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Islands District Council
Community Affairs, Culture and Recreation Committee
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Question on general out-patient clinic service in Islands District

Ms Amy YUNG notified this Council that she would raise the following enquiry at the Community Affairs, Culture and Recreation Committee meeting to be held on 6 July 2020:

“ At present, public general out-patient clinics in Islands District do not open on Sundays and public holidays, and on Saturdays, in most cases, consultation service is available only in the morning. During their closing hours, residents of Discovery Bay, Nim Shue Wan and Cheung Sha Lan either visit private clinics in Discovery Bay which charge high fees or travel a long way to Tung Chung, Mui Wo or Peng Chau to consult public general out-patient clinics.

As such, I would like the Hospital Authority (HA) to arrange representatives to attend the meeting and respond to the following:

1. Would HA consider setting up public general out-patient clinics in Discovery Bay?
2. Would HA consider extending the opening hours of public general out-patient clinics in Islands District progressively on Saturdays and opening on Sundays? ”

Islands District Council Secretariat

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