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Dear sir,

I write to express my opinion about medical reform of HK.

1)of all the 6 proposal ,item 1 ,5,6 are quite unfair, by imposing extra responsibility to the tax payer (middle classes) , who have already pay significant tax for HK.Only our govermnt ,and all the insurrance companies will benefit most. I strongly object.

2) no single way to solve our medcial problem , need to review from time to time . Therefore adopting 1 policy e.g. 6 is not advisable

3) Every body should be responsible for their health and health care / disease prevention is utmost important. Adopting policy 6 may not help this . Government should play a leading role in disease prevention & education.

4) As health care is the responsibility of every HK citizen, a fair share of responsibility is reflected by increasing the % of medical expense from tax (different sources of tax from different parties of HK is a fairer way than puting the sole responsibility to the 1to 2 million tax payers)

5)Another way to reflect self responsibility is government sponser medical saving (similar to item 3).3% of salary from citizen + 3% from government with upper limit will encourage people to save \$ for their health (with investment , or can be used to buy voluntary medical insurrance , can be used only for medical diseases private or public, after death the amount contributed by the citizen back to the family)

6) Government should be more proactive to support the development of private medical system , now with limited private hospital ,people may not be able to seek good medical care form private even if they afford .

7)I support item 2 & 4 i.e. increase public medical charges and voluntary medcial insurrance.

8)Government should inject more \$ into our medcial safty net so that those who really cannot afford can receive those more expensive but new , good & effective medical treatment. But for those who can afford , we should charge them more!

In conclusion I strongly object to proposal 1,5&6 and urge our government to take geniune responsibility of our medcial system.

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