

The 41st *Asian* Christian Medical Workers & Students Exchange Program

Events:

Aug. 6-8, 2012 (Mon- Wed) Student Field Work

Aug. 8-9, 2012 (Wed-Thu) Saline Solution Training

Aug. 9-12, 2012 (Thu- Sun) Main Conference

Assigned responsible CMA for the theme speaker:

Theme: *Promoting networking and collaboration* in Medical Missionary

- International by JCMA · KCMA · TCMA
- Domestic by JCMA · KCMA · TCMA

- Keynote Lecture Speakers: Each country will assign a speaker to address the topic (30 min each CMA).
- Field Work Report (Field work Participants/Each Country Students)
- Country/Area Presentation: Sharing the works on medical students and Junior Medical Workers (Each Country /Area Representatives)
- Presentation: We encourage each country will have at least one student presentation or report.
- Group discussion: Proposing Networking and collaboration programs in Asia Discussion. (Each country will assign a Moderator)
- Moderator: Responsible to moderate the Group Discussion and presentations, keeping the session on time.
- ASIAN CULTURAL EVENING: Programmed by each country.
- Student program includes Field Work, Saline Solution Training and Main Conference.
- Field Work and Saline Solution Training, The accommodation will be arranged by secretariat or activity leader.

Please register before July 10, 2012

Please send us names of the speakers, and presentations, along with their curriculum vitae before July 10, 2012. In addition, please e-mail the outline or abstract of your speakers' presentation before July 20, 2012, so we can print them out in the handbook.

Field Work Information

Students' field work will be arranged into 2 groups:

A. Pu-Li Christian Hospital

Activities include:

1. Mountain Village Health education.
2. Mobile clinic service.
3. Home visits.
4. Tour of Pu-Li Christian hospital.
5. Mini-tour of famous local Pu-Li Brewery, and Sun Moon Lake National Scenic Area.

B. Ali Mountain Church

This will be a trip, which will be aiming at the "Holistic Health care of the aboriginal group" via in depth interaction and services. We will have the following activities:

1. Camping 1 night to experience the local wisdom of aboriginal group in the nature.
2. Interview Christian family about their faith history, family history of health and how they respond to the crisis of the typhoon Morakot 3 years ago. We will team up Chinese speaking students with the non-Chinese speaking students.
3. Services for elders in the church: Head washing, massage, Foot washing, Nail manicure, Warm hugging, etc.
4. Making lunch together with elders in the church
5. Inviting Professor Ming-Huei Wang, a native aboriginal professor from Mount Ali, major in culture geography and pastors in the churches to introduce the history, current crisis and vision for the future for the aboriginal group.
6. Home visit the elders care via the local home care staff in the Nehemiah project of TCMA.
7. Other culture activities like camp fire, folk song, dance, food, sightseeing on the beautiful sunrise, sunset, forest, etc.

International Saline Training

TCMA will invite experienced Saline Training faculties from Netherlands, China and Taiwan to host it on Aug. 9, 2012 right before the main conference.

This structured and interactive program, with detail syllabus and case studies both in English and Chinese, takes the fear and ignorance out of our God-given task of developing relationships with our patients. It teaches how to offer non--offensive comments and actions that draw the patient to Christ.

INTERNATIONAL SALINE is a proven training process that enables healthcare professionals to bring a compassionate, non-confrontational Christian witness to their workplace. (<http://www.internationalsaline.org/>). This program is highly recommended by many international medical missionary bodies like IHS, HCFI and ICMDA.

Travel Information

1. Please manage to arrive at Tao Yuan International Airport, Taiwan around 12:00-13:00 on Aug. 6th (MON) or Aug. 9th (THU), 2012. A shuttle bus will be available to drive you to the venue directly.
2. If you cannot make it to arrive at above-mentioned time period, please contact TCMA office for further assistance to travel to the venue, the follow information will be helpful to you.

Practical matters when you arrive :

After arriving at Tao Yuan International Airport you need to go through immigration, collect your baggage and clear customs you will pass through a set of double doors, Pay attention to two things :

- 1、First you can exchange money.
- 2、When that is finished, and board the bus at the end of the building, You board the bus (TY bus 桃園客運) to go to the Taiwan High Speed Rail (THSR) Taoyuan Station. The cost is NT\$ 50 and a bus leaves every 20-30m. (Travel time: 30-40mins)
- 3、Take the THSR from Taoyuan Station to Taichung Station, The cost is NT\$ 335 and a THSR leave every 20-30m. (Travel time: 40mins)
- 4、Reserve a van car from THSR Taichung Station to Xitou Youth Activity Center, The cost is NT\$ 3000. (Travel time: 100mins)

Also, you can take a bus from THRS Taichung Station to Xitou. The bus stop is located at THRS Taichung Station exit 5, Platform 2 (8 : 00-15 : 00) , The cost is NT\$ 200 and a bus leave every 60mins. (Travel time: 100mins)

After you take of the bus, the walking distance from the bus stop to Xitou Youth Activity Center is about 20mins.

- Another choice is that you may reserve a van car to pick you up in the Tao Yuan International Airport and it will be available to drive you to the venue directly. The cost is NT\$ 4500. (Per car for 4-5 persons) (Travel time: 3 hour and 40mins)

