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HKAF's appeal to the society for "Anti-Discrimination"

The Centre for Health Protection (CHP) of the Department of Health (DH) has recently released the latest figures on the HIV/AIDS situation in Hong Kong from April to June as of 2020. A total of 141 additional cases of HIV infection were reported from April to June (2nd quarter of 2020). This figure represents a slight increase of 12 cases compared to the previous quarter (1st quarter of 2020: 129 additional cases). In total, the cumulative number of HIV infections has reached 10,550 cases.

According to the CHP reports, of the 141 new cases, 124 were males while 17 were females. On the transmission front, 79 cases acquired the infection via homosexual or bisexual contact, 24 via heterosexual contact, 1 via drug injection and 37 cases have yet to be determined due to incomplete information upon notification. In other words, sexual contact remains the major route of transmission regardless of their sexuality.

Virtual workshop – "SIUFAY · SHALL WE TALK?"

The Foundation shows concern about the continuing rising trend of new cases regardless of our relentless efforts on calling citizens to take a more proactive prevention approach such as the provision of HIV self-test kit. More importantly, one of the most effective ways to prevent HIV infection and other sexually transmitted diseases (STDs) is via the effort on **conveying key message of "Anti-Discrimination" to the community.**

The Foundation is pleased to announce that Mr. Terrance Chui (aka SiuFay 小肥), a well-known pop singer, attended an exclusive pre-recorded virtual workshop "SIUFAY · SHALL WE TALK?" by the Foundation last week.

The virtual workshop consisted of interview session and vocal solo performance. SiuFay shared his own confession as well as viewpoints on dealing with discriminations and HIV prevention; he also presented a few of his own classics, conveying positive and supportive messages to the society.

The virtual workshop will be available on-demand on the Foundation's official Facebook page (@hongkongaidfoundationofficial) and YouTube Channel (Hong Kong AIDS Foundation) on **28 August 2020 at 9 p.m.**

The Foundation welcomes all parties to view the virtual workshop.



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About the Hong Kong AIDS Foundation

The Hong Kong AIDS Foundation was established in 1991 and is a non-governmental social service organisation. The Foundation's mission is to limit the spread of HIV infection in the community. Throughout the years, the Foundation has been actively engaged in the promotion of AIDS education, the provision of services, and the nurturing of a harmonious and caring environment for those infected with or affected by HIV/AIDS. For more details about our work, please visit <http://www.aids.org.hk>.

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