



**HONG KONG COLLEGE OF ANAESTHESIOLOGISTS**

**DIPLOMA OF FELLOWSHIP**

**FINAL FELLOWSHIP (INTENSIVE CARE)**

**LONG ANSWER PAPER**

**2 Questions**

**MONDAY, 25<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER, 2004**

**1:00 pm - 3:00 pm**

**NOTICE**

- (A) Write your answers to the two questions in separate books.
- (B) Read the questions carefully, and in view of the time available, balance your answers to encompass points of great importance without going into needless detail.
- (C) Record your number on the cover of each book and hand in all books.

**QUESTION ONE**

Discuss the issues involved in the ICU management of the victims of a large-scale nerve gas attack on the Mass Transit Railway.

**QUESTION TWO**

A 65 year old man had undergone palliative surgery for perforated malignant gastric ulcer 5 days previously. He now develops hypotension with BP 70/40. He is barely rousable and the SpO<sub>2</sub> is reading 85% on maximal O<sub>2</sub> 15L/min through a rebreathing face mask. You are now called to see him.

- (a) Describe your initial management.
- (b) Discuss the timing and nature of the investigations you would do.
- (c) Discuss your plan for definitive care.