



Collaboration between Integrated Cognitive Assessment Clinic (ICAC), UCH and Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs) on dementia care in Kowloon East

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Background



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Objectives

1. To achieve timely diagnosis of dementia for people suffering suspected cognitive impairment.

2. To enhance access to community resources of continuity of care for demented patients and their carers



Methodology



Establishment
of "KE
Dementia
Network" in
2013

Creation of
standard and
handy referral
form to NGOs

Keep close
connection
between ICAC
and NGOs



NGOs

Lists of NGOs collaborated with ICAC, UCH

1. Hong Kong Alzheimer's Disease Association (HKADA)
2. Mind Lock Memory and Cognitive Training Centre of Christian Family Service Center (CFSC)
3. HK Society for Rehabilitation “鄭德炎日間復康護理中心”
4. Yan Oi Tong “歐雪明腦伴同行中心”
5. Yang Memorial Methodist Social Service
“彩虹長者綜合服務中心”
6. United Christian Nethersole Community Health Service
“賽馬會和樂社區健康中心”
7. Haven of Hope Christian Service “靈實改善家居及社區照顧服務”
8. Haven of Hope Christian Service “靈實體弱長者家居照顧服務”



Outcomes

Around 7.3 % of new cases were referred by NGOs.

The waiting time was **around 6 weeks** from receiving referral to first visit at ICAC.

Around 8.9% of new cases were referred to appropriate NGOs for continuity of care in community





Thank you

