Special Feature: The 28th CMAAO General Assembly & 49th Council Meeting
Country Report

TAIWAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION

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Beijing Liaison Office Open
Date: 28th January, 2012
Place: Beijing Formosa Women’s Hospital
Purpose:
● To enhance academic exchange.
● To effectively improve medical technology and service in China.
● To fasten positive development through cooperation between Taiwan and China and in turn benefit the patients.

TMA Host the World Medical Association of 2016 General Assembly
Date: 19th ~ 22rd Oct., 2016
Place: Taipei City, Taiwan

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Research Projects Commissioned by the Government in 2013

- Food and Drug Administration: Prescription behavior and drug use attitude of sedative drugs, a research on improved system of controlled drug management
- Council of Labor Affairs: Physicians’ Work Stress Inventory Development and Survey

Holistic Care

Article 44 of the II National Health Insurance Act
The major reformation of NHI Payment System:
- The family physician system
- Based on capitation payments
Purpose:
- To be achieved by the Expanded Project of Integrated Family Physician Care
- Provision of patient-centered care

Medical Error Mediation and Compensation Act

- The have been prepared by the Executive Yuan on 13 December, 2012 and All articles have gone through the first round review by early 2013.
- Reference on “No-Blame Patient Injury Compensation System” (New Zealand and Scandinavian countries) and fit in the local context. “Medical Error Mediation and Compensation Act” (draft)

Preparation for Long-term Care in an Ageing Society

TMA organized the Long-term Care (LTC) CME Courses:

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Plan:
TMA plan to organize the LTC CME Courses 2013 in order to train more medical professionals in long-term care

Professionalism in the Community towards a Safe and Quality Healthcare Environment

“Safety & Quality in Health Care Series” Workshops
- 559 conferences were held by July 2013.
- More than 100,000 participants over 5 years.
- Including the web-based CME and correspondence CME through Taiwan Medical Journal, the participants are more than 200,000.