

## Select Committee Question 6

- Q. Any report(s) or relevant record(s) available on confirmed / suspected cases of SARS as a result of visiting hospitals during SARS outbreak.**

The following table sets out the few patients who were later confirmed to have SARS after visiting a hospital. However, it should be pointed out that it does not follow that they contracted SARS while visiting a hospital - there was no confirmation of such link.

<u>Hospitals</u>	<u>Remarks</u>
PYNEH	A patient with history of visiting hospital in early March 2003 (when SARS was still unknown) was admitted on 14/3/2003.
QMH	NIL
UCH	Daughter and son visited parent (index patient with cryptic presentation) in non-SARS ward and were admitted on 2/4/2003 (daughter) and 3/4/2003 (son).
TKOH	NIL
QEH	A patient with history of visiting hospital in early March 2003 (when SARS was unknown) was admitted on 20/3/2003.
KWH	NIL
PMH	NIL
CMC	NIL
TMH	NIL
PWH	42 visitors had visited Ward 8A on or before 10 March 2003. The index patient (when SARS was unknown) was confirmed on 14 March 2003.

AHNNH	4 visitors with history of visiting hospital in late March 2003 and April 2003 respectively were later admitted for SARS. The index patients were of cryptic SARS presentation.
TPH	3 visitors with history of visiting hospital in April 2003 were later admitted for SARS. The index patients were of cryptic SARS presentation.
NDH	NIL

*Legend :*

PYNEH: Pamela Youde Nethersole Eastern Hospital  
 QMH: Queen Mary Hospital  
 UCH: United Christian Hospital  
 TKOH: Tseung Kwan O Hospital  
 QEH: Queen Elizabeth Hospital  
 KWH: Kwong Wah Hospital  
 PMH: Princess Margaret Hospital  
 CMC: Caritas Medical Centre  
 TMH: Tuen Mun Hospital  
 PWH: Prince of Wales Hospital  
 AHNNH: Alice Ho Miu Ling Nethersole Hospital  
 TPH: Tai Po Hospital  
 NDH: North District Hospital