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Health Message from Occupational Safety & Health Council – Information about “Coronavirus Disease 2019”

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In response to the latest development of the COVID-19 epidemic in Hong Kong, the government is tightening a number of epidemic prevention controls. The Labour Department now once again urges employers and employees to remain vigilant and take appropriate preventive measures in accordance with the health guidelines issued by the Centre for Health Protection on the industry and workplaces. These serve to ensure that the workplace is clean and maintain good personal hygiene to reduce the risk of infection and spread of COVID-19.

For the latest information on COVID-19, please refer to the following webpage (the webpage will be updated from time to time, please pay attention):

<https://www.coronavirus.gov.hk/eng/index.html>

Please refer to the following webpage for the latest health guidelines provided by the Center for Health Protection for Health Advice on Prevention of Coronavirus disease (COVID-19) in Workplace:

https://www.chp.gov.hk/files/pdf/nid_guideline_workplace_eng.pdf

Regarding health guidelines for other workplaces (including medical institutions, property management, public transportation, hotel industry, crew members, shopping malls, beauty salons, hair salons, etc.), please refer to the following webpage (the webpage will be updated from time to time, please pay attention):

<https://www.chp.gov.hk/en/features/102742.html>

Anti-epidemic messages can be sent to front-line colleagues via email or What's App to protect the work safety and health of employees. In addition, the Occupational Safety and Health Council has also set up a special page of "Covid-19 OSH Information Pack" http://www.oshc.org.hk/eng/main/hot/infection_ctrl/ to provide you with more anti-epidemic information. The Council will update it in due course. Welcome to browse it regularly.

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