A new era for SNEC nursing leadership

This leadership transition will fortify SNEC's efforts in transforming our operating models and strengthen our position as one of the top eye centres in the world.

Picking up the baton as Director of Nursing is **Ms Loh Huey Peng**. Her new appointment took effect on 14 December 2019.

Ms Loh spearheaded the creation of a culture of continuous improvement (Kaizen) in SNEC, transformed post-operation flow to improve patient experience, developed a game-based training prototype to enhance patient safety, and initiated a platform for staff to raise safety issues. She was also the co-lead in SNEC's Joint Commission International (JCI) accreditation and re-accreditation in 2013 and 2016 respectively.

Ms Foo Lee Lian was seconded from National Heart Centre Singapore to SNEC with effect from 10 June 2019. Taking on the role of Assistant Director of Nursing (Ambulatory Services), Ms Foo will support Ms Loh in heading and overseeing the OT and Day Ward.

fter 11 years of exceptional leadership, **Ms Low Siew Ngim** took a curtain call as Director of Nursing on 14 December 2019, as she embarked on a new role that focuses on regulatory compliance, patient care delivery, service development for SNEC at SGH Campus, IT improvement projects for nursing, as well as mentoring and training of Operating Theatre (OT) nurses.

Besides nurturing a committed and competent nursing team in SNEC, Ms Low's biggest career highlights include leading cross-functional collaboration in infrastructure development of Tower Block OTs and refurbishment of Podium Block OT; overseeing the successful establishment of SNEC's off-site clinics in Balestier and Alexandra Hospital, as well as the Day Ward and OT at Sengkang General Hospital; and representing SNEC in global activities, such as consultancy and humanitarian events.

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Ms Aw Ai Tee assumed the appointment of Deputy Director of Nursing (Clinics and Research) at SNEC. Her key responsibilities include manpower planning for nurses, and initiating relevant training for expanded roles for both nursing and non-nursing

Apart from managing nursing support services for SNEC at SGH campus and off-site clinics, Ms Aw is also involved in collaborations with SERI on various research projects and in nurturing potential nurse researchers.

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