

A Call for Government Action and Strengthened Legislative Efforts to Safeguard Public Health

This year's policy address is about to be announced. Although Hong Kong has made significant progress in enhancing ambient and roadside air quality over the past decade. Still, the city only achieved 75% of the Air Quality Objectives in 2022, and indoor air quality lacks strict legal regulations. We therefore urge the Government to take a proactive approach to addressing emerging threats to enhance public health further, in our previous submission, including:

1. Taking an Inter-Departmental Approach

Continuous effort is suggested to be made to address air quality issue holistically with the collaboration of all relevant bureaux and departments with local and regional experts during policy review and development.

2. Tightening the Air Quality Objectives (AQOs)

To level Hong Kong's air quality with the WHO's most stringent standard, we recommend that the Government proactively ensure the tightening of the target for each pollutant by at least one level under the WHO guidelines each time.

3. Legislating for Indoor Air Quality (IAQ)

We recommend a regular review of the IAQ objectives, specifically including one for PM2.5. The Air Pollution Control Ordinance should also be amended to include IAQ objectives in the long run, with more stringent standards prioritised for places where vulnerable groups stay.

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Unlocking the Future: The Transformative Potential of GreenTech

27th September, 2024 16:00-18:00 Zoom



Upcoming Webinar - Unlocking the Future: The Transformative Potential of GreenTech

We are pleased to announce that our CEO, Patrick, has been invited to participate as a panelist in an upcoming webinar organized by the Hong Kong Internet of Things Alliance. Joining him on the panel will be Sharon Fong from HKSTP and Jeff Au from Incu-Lab, with Lester Lam from HKIOTA serving as the moderator.

Join us for an engaging webinar to gain insights into green technologies and market trends:

Date: September 27, 2024

Time: 4:00 to 6:00 PM

Venue: by Zoom

Language: English

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Understanding Air Quality Clearly: Introducing the Indoor Monitoring Program

Last month, we proudly launched the Sham Shui Po Indoor Air Quality Research Program, inviting a diverse range of indoor space operators and management to participate, including childcare centers, retail stores, a church, and community centers. By installing lightweight and precise indoor air monitoring devices, participants can access real-time air quality data, enhancing their understanding of how daily activities impact the indoor air quality. This transparency promotes proactive measures to improve air quality and mitigate pollution.

We are currently seeking partners in the Sham Shui Po area and encourage any interested businesses or organizations to get in touch.

Learn more







This issue focuses on the success of the "Clean Air Schools for Hong Kong" that ended earlier this year in promoting clean air actions and engaging stakeholders. Check out our website to review our previous work.

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