



Hong Kong Academy of Medicine Young Fellows Chapter Principles and Guidelines

1. Young Fellows Chapter (YFC) members should refer to its Terms of Reference as the basis for this establishment and development.
2. The Academy's statutory functions and objects should always be observed. The YFC is therefore expected to remain politically neutral in social or other matters.
3. Member should behave properly in the participation of YFC business. Any acts that may damage the reputation of Academy should be avoided.
4. Members should always uphold and respect any consensus decisions made by the governing council.
5. Members should not express opinions to the public on behalf of the Academy without prior authorization.
6. Members should make declaration of interests as early as possible whenever potential, perceived or actual conflicts of interest are encountered.
7. In cases of disputes or other issues requiring escalation, advice from the Academy Council should be sought in a timely manner.
8. Advice and consent from the Academy Council should be sought as required and whenever there are issues potentially leading to deviations from the above principles.