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**Hong Kong Sanatorium & Hospital  
Voluntary Work Group “Village Volunteers”  
Second “Walk for Vision” Raises Over HK\$300,000 for  
Make-A-Wish® Hong Kong to Grant Wishes  
for Severely Ill Children**

(21 March 2010, Hong Kong) Hong Kong Sanatorium & Hospital’s Voluntary Work Group “Village Volunteers” organized today its “Walk for Vision” charitable event. For the second time in a row, the “Village Volunteers” raised funds for Make-A-Wish® Hong Kong this year, in order to help severely ill children, including Jacky, who is suffered from muscular dystrophy by making his wish trip of seeing and having a ride on the famous high-speed trains in Japan come true.

Over 200 HKSH staff and their families gathered at the Hospital entrance at 8:00am today for the Opening Ceremony of the “Walk for Vision”. The Hospital is honored to have Professor Rosie Young, Chairperson of Make-A-Wish® Hong Kong to officiate the Ceremony together with Dr. Walton Li, Medical Superintendent of HKSH and Dr. Joseph Chan, Deputy Medical Superintendent of HKSH. The 11-kilometre route of the “Walk for Vision” ran from the Hong Kong Sanatorium & Hospital, passed through Wong Nai Chung Gap Road, Violet Hill and finished at the Hospital.



At 11:00am, Professor Rosie Young, Miss Niki Chow, the Ambassador of Make-A-Wish® Hong Kong in 2010, Dr. Walton Li and Dr. Joseph Chan presented awards to champions at the Award Presentation Ceremony. Jacky, one of the beneficiaries of Make-A-Wish® Hong Kong in 2010, his parents and elder brother Sam (who is also suffered from muscular dystrophy) joined the Ceremony and shared their experience and joyful wish stories. Together with the dollar-for-dollar matching donation from the Hong Kong Sanatorium & Hospital, this event raised over HK\$300,000 for the beneficiary this year.

“HKSH Village Club” initiated the establishment of “Village Volunteers”, a voluntary work group in April 2009 with an aim to organize community service activities and encourage participation among doctors and staff members of the Hospital. This is also a demonstration of the Hospital’s continuing commitment to corporate social responsibility.

The “HKSH Village Volunteers” will move forward, organize and take part in various community service activities to help more people in need in the society.

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Hong Kong Sanatorium & Hospital (HKSH) is one of the leading private hospitals in Hong Kong. It is owned by the Li Shu Fan Medical Foundation (LSFMF), which is a not-for-profit organization. HKSH is committed to fulfilling LSFMF's vision of providing quality health care and advancing medical education and research, with an overriding concern for the public good. For more details, please visit [www.hksh.com/eng](http://www.hksh.com/eng).

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