# From The College Of Medicine For Chinese To The Li Ka Shing Faculty Of Medicine: A Journey of Excellence in Medical Education

The Li Ka Shing Faculty of Medicine (LKS Faculty of Medicine) at the University of Hong Kong (HKU) is one of the leading medical schools in the world. Its reputation for excellence in medical education, research, and patient care is the result of a long and distinguished history that can be traced back to the founding of the College of Medicine for Chinese in 1887.

#### The College of Medicine for Chinese (1887-1911)

The College of Medicine for Chinese was established in response to the pressing need for Western-trained doctors to serve the Chinese community in Hong Kong. At the time, there were only a handful of Western-trained Chinese doctors in the colony, and the vast majority of the population relied on traditional Chinese medicine for their healthcare needs.



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The college was founded by a group of prominent Chinese merchants and philanthropists, including Sir Ho Kai and Sir Robert Ho Tung. They were supported by the British colonial government, which provided funding and land for the college.

The college's first students were a group of 12 Chinese men who had been selected through a rigorous examination process. The curriculum was based on the British medical curriculum, and the students were taught by a team of Western-trained doctors.

The college quickly gained a reputation for excellence, and its graduates soon became the leading doctors in the Chinese community in Hong Kong. Many of them went on to play important roles in the development of modern healthcare in China.

#### **The Hong Kong University Medical School (1911-1960)**

In 1911, the College of Medicine for Chinese became part of the newly founded University of Hong Kong. The medical school continued to grow and develop, and by the 1930s it was one of the leading medical schools in Asia.

During the Second World War, the medical school was forced to close, but it reopened in 1945. In the postwar years, the school continued to expand and develop, and by the 1950s it had become one of the leading medical schools in the world.

#### The Li Ka Shing Faculty of Medicine (1960-Present)

In 1960, the medical school was renamed the Li Ka Shing Faculty of Medicine in honor of the prominent businessman and philanthropist Li Kashing. Li Kashing has been a major benefactor of the faculty, and his support has helped to make it one of the leading medical schools in the world.

Under the leadership of its successive deans, the LKS Faculty of Medicine has continued to grow and develop. Today, it is a world-renowned institution that is committed to excellence in medical education, research, and patient care.

#### **Medical Education at the LKS Faculty of Medicine**

The LKS Faculty of Medicine offers a wide range of undergraduate and postgraduate medical programs. The undergraduate program is a six-year program that leads to the degree of Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery (MBBS). The postgraduate programs include a variety of master's and doctoral programs, as well as a range of clinical fellowships.

The faculty's medical education programs are highly respected for their quality and rigor. The curriculum is based on the latest medical research, and the faculty is committed to providing students with the knowledge and skills they need to become successful doctors.

The faculty also has a strong commitment to research. Its researchers are engaged in a wide range of cutting-edge research projects, and the faculty has a number of research centers and institutes that are dedicated to specific areas of research.

The faculty's research has led to a number of important advances in medical knowledge, and it has helped to improve the health of people around the world.

#### Patient Care at the LKS Faculty of Medicine

The LKS Faculty of Medicine is also a major provider of patient care. The faculty's teaching hospitals, Queen Mary Hospital and the Prince of Wales Hospital, are two of the largest and most respected hospitals in Hong Kong.

The faculty's doctors provide a wide range of medical and surgical services to patients from all over Hong Kong. The faculty is also committed to providing affordable healthcare to the community, and it offers a range of programs and services to help patients who are unable to afford private healthcare.

#### The Future of the LKS Faculty of Medicine

The LKS Faculty of Medicine is well-positioned to continue its tradition of excellence in medical education, research, and patient care. The faculty has a strong foundation of support from the University of Hong Kong, the government of Hong Kong, and the Li Ka Shing Foundation.

The faculty is also committed to innovation and change. It is constantly reviewing its programs and services to ensure that they meet the needs of the community. The faculty is also investing in new technologies and research to improve the health of people around the world.

The LKS Faculty of Medicine is a vital part of the healthcare system in Hong Kong. The faculty is committed to providing the highest quality of medical education, research, and patient care. The faculty is also

committed to making a difference in the world, and it is working to improve the health of people around the globe.

The LKS Faculty of Medicine at the University of Hong Kong is a world-renowned institution that is committed to excellence in medical education, research, and patient care. The faculty has a long and distinguished history, and it has played a major role in the development of modern healthcare in Hong Kong and China. The faculty is well-positioned to continue its tradition of excellence in the years to come, and it is committed to making a difference in the world.



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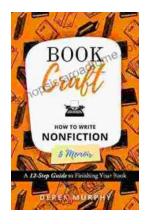
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