Project on Enhancing Radiological Investigation Services through Collaboration with the Private Sector (Radi Collaboration)



Background

As a crucial tool of patient assessment, the demand for radiological imaging services in the Hospital Authority (HA) has been rising rapidly. Radi Collaboration (the Project) is a government-funded project aiming at enhancing radiological investigation services for patients through collaboration with the private sector.

Target Patients

The target patients of the Project are HA's cancer patients. Patients fulfilling specific clinical criteria can be referred to the private sector for radiological diagnostic examinations as part of their cancer care.

Service Details

The Project provides Computed Tomography (CT) and Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) services to patients. Target patients having clinical need to receive such investigation(s) can be invited to take part in the Project on a voluntary basis under full subsidy. HA will continue to provide service to those who choose to receive service from the public sector.

Patients accepting HA's invitation can choose their PSPs out of HA's list and HA will make referral according to their choice. Results of investigations will be returned to HA Hospitals through an electronic platform for clinicians to formulate subsequent treatment plan.

Participating Service Providers

The following PSPs are currently taking part in the Project:

Name of PSPs	Service	
	СТ	MRI
Central Medical Diagnostic Centre – Central (Quality Healthcare Medical Services Ltd)	✓	1
Hong Kong Adventist Hospital – Stubbs Road	✓	
St Paul's Hospital	✓	
Alpha Medical Diagnostic Centre – Jordan (Quality Healthcare Medical Services Ltd)	√	✓
Alpha Medical Diagnostic Centre – Tsim Sha Tsui (Quality Healthcare Medical Services Ltd)		1
iRad Medical Diagnostic Centre	✓	1
Hong Kong Adventist Hospital – Tsuen Wan	√	
Union Hospital	✓	

The above organisations have been assessed to have met prescribed requirements in order to take part in the Project. Patients are free to choose from the list. HA staff <u>will not</u> recommend any particular PSP to patients.

How to Join

HA doctors will invite patients to take part in the project during consultation and on-site enrollment will be arranged for patients accepting the offer. There is no need for patients to apply themselves.

Enquiry / Feedback

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This fact sheet is for general information only. Participating patients should refer to the terms and conditions of the Project for details.