

## 中華人民共和國香港特別行政區政府總部醫務衞生局

Health Bureau, Government Secretariat
The Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region
The People's Republic of China

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**BY EMAIL** 

Dear Sirs / Madams,

## Request for Market Information ("RMI") Supply, Delivery and Installation of Robotic-assisted Lower Limb Training System for the Chinese Medicine Hospital

We are going to issue a tender for the supply, delivery and installation of Robotic-assisted Lower Limb Training System (the Goods) for the Chinese Medicine Hospital. Some details of our requirements are specified in Part 2 of the attached Proforma.

- 2. You are hereby cordially invited to complete the Proforma and return it to us by 5:00p.m. (Hong Kong Time) on 30 Nov 2023 by way of either by facsimile to Fax No.: 2127 4795 or email to lcwfung@healthbureau.gov.hk in the first instance. Thereafter, please return the softcopy of the Proforma with the Price Schedule, Particulars of Goods Schedule, duly completed, together with all the particulars of your offers including product literature and catalogues for our consideration.
- 3. This document is for reference and for the purpose of collecting market information only. This is **not a pre-qualification process or part of a tendering process**. Any parties who have not responded to this RMI will not be barred from bidding for the subsequent tender(s). Any purchase will be subject to subsequent tender(s). Respondents should note that the Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region will not be responsible for any costs and expenses that may be incurred by the respondents in response to the RMI and is not committed that a tender for the supply of Robotic-assisted Lower Limb Training System will be issued. The final technical specifications and functional requirements are subject to subsequent tender(s).

4. Any enquiries concerning the Technical Specifications and delivery requirements shall be made in writing to the above email address.

Yours faithfully,

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(Mr. Lawrence Fung)
for Project Director(Chinese Medicine Hospital Project Office)
for and on behalf of
the Government of the HKSAR of the People's Republic of China

## **Purpose**

Chinese Medicine Hospital Project Office/Health Bureau intends to invite a tender for the supply and installation of Robotic-assisted Lower Limb Training System with the Standard Accessories ("the Goods") for the Chinese Medicine Hospital located at Pak Shing Kok in Tseung Kwan O. In this Request for Market Information, the Health Bureau would like to understand potential vendors':

- (1) level of interest in the upcoming tendering exercise to be arranged after the RMI;
- (2) capability to take up the provision of the Goods for the Chinese Medicine Hospital;
- (3) cost estimation including subsequent maintenance charges;
- (4) level of compliance to technical specifications for the Goods; and
- (5) scope and details of implementation plan, preventive / corrective maintenance services.

## **Background of the Chinese Medicine Hospital Project**

The Chief Executive announced in the 2014 Policy Address that the Government had decided to reserve a site in Tseung Kwan O for setting up a Chinese Medicine Hospital ("the Hospital"). The 2017 Policy Address stated that the Government decided to finance the construction of the Hospital and identify by way of tender a suitable non-profit-making organisation ("NPMO") to operate the Hospital. The Hospital will be owned by the Government and the selected NPMO will operate the Hospital. The Hospital would be positioned as a flagship Chinese Medicine ("CM") institution leading the development of CM services and Chinese medicines in Hong Kong. It will be a change driver, promoting service development, education and training, innovation and research, and facilitating collaboration with both local and international parties.

The Hospital with provision of 400 beds will provide a comprehensive range of CM services. Service types include pure CM services, services with CM playing the predominant role in collaboration with Western Medicine ("WM") and Integrated Chinese-Western Medicine ("ICWM") services. The scope of service to be provided in the Hospital covers inpatient, day-patient, outpatient and community outreach services.

To take forward the planning and development of the project on the Chinese Medicine Hospital (CMH), a designated office i.e. the Chinese Medicine Hospital Project Office (CMHPO), was established under the Health Bureau ("HHB", the former Food and Health Bureau) on 2 May 2018. The Government launched the first stage of tendering for operation of the Hospital and the second stage of tendering in September 2019 and September 2020, respectively. The Hong Kong Baptist University (HKBU) was selected as the Contractor for the CMH operation. The HKBU, as the Contractor, has incorporated a company limited by guarantee, namely HKBU Chinese Medicine Hospital Company Limited as the Operator to manage, operate and maintain the CMH. The CMH project has proceeded to the commissioning stage in 2021. It is targeted to commence hospital services by phases from 2025.

More information on the services provision and design of the CMH can be found in the following links:

https://www.healthbureau.gov.hk/en/press\_and\_publications/otherinfo/200900\_cmhp/index.html.

https://www.healthbureau.gov.hk/en/chinese\_medicine/index.html