

Victorian Chinese Jade Ribbon Action Statement

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Goal:

Consistent with **Victorian Hepatitis B Strategy 2016 -2020**, the Chinese Health Promotion Coalition aims to lead an effective and efficient response to the current most-urgent public health concern of viral hepatitis B and related liver cancer within the Chinese community in Victoria.

Objectives:

1. To empower the general Chinese community across Victoria so that they:

- a) Are aware of their hepatitis B status and understand the health pathways to follow in relation to hepatitis B vaccination or chronic hepatitis B management.
- b) Have increased levels of awareness and improved-understanding of hepatitis B and its related liver cancer.
- c) Are able to create a safe and supportive environment for people living with chronic hepatitis B, free from stigma and discrimination.
- d) Are empowered to exert positive influence on the state and local levels of government, main-stream media and other agencies in order to cultivate a sustainable and stronger response to the challenges of viral hepatitis in the Chinese community.

2. To mobilise the people within the Chinese community who are living with hepatitis B in Victoria so that they :

- a) Are able to access accurate health information, referral and support regarding their condition.
- b) Are able to access regular chronic hepatitis B related check-ups and treatment if applicable.
- c) Have appropriate support to develop and maintain an individualised chronic-diseases-management-plan.

3. To enhance the capability of GPs of Chinese heritage across Victoria to respond to hepatitis B so that they:

- a) Are able to provide support and disease-management to Chinese clients in primary health care level, including through increased number of S100 hepatitis B community prescribers who are of Chinese-heritage.

We endeavour to unite efforts, resources and tools of multifaceted partner organisations to achieve the above objectives in order to reduce new infections of hepatitis B and to maximise the wellbeing of Chinese people living with chronic hepatitis B and liver cancer across Victoria.

维州华人翡翠丝带行动宣言

与《2016-2020 维州乙型病毒性肝炎防治方针》保持一致，华人健康促进联盟 (Chinese Health Promotion Coalition, CHPC) 旨在号召并领导华人社群联合起来，更高效、更有效地应对目前困扰维州华人社群的首要的亟待解决的公众健康忧患 — 慢性乙肝和由慢性乙肝所导致的肝癌。

通过号召并领导华人社群行动起来，我们旨在达成的具体目标包括：

1. 使得维州华人社群能自主有效地应对慢性乙肝：
 - a) 所有人都通过血液筛查知晓自己的乙肝免疫状态，并知道接下来需要采取的预防或治疗对策：或需要接种乙肝疫苗；或需要做好相关的常规体检和慢性乙肝疾病管理。
 - b) 所有人都提高了对慢性乙肝和其导致的肝癌的认识与理解。
 - c) 我们有能力在华人社群中建立起一个充满支持和关爱的安全的社会环境，使得慢性乙肝病毒携带人群能够不再遭遇与乙肝相关的歧视和不公平待遇。
 - d) 为了能让华人更强有力地持续性地应对肝炎所带来的危害健康的挑战，华人社群能够自发地联合行动起来对各层政府（从州政府到地区市政府）、主流媒体和其它相关机构展开积极的影响。

2. 使得维州华人慢性乙肝患者人群被积极调动起来有效应对慢性乙肝：
 - a) 所有慢性乙肝患者（即：长期携带乙肝病毒的人士）都能获取及时准确的与疾病相关的健康资讯、都能因人制宜地获取便利的转诊和支持服务。
 - b) 所有慢性乙肝患者都自主地完成定期的疾病随访和各项体检，有需要者亦能获取相关的药物治疗。
 - c) 所有慢性乙肝患者都能获得适宜的帮助以制定和维持因人制宜的慢性乙肝疾病管理方案。

3. 使得维州境内具华人背景的全科医生能有针对性地提升专业水平以期更有效地应对慢性乙肝：
 - a) 维州境内具备 S100 乙肝治疗药物处方权的华人全科医生数量得到增加，为华人慢性乙肝患者提供便利的健康服务：在社区即可完成对慢性乙肝的随访体检和病程管理，有需要者在社区即可获得相关的药物治疗。

我们尽最大努力地将支持和参与联盟工作的来自全方位且多元化的合作机构团结起来、整合资源、齐心协力地共同展开行动，以期达成以上目标，届时在维州境内的华人社群中再没有新发的乙肝感染病例，并且所有华人慢性乙肝患者或其相关肝癌患者都能最大程度地健康快乐地生活。