

**The Hong Kong College of Anaesthesiologists
Final Fellowship Examination in Pain Medicine
Written Examination**

Paper One (Compulsory Questions)

27 July 2024 (Saturday)

09:00 – 10:30 hrs



Instructions:

- I. This Question Paper carries a total of six short answer questions.
- II. Please answer **ALL** questions and they carry equal marks.
- III. Please write your answer for each question in the appropriate “Pre-labelled” Answer Book
- IV. Record your candidate number and question number on each answer book.
- V. Use ink or ball-point pen.

Compulsory Questions (answer all questions)

1. You have been invited to set up a chronic pain service in a hospital and identify its team members. Can you describe the role of team members that you want to set up such a clinic.
2. A 65-year-old gentleman is recently diagnosed to have an inoperable carcinoma of the head of pancreas. He is complaining of moderate to severe epigastric pain.
 - a) Outline your pain management plan.
 - b) Describe an interventional procedure for his pain control with comments on its efficacy.
3. Outline how are you going to prescribe opioid for chronic non-cancer pain patient.
4. Compare the treatment goal and evidence based treatment strategy in acute herpetic neuralgia and post herpetic neuralgia.
5. Compare & contrast trigeminal neuralgia and Persistent Idiopathic Facial Pain (PIFP).
6. Young woman in her second trimester has severe pelvic pain. She is consulting you for her pain. Please describe your management?

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