CDCC' (highlighted in red), 'Resources', 'News', and 'FAQ'. Below this, a 'Quick Links' section provides direct access to 'Enrol as a Family Doctor', 'Co-payment Information', 'Investigation list', 'Drug list', and 'Contact Us'. The main content area features a large red banner with the title 'How to enrol in CDCC' and a 'Quick Guide to Enrol' button. On the left side of the main content, a vertical sidebar lists topics: 'Eligibility of Family Doctors', 'Scope of Service Provision', 'Subsidy Level & Co-Payment', 'Doctor-patient Partnership Incentive Mechanism', and 'How to enrol in CDCC' (highlighted in blue). The central content area is titled 'CDCC 3 Simple Steps to Enrol Online For Family Doctors' and includes an illustration of a hand holding a smartphone displaying the 'ONLINE eHRSS' interface. The steps are as follows:

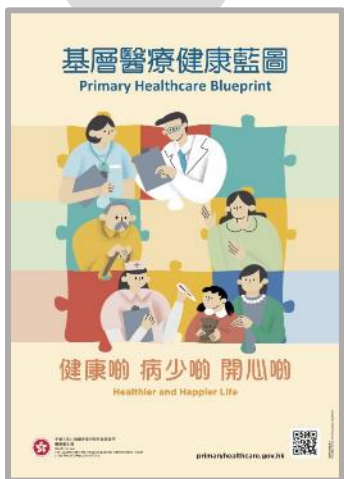
Step 1: Submit e-Enrolment Form via eHRSS

- Login to [eHRSS platform](#);
- Click "Administration";
- Select "CDCC Pilot Scheme - Doctor Enrolment"

Step 2: Provide the required information via eHRSS platform

- Agree to the Terms & Conditions of Agreement for Private Doctors, Undertakings and Declaration, and Personal Information Collection Statement;
- Input required information such as personal particulars, information of clinic and bank information;
- Indicate the Co-payment fee to be collected from patient per consultation in the Treatment Phase

Recommendation of Primary Healthcare Blueprint



- ◆ Enlistment in PCD as pre-requisite for joining existing and subsequent **Government-subsidised primary healthcare initiatives** such as Vaccination Subsidy Scheme
- ◆ Implementation
 - Applied to doctors with effect from **6 October 2023**
 - Applied to dentists with effect from **2 January 2025**
 - Extend to other professions gradually, including PTs and OTs

New Requirement: PCD doctors to join at least 1 PHC programme



EHVS
(Core programme)



Vaccination
• VSS, RVP, SIVSOP



CRCSP
• Faecal Occult Blood only
• Colonoscopy



CDCC
Pilot Scheme



GOPC PPP
(phasing out)

You are highly encouraged to participate in EHVS + other government subsidised programmes

Abbreviations:

- PCD: Primary Care Directory
- CDCC: Chronic Disease Co-care Pilot Scheme
- CRCSP: Colorectal Cancer Screening Programme
- DHC: District Health Centre
- EHVS: Elderly Health Care Voucher Scheme
- GOPC PPP*: General Outpatient Clinic Public-Private Partnership Programme (phasing out) – those only join EHVS and GOPC PPP need to join other programme upon cessation of GOPC PPP
- RVP: Residential Care Home Vaccination Programme
- VSS: Vaccination Subsidy Scheme
- Seasonal Influenza Vaccination (SIV) School Outreach

Join PHC programme(s)



Elderly Health Care Voucher (EHVC)

- Elderly person aged 65 or above
- Provide financial incentive for elderly to choose private healthcare services



Colorectal Cancer Screening Programme

- HK residents aged between 50 to 75
- Take a Faecal Occult Blood Test (FOBT)
- If there is blood, colonoscopy will be arranged to remove polyps



Vaccination Subsidy Schemes (VSS)

- including Seasonal Influenza



Vaccination School Outreach Programme and the Residential Care Home Vaccination Programme

- Seasonal Influenza Vaccination (SIV)
- Free or subsidized SIV to eligible persons



Chronic Disease Co-Care Pilot Scheme

- HK residents aged 45 or above
- No known medical history of diabetes mellitus (DM) or hypertension (HT), nor related symptoms



General Outpatient Clinic Public-Private Partnership Programme (GOPC PPP)

(phasing out)

Join Primary Care Directory



▲ [PCD website](#)

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Thank you

