



**Full Name of Applicant :** .....

**IMPORTANT NOTICE**

This application must be returned to :-

Hong Kong College of Emergency Medicine  
Rm 809, 8/F., HKAMJC Bldg.,  
99 Wong Chuk Hang Rd.,  
Aberdeen, HK  
**(Attn: Dr CW Kam,  
Chairman of the Examination Committee, HKCEM  
PEEM)**

**on or before 12 Nov 2009**, together with the full amount of the fee by ‘Account Payee Only’ cheque or bank remittance of HK\$4,000 payable to ‘Hong Kong College of Emergency Medicine’.

Applicants withdrawing from the examination must do so in writing. The whole entrance fee may be returned, less 10% administration charges, or transferred to the next diet of the examination where written notice is received by the Hong Kong College of Emergency Medicine prior to the closing date for the receipt of applications. Half of the entrance fee may be returned or transferred to the next diet of the examination where written notice is received by the Hong Kong College of Emergency Medicine not less than 21 days before the commencement of the examination. After that date no refund or transfer of entrance fees will normally be made to candidates who withdraw from examinations or fail to attend for any reason whatsoever. No allowance will be made for postal or other delays. Applicants who submit an application form but are subsequently found to be ineligible to enter for the examination will have their fee returned less 10% administrative charges. Applicants who are entitled to a refund will have their monies returned on completion of the examination for which they have entered.

No change can be made after the dates for the examinations have been allocated.

**Notification of pregnancy**

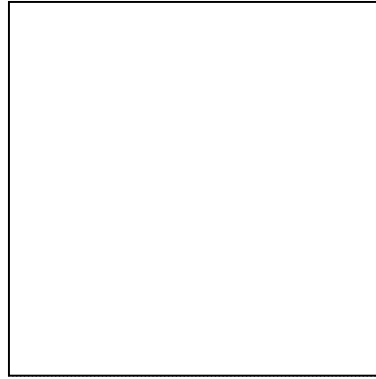
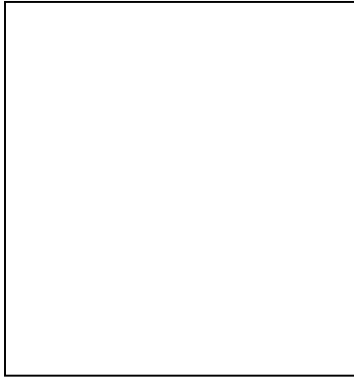
A candidate applying for the examination and who is pregnant at the time of application must inform the Chairman of Examination Committee of her condition and the Estimated Week of Confinement (EWC). Any candidate who becomes pregnant after applying and before sitting the examination must inform the Chairman of Examination Committee of their EWC as soon as pregnancy is confirmed **if she wishes to apply to postpone her attempt**.

**HSI/SARS or Avian Flu-related infection control**

1. Subject to the prevalent HSI/SARS or Avian Flu situation, candidates are required to declare their health status prior to the Examination.
2. Temperature measurement will also be arranged as required.
3. Candidates who are confirmed of having HSI will not be allowed to the Examination and deferred to the next diet.
4. Candidates who are febrile & / or suspected of having SARS disease will not be allowed to the Examination and deferred to the next diet.
5. Infection control measures including facial masks will be required as necessary.
6. The Chief Examiner or his deputy would exercise the authority to implement the essential precautionary actions.

**Full Name of Applicant :** .....

Applicants are required to enclose with their application Three Passport Photographs (with name at the back) and Two Envelopes (108 mm x 219 mm) bearing their name and address. The envelopes are for the postage of the examination notice.



**Staple  
2 photos  
in this row.**

**Please staple two envelopes bearing the name and address in the boxes below.**

**Full Name of Applicant :** .....

**Cheque Page**

Please staple the cheque or bank remittance in the space below. Please use the blank space of the cheque or bank remittance to apply the staple.

=====

**Mailing address to HKCEM**

Please cut off the follow portion and adhere to your application envelope to facilitate letter sorting by the College.

-----

Hong Kong College of Emergency Medicine  
Rm 809, 8/F., HKAMJC Bldg.,  
99 Wong Chuk Hang Rd.,  
Aberdeen, HK  
(Attn: Dr CW Kam,  
Chairman of the Examination Committee, HKCEM  
**PEEM – on or before 12 Nov 2009**)

-----

**Full Name of Applicant :** .....

Check List for completion and submission of application :-

*If the application documents received by the HKCEM are incomplete, they may be returned to the applicant and a 10 % of the application fee may be charged for the administration. Hence, please carefully complete the application.*

Items	Yes (check by tick)
1. I have read and understood the Important Notice above.	[ ]
2. I have completed all the required personal particulars.	[ ]
3. I have enclosed all the required certified true copies (by A&E consultant or hospital administration) of my relevant qualifications.	[ ]
4. I have enclosed the required cheque or bank remittance.	[ ]
5. I have enclosed three photographs with name written on the back.	[ ]
6. I have enclosed two return envelopes with my name and address.	[ ]
7. I have kept a set of the certified true copies (by A&E consultant or hospital administration) of the certification of my qualifications for future use when required.	[ ]
8. All the 5 pages of this Application Form and the relevant documents are submitted.	[ ]
9. I have sent an email to hkcem@hkam.org.hk to request an interim electronic acknowledgment of my application.	[ ]
10. I deliver the application in advance of the closing date.	[ ]

Signature of applicant ..... Date .....

*(Receipt will be issued)*

**For use by Examination Committee of HKCEM :-**

(1) Certification of the basic medical qualification Yes [ ] No [ ]

(2) Enclosure of payment cheque / bank remittance Yes [ ] No [ ]

(3) All required documents submitted Yes [ ] No [ ]

(4) Remarks

.....  
 .....  
 .....

(5) Accepted for Examination Yes [ ] No [ ]

signed by ..... ( ..... ) on .....

checked by ..... ( ..... ) on .....

**Notice of  
Primary Examination in Emergency Medicine (PEEM)  
of Hong Kong College of Emergency Medicine**

**Date : 8-9 Dec 2009**

**Venue :** The Chinese University of Hong Kong

**Eligibility of application :** Holder of basic medical degree(s) or qualification(s)

**Examination Fee :** HK\$4,000

**Closing date for application :** 12 Nov 2009

**Certification :** Successful candidates in the examination will receive a notification letter certifying the success in the Primary Examination in Emergency Medicine of Hong Kong College of Emergency Medicine.

**Aim of Examination**

To test candidates on applied clinical science for emergency medicine

**Subject Areas**

Basic Medical Sciences (Anatomy, Physiology, Pharmacology), Epidemiology & Social Factors and Pathology

**Format**

1. An MCQ Section of up to 90 minutes duration; &
2. An OSCE of up to 90 minutes.

**Application** : Please send the completed Application Form with an 'account payee only' cheque / bank remittance payable to 'Hong Kong College of Emergency Medicine' for the examination fee to The Hong Kong College of Emergency Medicine, Rm 809, 8/F., HKAMJC Bldg., 99 Wong Chuk Hang Rd., Aberdeen, HK (Attn: Dr CW Kam, Chairman of the Examination Committee, HKCEM)

**Enquiry** : Telephone : (852)2871-8877; Fax : (852)2554-2913  
Email : [hkcem@hkam.org.hk](mailto:hkcem@hkam.org.hk)

## **Reading list for PEEM of HKCEM**

### **Recommended Texts :**

#### Core study :-

##### A) Emergency Medicine

1. Core manual for training in Emergency Medicine – HKSEMS
2. Emergency Medicine : A comprehensive study guide - Tintinalli, Drome & Ruiz, American College of Emergency Physician, McGraw Hill

##### B) Clinical Science :-

###### 1. **Anatomy**

- a) Regional and Applied - RJ Last (Churchill Livingstone, Edinburgh)

###### 2. **Physiology**

- a) Review of Medical Physiology - WF Ganong (Appleton and Lange)
- b) Respiratory Physiology - The Essentials - JB West (Williams and Wilkins)
- c) Textbook of Medical Physiology - AC Guyton (Saunders) : The section on circulation

###### 3. **Pharmacology**

- a) Basic and Clinical Pharmacology - BG Katzung, Appleton and Lange.

###### 4. **Pathology & Epidemiology**

- a) Robbins "Pathologic Basis of Disease" - Cotran, Kumar and Robbins (WB Saunders Company)
- b) The Annual Reports on Disease Statistics of Department of Health and Hospital Authority of Hong Kong

#### Optional

1. Emergency Diagnostic Test Manual by HKSEMS
2. Emergency Procedure Manual by HKSEMS
3. Emergency Drug Manual by HKSEMS
4. Radiology
  - (a) ABC in Emergency Radiology - Nicholson and Driscoll BMJ Publishing
  - (b) Diagnostic Imaging - Peter Armstrong Martin L. Wastie, Blackwell Science

## **PEEM of HKCEM**

### **Aim of Examination**

To test candidates on applied clinical science for emergency medicine

### **Curriculum**

<b>Subject Areas</b>	<b>Divisions</b>	<b>Subtotal</b>
Basic Medical Sciences		60%
• Anatomy	20%	
• Physiology	20%	
• Pharmacology	20%	
Epidemiology & Social Factors		10%
Pathology		30%
Total		100%

### **Format**

- A) An MCQ Section of up to 90 minutes duration; &
- B) An OSCE (Objective Structured Practical Examination) of up to 90 minutes.

**To : EM Training Supervisors & Trainers of AED**

**c.c. : President & Members of HKCEM Council and  
Members of Examination Committee of HKCEM**

**From : Dr CW Kam, Chairman, Exam Committee, HKCEM**

**File : \hkcem\peem\peem\_2009\_Oct 6\_Form.doc**

**Date : 6 Oct 2009**

**Message :**

**Enclosed are :-**

1. Notice of the coming PEEM;
2. Reading Booklist for PEEM;
3. Format of PEEM; and
4. PEEM application form.

Please disseminate the notice to your relevant doctors. Thanks!

**Notes :-**

**1) IT Team Members please place the file onto the HKCEM Website.**

**2) Cherry, please forward the file to HKCEM Trainees. Thanks !**