MALAYSIAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION

PRIVATE PRACTITIONERS SECTION OF MMA (PPSMMA)

44th PPSMMA ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Date : 11th September 2025 (Thursday)
Time : 2:00 PM
Venue : G Hotel Gurney, 168A, Gurney Dr, 10250 George Town, Penang (Physical) & Via Zoom (Hybrid)

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MMA/PPS/AGM 2025

08th August 2025

TO: ALL PPSMMA MEMBERS

Dear Tan Sri/Datuk Seri/Dato' Seri/Datuk/Dato'/Puan Sri/Datin Seri/Datin/Doctors,

44th PPSMMA ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

In accordance with Clause 24 (9) (ii) of the MMA Constitution, I am hereby circulating the following materials for 44th PPSMMA Annual General Meeting:

1. Agenda of the 44th PPS AGM
2. Minutes of the 43rd PPS AGM
3. PPS Annual Report 2024/2025
4. PPS Statement of Account and Treasurer Report for the year 2024
5. PPS Proposed Budget for October 2025 – September 2026

We would like to request all members who wishes to raise any issues, queries, or comments about the minutes of the PPS AGM, Annual Report, Accounts, or any other matters listed and not listed in the Agenda of the PPS AGM, to submit his queries in writing to the PPS Honorary Secretary not less than seven (7) days before the PPS AGM. Any issues, queries, or comments not submitted to the PPS Honorary Secretary in writing as specified above will not be allowed during the PPS AGM.

NOTE: The 44th PPSMMA AGM will be conducted in a paperless format. This means that no physical copies of any materials will be provided during the AGM.

Thank you.

Yours sincerely,

Dr Sritharan Rao Subbarao
Honorary Secretary
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AGENDA

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1. Welcome address by PPSMMA Chairman.
2. To confirm minutes from the previous PPSMMA Annual General Meeting.
3. To adopt the Annual Report for the year preceding.
4. To adopt the Annual Statement of Accounts for the year preceding.
5. To elect NWC Office Bearers for the ensuing year.
6. To accept and declare the various State Representatives for the ensuing year.
7. To decide on any Resolutions which may have been duly submitted.
8. To appoint an alternative representative to the Executive Committee and Council if the Chairman is unable to attend meeting of either body.

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MINUTES OF THE 43rd
PPSMMA
ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Minutes of the 43rd PPSMMA Annual General Meeting 2023/2024 held on Thursday, 5th September 2024 at 2.00pm at Riverside Majestic Hotel, Kuching, Sarawak & Zoom Meeting (Hybrid)

PRESENT:

JOHOR BRANCH

1. DR MURUGA RAJ A/L RAJATHURAI
2. DR GURUPARAN A/L S RAJALINGAM
3. DR MOHAN A/L KANDASAMY CHETTIAR
4. DR REMASH A/L ACHUTHAN
5. DR A. SELVARAJOO A/L S. ANDRUM
6. DR MENAGA DEVI MATHAVAN
7. DR NEO CHUN HUAT
8. DR BJINDER SINGH A/L JAGJIT SINGH
9. DR VIMALA DEVI A/P SUBBAIAH
10. DR HOOI LAI SEONG, PIS II
11. DR UTHEYAKUMARAN KRISHNAN
12. DR WAH KEIN CHOONG
13. DR. MARY MATHEW
14. DR CHANDRAMOHAN A/L VALAYUTHAM

KEDAH BRANCH

1. DR WAN MOHD ZOHDI BIN WAN ISMAIL
2. DR NADARAJAN S/O SARAVANA NADAR
3. DR SRITHARAN RAO A/L SUBBARAO
4. DR KEVIN RAJ A/L SELVARAJAH
5. DR HAIRUDIN BIN HASHIM
6. DR SITI FARIDA BT MASRIF
7. DR NESAMANI A/P K S VENGADASALAM

KELANTAN BRANCH

1. DR MOHD RAHIMIE SAYUTTI
2. DR AZMUNEER BIN MUHAMMED KIFLI
3. DR ZAMILAH BINTI ISMAIL
4. DR KHOR ENG GUAN
5. DR TUAN ZAMANI AMIR TUAN ZAKARIA

MELAKA BRANCH

1. DR JAYAKUMAR A/L GURUSAMY
2. DR SHANTI A/P P GAJABALAN
3. DR SIVANANTHAN A/L PERIETHAMBY
4. DR VASANTHY BALASUBRAMANIAM
5. DR N RAJAGOPAL
6. DR ASHOK ZACHARIAH PHILIP
7. DR ATHIMULAM NADASON
8. DR PREMAH A/P A MUNUSAMY
9. DR GUNASEKARAN A/L M RAMASAMY

NEGERI SEMBILAN BRANCH

1. DR NARVINDARAN A/L MARIAPPAN
2. DR RAVINDRAN RAMASAMY
3. DR ANDREW A/L SOLAMADAN
4. DR BERYL AGNES D'SOUZA
5. DR SIVANDAN ARUNSALAM
6. DR PAUL PARIMANAM SEGAJANANTHAM
7. DR A SIVANDAN A/L ARUNASALAM

PAHANG BRANCH

1. DR THILLAINATHAN A/L T PUSHPANATHAN @ T PASPANADAN
2. DR SUDESAN RAMAN
3. DR REUBEN GOH ERN TZE
4. DR ALLAH RAKHA DAR

PENANG BRANCH

1. DR JAIANAND J. TEJANI
2. DR PRABHU A/L RAMASAMY
3. DATO' DR PARMJIT SINGH A/L KULDIP SINGH
4. DR WENG YEW HO
5. DR YOONG HOW CHOON
6. DR CHRISTOPHER ANTHONY
7. DR THAMEEM ANSARI
8. DR KULWARAN SINGH
9. DR KANTHAN MURUGIAH

PERAK BRANCH

1. DR RAJENTHIREN A/L V SAHADEVAN
2. DR SURESH A/L SUBRAMANIAM
3. DR MONESH PILLAI A/L GOPI
4. DR SUNDRASAN A/L MUTHOO
5. DR HARANATHA RAO A/L SRI RAMALU
6. DR RAVINDRAN R NAIDU
7. DR CHEONG TENG TONG
8. DR ADRIS BIN SAARI
9. DR JEYARATNAM M RATNAVALE
10. DR YEK SING CHEE
11. DR RENGARAJU A/L GOVINDASAMY
12. DR LOOI KWOK WAH
13. DR ELANGOVAN SUBBIAH
14. DR ANJALAI A/P PATHMALINGAM
15. DR LOOI KWOK WAH MD
16. DR LOKE YEE HENG
17. DR GIREESH BALASUBRAMANIYAM
18. DR SUNDRAM ARUMUGAM
19. DR RAMANI SUBRAMANIAM

SABAH BRANCH

1. DR MUHAMMAD FARID AZFAR
2. DR JASON JIMMY LEE PILLAY
3. DR FOO YET LEONG @ AGNES FOO

4. DR DALJIT SINGH PARMAR A/L AKHBAL SINGH PARMAR
5. DR AMARJEET SINGH A/L MODAN SINGH
6. DR SHUNMUGAM RAJAH
7. DR CHINDO PALL SINGH @ SALWENDER
8. DR SELVAM BARATHY
9. DR HENRY RAJENDRA PONNIAH
10. DR DEVA DAS A/L PATHIYIL RAMANKUTTY
11. DR TEO BENG HO, JOHN
12. DR MOY CHUN KEAT
13. DR SARVANANTHAR S/O KANAPATHIPILLAI SHANMUGAM
14. DR SHAJI PRATHAP GOPAL
15. DR RUHAIZAD BIN DAUD
16. DR STH RUBINI GANESHANANDHA
17. DR SANGEETHAMBIKAI MANIAM
18. DR SENTHURAN PATHMALINGAM

SARAWAK BRANCH

1. DR ONG ENG- JOE
2. DR LIEW SHAN FAP
3. DR MARK JEEVAN ERUDAYAM
4. DR SLYVESTER MALINA AK BRAOH
5. DR SIA TIH KONG
6. DR TONY SIM TONG AIK

SELANGOR BRANCH

1. DR YONG CHUN WOON
2. DR PRIYADARSHI
3. DR SIVANAESAN A/L LETCHUMANAN
4. DR SHAARI BALAKRISHNA
5. DR RAJAMOHAN A/L ANNAMALAI
6. DR JULIET MATHEW
7. DR ANBALAGAN A/L KAILASAN
8. DR GANA BASKARAN A/L NADASON@DARZIN
9. DR THIRUGANA KUMEREN S/O PACHIAPAN
10. DR KRISHNA KUMARAN A/L A.RAMASAMY
11. DR MUHAMMAD GOWDH MUHAMMED JAFFAR
12. DR ABDUL HAMID ABDUL KADIR
13. DR MOHAMED NAMAZIE IBRAHIM
14. DR CHANDRAVATHANA RAJATHURAI
15. DR RAJ KUMAR A/L S MAHARAJAH
16. DR ARULNATHAN A/L AROKIASAMY
17. DR MAHENDRAN A/L V MARKANDOO
18. DR JOHN TILAGACHANDRAN AROKIASAMY
19. DR GUNALAN A/L PALARI @ ARUMUGAM PALARI
20. DR LAILANOR IBRAHIM
21. DR N CHANTHIRAN A/L NATHAN
22. DR ROBINEE A/P PANIR CHELVAM
23. DR SELLAPPAN A/L PALANIAPPAN
24. DR JAYA PRAKAS RAO A/L DEGALA RAMALU
25. DR GNANA KUMAR A/L P GNANASUNTHARAM
26. DR THAVSEELAN A/L NAGAPPAN
27. DR VASANTHAN VAJIRAVELU
28. DR RISHINATH RAO A/L VENKATESWARA
29. DR CHENG SEONG WAI
30. DATO DR JACOB THOMAS

TERENGGANU BRANCH

DR SYED MOHAMMAD SALLEH BIN SYED YUSOF ALZAWAWI, DPMT

WILAYAH PERSEKUTUAN BRANCH

1. DR GANASA RAJ A/L J SHANMUGAM
2. DR MOHANADAS RAMASAMY
3. DR KRISHNA GOPAL RAMPAL
4. DR SARAVANAN A/L A.SANTHIRARAJAN
5. DR ABDUL RAZAK MOHAMMED
6. DR KOH KAR CHAI
7. DR S. SELVARAJAH SATHAYA
8. DR GOKILAVANI SEKAR CHANDRAN
9. DR ERATHA KRISHNAN A/L GOBINADAN
10. DR MANOHAR S/O BENDIAH @ BALLU
11. DATUK DR THIRUNAVUKARASU A/L RAJOO
12. DR BALACHANDRAN A/L S.KRISHNAN
13. DR YEAP EWE JUAN
14. DR RETNESWARI D/O MASILAMANI S
15. DR JASVEER KAUR SIDHU
16. DR VENKATESWARA RAO A/L KRISHNAN
17. DR LIM YEW CHIEN
18. DR FAZILAH ABDUL GHANI
19. DR RAJA ANIAIZARA RAJA AMAN
20. DR N P KRISHNAN A/L K V PADMANABHA MENON
21. DR KATHEEJA ALAVI BY SYED ALAVI THANGAL
22. DR SIOW CII CHOW

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1. Welcome address by PPSMMA Chairman (2023/2024)

1.1 The Chairman, Dato Dr. Parmjit Singh A/L Kuldip Singh thanked the members for their presence. The Chairman expressed his gratitude over his 1 year term appointment as the PPSMMA Chairman. He also thanked the MMA Exco, PPS Exco and NWC members for their assistance. The meeting commenced as soon after introduced the PPSMMA Exco 2023/2024 to all PPSMMA members.

1.2 Chairman added that there were various proactive engagements with clients such as POS Malaysia, Telekom Malaysia, Maybank, and Bank Negara Malaysia, as well as with third-party administrators PMCare, Etika, Tenaga, MYCare, and Fomema to address several persistent issues and our voices are heard at the highest levels.

1.3 To empower members' education, PPS successfully organized a Dermatology office procedure course and the occupational health seminar for the first time. These initiatives provided valuable learning opportunities, equipping our doctors with the latest skills and knowledge to better serve patients. There was also a National Bowling Tournament and a Team-Building event in partnership with SCHOMOS to strengthen bonds within the medical community.

1.4 At the moment, the PPSMMA Facebook page has approximately 1,100 doctors, and the Chairman encouraged those who have not yet joined the group to do so, in order not to miss any upcoming activities and updates from PPSMMA.

2. To confirm minutes from the previous PPSMMA Annual General Meeting

2.1 The members reviewed the minutes of the previous PPSMMA AGM. The Chairman requested the Honorary Assistance Secretary Dr Gokilavani Sekar Chandran, in the absence of Dr. Azmuneer, to confirm the minutes. Dr. Gokilavani asked the attendees if they had any questions regarding the minutes. As there were no amendments, the minutes were then confirmed.

The previous minutes was accepted.

Proposer : Datuk Dr Athimulam Nadason

Seconder : Dr Ravindran Naidu

3. To adopt the Annual Report for the year preceding

3.1 The Honorary Assistance Secretary highlighted the activities achieved by PPSMMA for the 2023/2024 term. The report was circulated to members via email; however, certain key points will be briefly reviewed.

3.2 7TH *FEE SCHEDULE*

The Honorary Assistant Secretary read the Annual Report pertaining to 7TH FEE SCHEDULE. Dato Dr Parmjit Singh along with the council members of MMA, met with the Yang Berhormat Menteri Kesihatan Malaysia (YBMK) YB Datuk Seri Dr Haji Dzulkefly Ahmad at Putrajaya on the 13th of February 2024 for a dicsussion on the fee schedule. The second follow-up meeting has yet to be scheduled, as a reminder letter has been sent to the YBMK to arrange the meeting. A response has yet to be received.

3.3 *FOMEMA*

The Honorary Assistant Secretary read the Annual Report pertaining to FOMEMA. The FOMEMA fee has been revised, and there are no pertinent issues at the moment.

3.4 *CKAPS*

The Honorary Assistant Secretary read the Annual Report pertaining to CKAPS. A meeting was conducted with CKAPS, during which clinical licensing was brought up for discussion. CKAPS has fasten the process for new clinic registration.

3.4 *DOCTOR'S DAY EVENT*

The Honorary Assistant Secretary read the Annual Report pertaining to a few of the PPSMMA events. The Doctor's Day event was successfully conducted on 15 October 2023. Other activities and meetings were mentioned and clarified by the Chairman earlier today. Additionally, the PPS members met with members of Parliament, one of whom is YB Ram Karpal Singh. The Chairman elaborated that the hybrid meeting, which was held at the MMA house, included the SCHOMOS and was focused on discussing the issues faced by general practitioners. The issues will be discussed further and brought up at the appropriate time.

The annual report was accepted.

Proposer : Dr Andrew A/L Solamadan (Negeri Sembilan)

Seconder : Dr Vandhana (Selangor)

3.5 Datuk Dr Athimulam Nadason congratulated the PPSMMA for their great efforts in coordinating various events and activities throughout the year, and encouraged all members of the PPSMMA to be present until the end of their term on the committee.

On a separate note, Dr Namazie highlighted that there were no subjects pertaining to the specialist report. The Chairman informed that Dr Vasu and Dr Gunalan were handling the specialist report.

As Datuk Dr Thirunavukarasu, the Honorary General Secretary of MMA, attended the recent event, he highlighted that the event was conducted prior to the AGM with the Private Specialists and was in collaboration with the MPSN subcommittee. Issues faced by private specialists were discussed, including the contract, the fee schedule, and fee-splitting elements in the agreement. Additionally, Dr. Vasu and Dr. Gunalan were very actively involved in the grievance mechanism for private specialists by engaging various stakeholders. This was missed in the annual report due to the recent coordination of the event.

4. <u>To adopt the Annual Statement of Accounts for the year preceding</u>

4.1 The Annual Statement of Accounts for the year 2023/2024 was presented by the Honorary Treasurer, Dr Sritharan Rao. The following were the expenses incurred for the year 2023 sum of RM 83,701:

Accommodation	- RM 8,921
Food and refreshments	- RM 4,383
Gift and souvenirs	- RM 29,400
Grants	- RM 9,400
Legal and Professional Fees	- RM 5,905
Meeting allowances	- RM 4,300
Facilitator fees for team building	- RM 3,130
Printing and stationeries	- RM 60
Travelling claims	- RM 18,202

The annual statement of accounts was accepted.

Proposer : Dr Jason Jimmy Lee Pillay
Seconder : Dr Kanthan Murugiah

4.2 The Honorary Treasurer also briefed the members on the proposed PPSMMA budget for the 2023/2024 term, which is set at RM 150,000. The Chairman added that there has been good revenue for the MMA, such as the RM 10,000 gained from the dermatology course. Additionally, the recently concluded OHD course generated RM 20,000.

The proposed budget was accepted.

Proposer : Datuk Dr. Athimulam Nadason

Seconder : Dr. Ravindran Naidu

5. **To present the MMA PPS Awards Certification**

The Vice Chairman, Dr. Eratha Krishnan, welcomed the Chairman to distribute the awards accordingly.

MMA NATIONAL BOWLING TOURNAMENT

1st place: MMA Kelantan Branch

2nd place: MMA Wilayah Branch

3rd place: MMA Perak Branch

4th place: MMA Penang Branch

5th place: MMA Penang Branch

BEST STATE REPRESENTATIVE AWARD

3rd place MMA Sarawak Branch

2nd and 1st place MMA Kedah Branch and MMA Wilayah Branch

BEST PPS MMA REPRESENTATIVE AWARD

Runner up, Dr Sritharan Rao A/L Subbarao

Winner Dr Gokilavani Sekar Chandran

BEST PPS MMA MEMBERSHIP AWARD

Runner up, MMA Kedah Branch

Winner MMA Johor Branch

BEST PPS MMA ACTIVITY 2023/2024

MMA Penang Branch

MMA Kedah Branch

MMA Wilayah Branch

6. **To elect the EXCO Office Bearers for ensuing years.**

Chairman	: Dato Dr Parmjit Singh A/L Kuldip Singh
Proposer	: Dr Sivanaesan Letchumanan
Seconder	: Dr Liew Shan Fap
Vice Chairman	: Dr Eratha Krishnan A/L Gobinadan
Proposer	: Dr S Selvarajah Sathaya
Seconder	: Dato Dr Parmjit Singh A/L Kuldip Singh
Honorary Secretary	: Dr Sritharan Rao A/L Subbarao
Proposer	: Dr Kevin Raj
Seconder	: Dr Gokilavani Sekar Chandran
Honorary Treasurer	: Dr. Gokilavani Sekar Chandran
Proposer	: Dr Saravanan A.Santhirarajan
Seconder	: Dr Chandravathana Rajathurai
Honorary Assistant Secretary	: Dr Ng Eng Han
Proposer	: Dato Dr. Parmjit Singh A/L Kuldip Singh
Seconder	: Dr Eratha Krishnan
Honorary Assistant Secretary	: Dr Tuan Zamani Amir Tuan Zakaria
Proposer	: Dr. Kanthan Murugiah
Seconder	: Dr Mohd Rahimie Sayutti

7. **To accept and declare the various State Representatives for the ensuing year.**

The newly elected Chairman, Dato' Dr. Parmjit Singh announced the State Representatives as follows :

NO	NAME	STATE
1	Dr Prabha @ Shanti A/P Subramaniam	Johor
2	Dr Kevin Raj A/L Selvarajah	Kedah
3	Dr Mohd Rahimie Sayutti	Kelantan
4	Dr Jeffri Teh Bin Faizal	Melaka
5	Dr Siti Rokiah Binti Kamarudin	Negeri Sembilan
6	Dr Prem Kumar S/O Gopakumaran Nair	Pahang
7	Dr Mathiarasu A/L Yoganathan	Perak
8	Dr Chew Shi Wei	Perlis
9	Dr Kanthan Murugiah	Penang
10	Dr Moy Chun Keat	Sabah

11	Dr Liew Shan Fap	Sarawak
12	Dr Selvamuthu A/L Sellamuthu	Selangor
13	Dato Dr Syed Mohammad Salleh Bin Syed Yusof Alzawawi	Terengganu
14	Dr Manohar S/O Bendiah @ Ballu	W. Persekutuan

8. **To appoint an alternative representative to the Executives Committee and Council if the Chairman is unable to attend meeting of either body**

The Chairman appointed the Vice Chairman, Dr Eratha Krishnan as the alternative representative.

9. **Closing**

The Chairman informed that he is looking forward to work with the current PPS Exco & NWC. The meeting ended at 3.21 pm with a vote of thanks to the Chairs.

Meeting Report Prepared by:



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Dr Sritharan Rao A/L Subbarao
Honorary Secretary
Private Practitioners Section (PPS)
Malaysian Medical Association

PPSMMA ANNUAL REPORT
2024/2025

Report of the MMA Section

PRIVATE PRACTITIONERS SECTION (PPSMMA)

It is with great honour and profound gratitude that I present this report as the Honorary General Secretary of the Private Practitioner Section (PPS) for the term 2024/2025, representing a vibrant, resilient, and ever-evolving community of private doctors.

Over the past year, PPS has remained unwavering in its mission to represent and safeguard the interests of Malaysia's distinguished fraternity of private medical practitioners. In the face of an ever-evolving healthcare landscape and mounting regulatory pressures, our resolute commitment to empowering, advocating for and uplifting this formidable coalition of clinicians has never been more vital.

This term has been defined through strategic engagement with pivotal stakeholders, including third-party administrators (TPAs), regulatory agencies, and insurance entities, to forge more equitable, transparent, and dignified working conditions for private doctors. PPS has also remained at the forefront in championing issues fundamental to the long-term sustainability and autonomy of private medical practice in Malaysia.

Our brightest and most valiant battle has been against the outdated and woefully stagnant professional fee schedule, an injustice that has plagued our profession for decades. In response, we took audacious and unified action by launching the Black Monday Campaign and organising a historic Peaceful Assembly, both of which showcased the courage, unity and unyielding spirit of our elite cadre of private practitioners.

Our continuous stream of engagements, including meetings, webinars and CME sessions, has served not only as a means for professional growth but as vital forums for intellectual exchange, collective dialogue and camaraderie among practitioners nationwide. These efforts have strengthened the bonds of unity, sharpened our collective voice, and fortified the professional dignity of our vibrant and resilient medical community.

I wish to express my heartfelt appreciation to the MMA Main EXCO for their continued support, guidance, and commitment throughout this term. My sincere thanks also go to the indomitable PPS Chairman, Dato' Dr. Parmjit Singh, for his visionary leadership, and to the PPS EXCO members, especially Dr Eratha and Dr. Gokilavani, for their dedication, teamwork and unwavering pursuit of excellence.

As we chart our path forward, let us march as one, a unified force of principled, passionate and highly accomplished medical professionals, driven by courage, vision and unwavering determination to protect the sanctity of private practice, preserve clinical independence, uphold ethical standards and assert our rightful place in shaping the future of healthcare in this nation.

Thank you for your enduring trust and steadfast support, which fuel our momentum, reinforce our unity, and inspire our collective mission towards a stronger, more cohesive, empowered and forward-looking medical fraternity in the nation.

The following were elected to the PPSMMA Exco at the 43rd Annual General Meeting of the PPSMMA, held at the Riverside Majestic Hotel, Kuching, Sarawak (physical) and via Zoom (virtual), on 5th September 2024 at 2:00 PM.

Subsequently, Dr. Sivananthan A/L Periethamby was appointed as a co-opted Exco with the approval of MMA Exco and PPS Exco members, on 20th September 2024.

PPS EXCO COMMITTEE MEMBERS 2024/2025

Chairman
Dato' Dr. Parmjit Singh A/L Kuldip Singh

Vice-Chairman
Dr. Eratha Krishnan A/L Gobinadan

Honorary Secretary
Dr. Sritharan Rao A/L Subbarao

Honorary Treasurer
Dr. Gokilavani A/P Sekar Chandran

Honorary Assistant Secretary
Dr. Ng Eng Han

Honorary Assistant Secretary
Dr. Tuan Zamani Amir Bin Tuan Zakaria

Co-opted Exco member
Dr. Sivananthan A/L Periethamby

PPS NATIONAL WORKING COMMITTEE 2024/2025

- **Perlis** - Dr. Chew Shi Wei
- **Kedah** - Dr. Kevin Raj A/L Selvarajah
- **Pulau Pinang** - Dr. Kanthan Murugiah
- **Perak** - Dr. Mathiarasu A/L Yoganathan
- **Selangor** - Dr. Selvamuthu A/L Sellamuthu
- **W. Persekutuan** - Dr. Manohar S/O Bendiah @ Ballu
- **Negeri Sembilan** - Dr. Siti Rokiah Binti Kamarudin
- **Melaka** - Dr. Jeffri Teh Bin Faizal
- **Johor** - Dr. Prabha @ Shanti A/P Subramaniam
- **Pahang** - Dr Prem Kumar S/O Gopakumaran Nair
- **Terengganu** - Dato' Dr. Syed Mohammad Salleh Bin Syed Yusof Alzawawi
- **Kelantan** - Dr. Mohd Rahimie Sayutti
- **Sarawak** - Dr. Liew Shan Fap
- **Sabah** - Dr. Moy Chun Keat

Private Practitioner Section (PPSMMA)

A. INTERNAL MEETINGS

1. PPS EXCO Meetings

MEETING	DATE	VENUE
1st Meeting	22nd September 2024	MMA House, Kuala Lumpur
2nd Meeting	5th January 2025	Amari SPICE, Pulau Pinang
3rd Meeting	16th May 2025	MMA House, Kuala Lumpur

2. National Working Committee (NWC) Meetings

MEETING	DATE	VENUE
1st Meeting	13th October 2024	MMA House, Kuala Lumpur
2nd Meeting	17th May 2025	MMA House, Kuala Lumpur

B. EXTERNAL KEY MEETINGS

1. MEETING WITH PERTUBUHAN KESELAMATAN SOSIAL (PERKESO)

- On 20th September 2024, a virtual meeting was held between the PPSMMA and the PERKESO to discuss a proposed health screening initiative targeting vehicle drivers. The initiative focuses on introducing mandatory health screenings as part of the process for obtaining or renewing driving licenses, particularly for heavy vehicle drivers.
- PERKESO outlined its proposal aimed at improving the health and safety of drivers by ensuring early detection of medical conditions that may impair driving ability. The discussion centered on how proactive health measures could reduce road accidents and improve public safety, especially in the commercial transport sector.

2. MEETING WITH AIA

- A virtual meeting between PPSMMA and AIA was held via Microsoft Teams on 9th October 2024 to address several important matters concerning General Practitioners (GPs) under AIA's panel.
- One of the main topics discussed was the need to improve the remuneration structure for GPs, ensuring fair compensation that reflects the rising cost of medical practice and service delivery. PPSMMA also emphasized the importance of empowering GPs to perform more clinical procedures within their clinics, which would benefit both patients and the healthcare system by enhancing service efficiency.
- Another major concern was the growing number of claims and the various administrative and operational challenges faced by both AIA and GPs in managing them efficiently. AIA reported a significant increase in claims volume over the past year, which has impacted processing times and raised concerns about sustainability, resource allocation, and long-term system efficiency.

3. MEETING WITH KUMPULAN WANG SIMPANAN PEKERJA (KWSP)

- On 26th October 2024, a meeting between the PPSMMA and the KWSP was successfully held at the MMA House. The meeting focused on KWSP's intensified efforts to raise the national active contribution rate.
- During the meeting, KWSP shared its strategies for increasing awareness about the importance of consistent savings and long-term financial planning. Emphasis was placed on the need to equip healthcare professionals, especially those in private practice, with comprehensive information, digital resources, expert guidance and tools to secure a more stable financial future and retirement.
- As part of the ongoing collaboration, KWSP expressed interest in arranging a future session with PPSMMA members to present a more detailed overview of the initiative, including tailored solutions for medical professionals in private practice.

4. MEETING WITH THE DEPUTY HEALTH MINISTER AND SECRETARY GENERAL OF HEALTH

- The meeting was convened on 20th November 2024 at the Bilik Mesyuarat Ketua Setiausaha, Kementerian Kesihatan Malaysia. A key highlight of the session was a presentation addressing the pressing challenges currently faced by General Practitioners (GPs) in Malaysia. The discussion shed light on critical issues affecting the sustainability of private practice, including inadequate remuneration, rising operational costs, and increasing administrative pressures.
- In addition, the presentation emphasized concerns surrounding third-party interference, which continues to undermine the professional autonomy of GPs and disrupt the continuity of care. In response to these challenges, a series of practical and ethical solutions was proposed. These included advocating for fairer policies, reinforcing professional standards, and fostering stronger collaboration between stakeholders to protect the integrity of primary healthcare services.
- The presentation concluded with a strong reaffirmation of our commitment to safeguarding the well-being of patients while striving to build a more ethical and sustainable healthcare environment. The meeting served as a vital platform for dialogue, paving the way for future initiatives that support and empower GPs in Malaysia, foster professional unity, and strengthen collaboration between private practitioners and relevant healthcare authorities for long-term improvements.

5. MEETING WITH THE MALAYSIAN ONCOLOGY SOCIETY (MOS)

- The meeting was conducted virtually on 22nd November 2024. MOS highlighted regarding medical insurance practices affecting cancer patients, particularly the misuse of the term "remission" by insurers to deny continued coverage. In several reported cases, insurance companies have refused to fund cancer treatments beyond 90 days after a patient is deemed in remission, despite clinical guidelines supporting the necessity of long-term therapy.
- MOS emphasized that such policies compromise patient outcomes and called for urgent regulatory intervention. Plans are underway to engage Bank Negara Malaysia to seek clarity and reforms in insurance regulations. The meeting also touched on the lack of TPAs and MCOs, urgently urging for their proper regulation to protect patient and provider interests across all healthcare sectors.

6. COURTESY VISIT TO THE MINISTER OF HEALTH (MOH)

- The MMA held a successful meeting with the Minister of Health and senior officials from the MOH on 5th December 2024 at the Pejabat Menteri Kesihatan, Kementerian Kesihatan Malaysia. The meeting provided a productive platform to address long-standing challenges faced by private General Practitioners (GPs).

- A key highlight was the Health Minister's acknowledgment of the vital role played by GPs and his commitment to increasing the consultation fees, which have remained stagnant for over three decades. The proposed increase will be reasonable and implemented with fixed, periodic reviews.
- Other important matters discussed included the regulation of unauthorized, non-PHFSA-registered health facilities. The MOH agreed to step up enforcement to safeguard patient safety. The issue of drug price transparency was also raised, with the Ministry assuring that further stakeholder engagements will be conducted before any policy rollout.
- Concerns regarding Third-Party Administrators (TPAs) and Managed Care Organisations (MCOs) were also brought forward, with ongoing discussions planned. MMA remains committed to ongoing collaboration with the MOH to enhance the nation's healthcare delivery system.

7. MEETING WITH THE MALAYSIAN EMPLOYERS FEDERATION (MEF)

- PPSMMA held a strategic meeting with the MEF on 6th December 2024 at the MMA House. MEF was represented by its Director, Datuk Hj. Sulaiman.
- Among the key concerns raised during the meeting were the pivotal role of GPs in managing non-communicable diseases (NCDs), the inappropriate influence of Third-Party Administrators (TPAs) over Long-Term Management plans, the urgent need to revise the long-outdated GP consultation fee structure and the importance of MMA engaging directly with clients of TPAs to protect the integrity of primary care services.
- Datuk Hj Sulaiman acknowledged the challenges faced by GPs and expressed MEF's willingness to collaborate with MMA to strengthen Malaysia's primary healthcare system.

8. MEETING WITH PMCARE

- The PPSMMA held a constructive meeting with PMCare on 7th December 2024 at the MMA House. The session focused on enhancing the role of General Practitioners (GPs) in delivering broader and more effective primary care services.
- During the discussion, the need for GPs to be permitted to carry out more clinical procedures and investigations within their practice settings was discussed. This will help to optimize the capabilities of primary care and improve accessibility for patients.
- The subject of prescribing long-term medications (LTMs) was also discussed, with the MMA entrusted to develop a fair and standardized price list for both procedures and LTMs to ensure transparency and equity.
- PM Care responded positively, agreeing to collaborate with MMA on formalizing a comprehensive list of procedures and investigations that GPs are allowed to perform, while also reviewing policies on long-term medication prescriptions.

9. MEETING WITH PERKESO

- A meeting was held on 15th November 2024 at MMA House to discuss PERKESO's latest initiative, the Skim Keselamatan Sosial Pekerjaan Sendiri (SKSPS), aimed specifically at self-employed individuals.
- The scheme will provides social protection for the self-employed with an affordable annual contribution. The scheme also offers a comprehensive range of benefits, including coverage for accidents and income replacement in times of incapacitation.
- Details of the benefits were shared through accompanying documentation, highlighting the value and importance of the initiative in enhancing social safety nets for this growing sector.
- The registration process for SKSPS was reported to be user-friendly and accessible via the official portal at https://matrix.perkeso.gov.my. This simplicity is expected to encourage greater uptake among the self-employed community.
- PPSMMA welcomed this initiative positively, acknowledging it as a step forward in supporting the welfare and security of healthcare professionals and other self-employed individuals. The meeting underscored the need.

10. SCHOMOS ROUNDTABLE TALK

- On 14th December 2024, PPSMMA was invited to attend a roundtable discussion organized by SCHOMOS.
- The roundtable proved to be a productive engagement between both parties. During the discussion, PPSMMA highlighted several key issues affecting the medical profession. These included concerns regarding the Ministry of Health's human resource management strategies, challenges surrounding the placement of doctors and the lack of a structured career pathway for medical officers.
- PPSMMA also emphasized the importance of preparing junior doctors for the realities of transitioning into private practice. The session marked a constructive step towards greater collaboration and mutual understanding between PPSMMA and SCHOMOS. PPSMMA looks forward to future engagements in addressing systemic challenges and supporting the professional growth of doctors across all sectors.

11. MEETING WITH THE MALAYSIAN UROLOGICAL ASSOCIATION

- On 3rd January 2025, a meeting was held at MMA House between MMA and the Malaysian Urological Association. The discussions focused on urological procedures that can be performed by GPs and explored avenues for collaboration in GP training. The meeting marked a positive step toward enhancing GP capabilities in urology and fostering professional partnerships between the two organizations.

12. MEETING ON NATIONAL IMMUNISATION PROGRAMME BY PRIVATE SECTOR

- On 3rd January 2025, a significant meeting was held virtually between representatives of the Ministry of Health's Bahagian Pembangunan Kesihatan Keluarga (BPKK) and stakeholders from the private healthcare sector to discuss the implementation of the National Immunisation Programme (NIP) through private channels.
- The discussion focused on increasing the utilization of the MyVAS system integrated within the MySejahtera application, which is essential for tracking and managing immunisation efforts. A major concern raised was the low participation rates among GPs and private hospitals. Several challenges contributing to this limited involvement were highlighted, including system accessibility and logistical barriers.
- The Ministry of Health stressed the importance of digitizing and streamlining the immunization programme to ensure broader coverage and improved efficiency. The meeting served as a platform to reinforce collaboration between public and private healthcare providers, with the shared goal of strengthening national immunization efforts and enhancing public health outcomes through digital transformation.

13. MEETING WITH LEMBAGA HASIL DALAM NEGERI (LHDN)

- A meeting between the PPSMMA and the LHDN was held on 3rd January 2025 at Bilik Mesyuarat Bendahara, Aras 1, Menara HASIL, Cyberjaya.

- The primary focus was the national implementation of the e-Invoice system. LHDN confirmed that businesses with annual revenue between RM25 million and RM100 million must comply by January 2025, while those earning below RM25 million are to comply by July 2025, with a six-month relaxation period. No deadline extensions will be granted.
- An overview of the e-Invoice process was provided. For cash-paying patients, clinics are to consolidate and submit invoices between the 1st and 7th of each month. Complexities related to Third-Party Administrators (TPA) and Managed Care Organisations (MCO), particularly around fee deductions and MyInvois platform reflections, were highlighted.
- MMA also requested LHDN to organize a webinar for private practitioners to enhance understanding and compliance.

14. MEETING WITH AIA

- A constructive meeting between PPSMMA and AIA was successfully held on 10th January 2025 in hybrid mode. The key agenda was centered on improving the sustainability and quality of primary care services.
- AIA acknowledged the need to revise general practitioner (GP) consultation fees in line with current healthcare demands and agreed to escalate the matter to their top management for further consideration.
- Discussions also focused on expanding the scope of services GPs can provide. AIA reaffirmed its commitment to supporting primary care enhancements, particularly in enabling GPs to carry out more clinical procedures.
- AIA noted a low uptake of orthopedic office procedures among panel clinics and encouraged increased participation. PPSMMA also proposed including selected urology procedures, which AIA agreed to review.
- Concerns regarding unethical practices such as unauthorized investigations, inappropriate claims and polypharmacy were raised. PPSMMA reiterated its zero-tolerance stance on unethical conduct and mooted taking necessary disciplinary action when warranted.

15. TOWNHALL SESSION ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF DRG IN THE PRIVATE SECTOR

- A Townhall Session on the implementation of Diagnosis Related Groups (DRG) in the private healthcare sector was held on 9th January 2025, organized by the MOH. MMA was represented by the President Elect and Chairman of Private Specialists Affairs, Dr. Gunalan.
- MMA contributed several key perspectives during the session. It was noted that while DRG is being considered a cost-containment tool in the private sector, its long-term application must align with national healthcare objectives.
- With MOH initiatives like Rakan KKM also adopting DRG for treating private patients, MMA emphasized the importance of developing a unified National DRG system. Such a framework would ensure consistent standards and accountability.
- The MMA further highlighted Malaysia's high healthcare inflation, attributing a key factor to the nation's out-of-pocket healthcare spending, which stands at around 35%, far exceeding global norms. Addressing this imbalance is essential for sustainable reform.
- Additionally, MMA cautioned against embedding DRG into legislation, stressing that such tools must remain flexible and responsive to evolving healthcare data. Legislating DRG may limit its adaptability and subject it to political fluctuations.
- In conclusion, MMA reaffirmed its support for tools that promote quality, safe, and affordable care, but stressed the need for inclusive stakeholder engagement and thoughtful, phased implementation, rather than rushed or reactive measures.

16. MEETING WITH THE MALAYSIAN ORTHOPAEDIC ASSOCIATION (MOA)

- PPSMMA and MOA held an online meeting on 20th January 2025. The focus was on collaboration between the two associations for training and practices in office orthopaedics in GP settings.
- MMA sought MOA's collaboration for the Office Orthopaedics, organized by MMA KOOP. MOA agreed to support credible training but stressed maintaining strict standards. MMA was advised to share its training curriculum for review.
- A joint workshop is scheduled to provide training on suitable procedures, such as injections for severe osteoarthritis and improving ultrasound-guided techniques among general practitioners to enhance primary musculoskeletal care delivery.
- Both organizations highlighted the essential role of GPs in healthcare and emphasized the importance of proper training in advanced procedures like platelet-rich plasma (PRP) and hyaluronic acid (HA) injections.
- MMA and MOA will collaborate to establish a framework for safe, high-quality office orthopaedics. Future meetings will address additional procedures and standards involving regulatory guidance and clinical best practices.

17. MEETING WITH THE OBSTETRICAL AND GYNAECOLOGICAL SOCIETY OF MALAYSIA (OGSM)

- A virtual meeting between the PPSMMA and the President of the OGSM was held on 22nd January 2025 to discuss key issues affecting the medical fraternity.
- Key topics included concerns over the practice of unregistered sonographers and the operation of unlicensed ultrasound centers. Both MMA and OGSM reaffirmed their stance against such practices, emphasizing the importance of proper accreditation and regulatory compliance to ensure patient safety and maintain professional standards.
- The meeting also highlighted the need for structured training programs for primary care providers who offer ultrasound services. Discussions focused on developing appropriate training pathways to enhance competency and ensure adherence to best practices in ultrasound use within primary care settings.
- MMA and OGSM remain committed to upholding professional standards and will continue working together to address these issues for the benefit of healthcare providers.

18. PARLIAMENTARY HEALTH SPECIAL SELECT COMMITTEE MEETING

- On 6th February 2025, representatives from the PPSMMA attended the Mesyuarat Jawatankuasa Pilihan Khas Kesihatan Parliament held at the Malaysian Parliament.
- The meeting was a significant platform to raise and discuss pressing healthcare issues faced by private sector doctors. Matters related to PPS included the discussion on the regulation of Third-Party Administrators (TPAs), clinic sustainability and the implications of proposed legislative changes affecting private practitioners.
- The engagement marked a constructive effort to ensure the voices of both public and private sector doctors are heard at the highest policymaking levels. MMA's participation in this parliamentary session reaffirmed its commitment to advocating for the welfare and professional interests of all doctors across Malaysia's healthcare system.

19. MEETING WITH CAWANGAN KAWALAN AMALAN PERUBATAN SWASTA (CKAPS)

- On 14th February 2025, a significant meeting between PPS MMA and CKAPS, Ministry of Health (MOH), was convened at MMA House. The session was chaired by Dato Dr. Kalwinder Singh.

- The meeting opened with discussions on the implementation of new healthcare regulations and the need for structured stakeholder consultations to ensure that policies are both practical and equitable. Concerns regarding TPAs and MCOs were also raised, especially the impact on GPs' clinical autonomy and the quality of patient care.
- Another key topic was the encroachment of pharmacy services into clinical domains such as health screenings and blood-taking. Both parties exchanged views on maintaining professional boundaries and safeguarding patient safety. Additionally, the session explored matters concerning the GP clinic, such as signboard regulations and other regulations.
- The dialogue was productive, with open exchanges and a shared commitment to resolve the highlighted challenges. In his closing remarks, Dr. Iqbal, Pengarah, CKAPS, commended PPSMMA for its unwavering dedication.

20. Meeting with Malaysian Society of Ophthalmology (MSO)

- The PPSMMA and MSO convened a virtual meeting on 15th February 2025, with MSO represented by its President, Prof. Liza Sharmini Ahmad Tajudin. The meeting focused on enhancing collaboration between general practitioners (GPs) and ophthalmologists to strengthen eye care services at the primary care level.
- Emphasis was placed on the critical role of GPs as secondary screeners in preventing blindness through early detection of conditions such as cataracts, diabetic retinopathy, glaucoma, and age-related macular degeneration. Alarmingly, diabetic retinopathy has shown a steady rise over the past decade.
- The discussion also explored minor ophthalmic procedures that GPs could safely perform, including the removal of chalazion, treatment of styes, and the repair of small eyelid lacerations. Both parties agreed on the importance of providing voluntary refresher courses for GPs, coordinated through PPSMMA and MSO state representatives.
- Another key concern raised was the illegal use of steroids, particularly in eyedrops, with a call for stronger enforcement measures to curb this dangerous practice. The meeting concluded with a shared commitment to enhancing patient outcomes through structured collaboration and capacity building.

21. MEETING ON MEDICATION PRICE TRANSPARENCY

- PPSMMA participated in a key meeting on 27th February 2025 at Zecon Hotel, Cheras. The session was attended by the Health Minister, Health Director-General, KPDNHEP Director-General, MOH Secretary-General, and MOH Pharmacy officials. MMA was well-represented by its National Exco and PPS MMA, underscoring its dedication to protecting the interests of general practitioners and the medical profession.
- During the meeting, the MMA firmly reiterated its position: the revision of GP consultation fees must be prioritized before any implementation of Act 723 (Private Healthcare Facilities and Services Act 2018). The association emphasized that the existing Act 586 is already adequate to regulate the private healthcare sector and that Act 723 would introduce unnecessary administrative burdens, regulatory overlaps, and increased costs for general practitioners and private clinics.
- In response, the Health Minister acknowledged the concerns raised and gave a strong assurance to the floor. He committed to fast-tracking the long-overdue 7th Fee Schedule revision and announced a deferment in the enforcement of Act 723 until this fee revision is implemented. This outcome was a significant milestone for the MMA, achieved through consistent advocacy, collaborative dialogue, persistent engagement, and unified efforts with key stakeholders and relevant authorities.

22. MEETING WITH CUEPACS

- PPSMMA held a significant meeting with CUEPACS on 6th March 2025 at Wisma CUEPACS. This engagement was initiated to foster closer collaboration between the two organizations and address key concerns related to the healthcare sector.
- MMA emphasized several critical challenges faced by government doctors, including staffing shortages, career progression, promotions, and the inadequacy of on-call allowances. These concerns have been longstanding issues within the public healthcare system, impacting the morale and retention of medical professionals.
- PPS Chairman highlighted crucial issues concerning private practitioners, including consultation fees, the influence of TPAs in healthcare management and the transparency of price displays in private clinics. These challenges significantly impact private doctors and PPSMMA remains steadfast in advocating for fair policies and resolutions to address them.
- In addition, suggestions were made to introduce comprehensive health screenings and mental health assessments for CUEPACS members. Recognizing the growing need for proactive healthcare measures, both parties explored ways in which MMA and CUEPACS could collaborate to improve the overall well-being of CUEPACS members.
- The meeting was regarded as highly productive, with fruitful exchanges on various healthcare-related topics. CUEPACS expressed keen interest in strengthening its cooperation with MMA moving forward, signaling potential future collaborations to address mutual concerns and enhance the healthcare landscape in Malaysia.

23. MEETING WITH THE FEDERATION OF MALAYSIAN CONSUMERS ASSOCIATIONS (FOMCA)

- A meeting between the PPSMMA and the FOMCA was held on 26th March 2025 at FOMCA Headquarters.
- Key issues discussed during the meeting included the urgent need to revise general practitioners' consultation fees, MMA's stance on the mandatory display of medication prices, concerns about enforcement and the growing challenges posed by unregulated Third-Party Administrators (TPAs).
- MMA strongly reaffirmed its commitment to advocating for policies that support the medical profession while ensuring patient safety and improved healthcare outcomes. By highlighting the struggles faced by GPs and the implications of certain policies, MMA continues to push for fair and transparent healthcare practices.
- The discussion was well received by FOMCA, whose representatives acknowledged the issues raised, making the meeting a positive and productive.

24. MEETING WITH OTHER DOCTORS' ASSOCIATIONS ON PRICE DISPLAY

- A crucial meeting was successfully convened at the MMA House on 5th April 2025 to address growing concerns regarding the use of Act 723 on the medical profession, specifically concerning the issue of mandatory medicine price display. Chaired by the MMA President, the meeting brought together representatives from several key doctors' associations.
- Among the associations in attendance were:

1. *Medical Practitioners Coalition Association of Malaysia (MPCAM)*
2. *Academy of Family Physicians Malaysia (AFPM)*
3. *The Federation of Private Medical Practitioners (FPMPAM)*
4. *Society of Private Medical Practitioners Sabah (SPMPS)*
5. *Association of Private Hospitals of Malaysia (APHM)*
6. *Association of Specialists in Private Medical Practice Malaysia (SPMPM)*
7. *Pertubuhan Doktor-Doktor Islam Malaysia (PERDIM)*
8. *Malaysian Association of Advancement of Functional & Interdisciplinary Medicine (MAAFIM)*
9. *Society of Private Medical Practitioners Sarawak (SPMPS)*

- The main agenda focused on a unified opposition to the enforcement of Act 723 on individual medical practitioners. Attendees stressed that this Act, designed for private healthcare facilities, is not appropriate for regulating clinics and doctors already governed under Act 586. Act 586 sufficiently addresses patient rights, service standards, and transparency within the profession.
- Applying Act 723 would create legal confusion, unnecessary administrative burdens, and seriously threaten the autonomy of medical practice and professional self-regulation. All associations agreed that while they support price transparency, it should be regulated solely under Act 586, which remains the relevant, practical, and appropriate legislative framework for the medical profession in Malaysia.
- All associations present unanimously agreed that while doctors support price transparency, they firmly oppose being regulated under an overlapping and unnecessary framework. The meeting was productive and unified in its stance, and a joint press statement will soon be released to reflect the collective opposition to Act 723's application to the medical profession.

25. MEETING WITH PROTECT HEALTH

- The meeting was successfully held at MMA House on 11th April 2025, bringing together representatives from MMA and Protech Health for a focused discussion.
- The first agenda item addressed the Skim Perubatan Madani (SPM). Discussions centered on the proposal to expand SPM to additional states, a review of current medication pricing within the scheme, and suggestions to broaden its scope to include vaccinations and management of non-communicable diseases (NCDs). Protech Health received all proposals positively and expressed openness to further collaboration.
- The second key topic was the Saringan Peka B40 screening program. Protech Health highlighted a concerning statistic, that more than 80% of eligible patients have yet to be screened. In response, general practitioners (GPs) were encouraged to increase their participation in the initiative. Protech Health also offered support to assist GPs in organizing community outreach efforts to raise awareness and improve screening uptake.
- Overall, the meeting was productive, with both parties reaffirming their shared commitment to improving healthcare access and outcomes.

26. MEETING WITH SANOFI-AVENTIS (M) SDN BHD

- On 11th April 2025, the PPS MMA held a focused meeting with Sanofi at MMA House to deliberate on pressing matters related to vaccine distribution and safety. Sanofi was represented by Dr. Saravanan, Vaccines Medical Head, and Ms. Sher Cheng, Operation Manager for Vaccines.
- The session underscored the critical importance of maintaining the cold chain to preserve vaccine efficacy. A strong emphasis was placed on ensuring that vaccines are dispensed strictly through registered medical practitioners, allowing for comprehensive patient assessment during the vaccination.
- Concerns regarding vaccine availability and pricing were also raised, highlighting the need to make vaccines more affordable and accessible to the general population. Sanofi acknowledged the issues brought forth and expressed a firm commitment to collaborate with PPSMMA to enhance the quality, safety, and accessibility of vaccines in Malaysia.
- The meeting concluded with mutual understanding and a shared vision of improving public health outcomes through responsible and regulated vaccine practices, including education, supply-chain transparency, and ongoing collaboration between stakeholders for sustainable immunization efforts.

27. GP FEE ENGAGEMENT WITH MOH

- PPSMMA participated in a significant stakeholder engagement session with Bahagian Amalan, Ministry of Health, on 13th May 2025, as part of the ongoing consultation regarding the review of GPs' fees. During the session, PPSMMA strongly reaffirmed its unified stance in advocating for a fair, transparent and sustainable fee structure that truly reflects the increasing complexities and operational costs of modern-day clinical practice. The existing disparities and limitations in the current fee schedule were discussed at length, with all parties highlighting the urgent need for reform that balances affordability for patients with the economic viability of general practice.

28. MEETING WITH AIA

- On 16th May 2025, PPSMMA held a meeting with AIA representatives to discuss key matters related to teleconsultation and collaboration with private hospitals. The meeting was chaired by PPS Vice Chairman, Dr. Eratha.
- AIA clarified that the SMART App teleconsultation service is currently limited to personal medical policyholders, with a consultation fee of RM10. PPSMMA raised concerns regarding the fee, highlighting that it is significantly lower than those offered by other TPAs and strongly urged AIA to review and revise it.
- AIA also shared details about a new collaboration with Sunway Hospitals, which will involve panel clinics in follow-up care such as wound management and monitoring of non-communicable diseases (NCDs). In emergencies, clinics may directly contact the nearest Sunway Hospital for ambulance support.

29. MEETING WITH MICARE

- On 30th May 2025, PPSMMA Exco attended a meeting with MiCare officials, Mr Moses, Mr Andy and Mr Gabriel at the MiCare's office.
- The discussion focused on strengthening the role of general practitioners (GPs) within the MiCare panel. Key points included advocating for GPs to monitor and dispense long-term medications (LTM) and proposing incentives for those effectively managing non-communicable diseases (NCDs).
- PPSMMA also called for the expansion of claimable procedures and suggested that GPs be allowed to conduct health screenings for client company employees. In addition, concerns were raised regarding the delay in payments, with a request for MiCare to shorten the waiting period.

C. ACTIVITIES

1. WEBINAR: MPOX UNVEILED, THE NEW VIRAL THREAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

- A webinar was successfully organized by PPSMMA on 17th September. The session featured an insightful presentation by Dr. Khairil Erwan, an infectious disease specialist from Hospital Kuala Lumpur, who shed light on the rising threat of MPOX and strategies for effective clinical management.
- The event drew participation from over 500 medical professionals, reflecting a strong interest in the topic. Key areas covered included the modes of transmission, clinical presentation, and preventive strategies against MPOX. The session proved highly informative and timely, equipping doctors with essential knowledge to respond effectively to this emerging infectious disease.

2. DOCTORS' DAY CELEBRATION

- On 12th October 2024, the MMA organized a meaningful Doctors' Day celebration at MMA House. This annual event served as a heartfelt tribute to the tireless service of our healthcare professionals.
- To mark the occasion, a special community outreach initiative was held, offering free health checkups to members of the B40 community. From 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM, our volunteer doctors provided essential screenings, including blood pressure monitoring, blood sugar tests, BMI assessments, and general medical consultations.
- The event saw active participation from both the public and medical professionals, reinforcing MMA's commitment to accessible healthcare and social responsibility. By focusing on the B40 group, the initiative successfully addressed healthcare accessibility gaps and encouraged preventive care practices.
- This Doctors' Day not only celebrates the invaluable contributions of our doctors but also extends the gift of health to those most in need. We thank all the participating doctors for their unwavering commitment and selfless service.

3. MALAYSIAN URBAN FORUM

- On 8th October 2024, PPS MMA Chairman, Dato' Dr. Parmjit Singh, had the honour as a panel speaker at the Malaysian Urban Forum Professional Round Table held at Dewan Sri Pinang, Pulau Pinang. The session was expertly moderated by Datin TPr Hajjah Noraida Saludin, President of the Malaysian Institute of Planners.
- Key issues discussed during the round table revolved around urban planning, sustainable development and the evolving challenges of urbanization in Malaysia. Dato' Dr. Parmjit Singh contributed valuable insights from a healthcare and public health perspective, highlighting the importance of incorporating health-focused urban.

4. INTERNATIONAL EMERGENCY & DISASTER MEDICINE CONFERENCE

- At an event held on 16th October 2024, PPSMMA EXCO, Dr. Vani, was invited as a guest speaker, where she delivered an insightful presentation on emergency response in general practice. Her talk emphasized the critical importance of patient safety and the need for strong emergency preparedness within primary care settings.
- Drawing from her experience, Dr. Vani highlighted practical strategies that general practitioners can adopt to enhance their readiness for medical emergencies, ultimately ensuring better outcomes for patients. Her contribution was well-received and underscored the essential role of primary care providers in the broader emergency care framework.

5. SELANGOR LIFE SCIENCES CONVENTION SYNERGY CONFERENCE 2024

- Dr. Vani, a member of the PPSMMA Exco, delivered an outstanding presentation at this event held on 19th October 2025.
- In her presentation, Dr. Vani spoke on the critical role of value-based healthcare, positioning primary care as a central strategy for achieving better health outcomes. She emphasized the importance of fostering strong public-private partnerships and highlighted the potential of private clinics as vital assets in the successful implementation of future government-led primary care initiatives.
- Moreover, Dr. Vani advocated for the inclusion of GPs as key stakeholders in the value-based healthcare ecosystem. She stressed the need to incentivize primary care providers based on patient outcomes, encouraging a shift towards more sustainable and outcome-driven healthcare delivery. Her insights left a lasting impression on attendees and reinforced the pivotal role of general practice in Malaysia's healthcare landscape.

6. PRIMARY CARE WORKSHOP

- On 19th October 2024, Dato' Dr. Parmjit Singh, Chairman of PPSMMA, had the distinguished honour of serving as the Chairperson for this esteemed event held in Penang.
- The workshop served as a dynamic platform for collaboration, discussion and the exchange of knowledge among practitioners dedicated to advancing the field of primary care. Participants engaged in meaningful dialogues on the latest innovations, clinical advancements and evidence-based best practices aimed at elevating the standard of health care
- The workshop successfully highlighted the critical role of primary care in strengthening the healthcare system, while reinforcing the need for continuous professional development and cross-sector collaboration. The event was both impactful and forward-looking, reaffirming PPSMMA's commitment to supporting excellence in health.

7. WEBINAR: TRAINING ON CPG FOR GPS ON CPG MANAGEMENT OF GOUT

- On 26th October 2024, PPSMMA successfully organized a high-impact webinar that saw an overwhelming response, with over 500 participants.
- This training webinar aimed to enhance the clinical competency of GPs in diagnosing, treating and managing gout in alignment with the latest CPG. Gout, being one of the most prevalent forms of inflammatory arthritis encountered in primary care, requires timely recognition and proper management to prevent long-term complications.
- The session featured expert speakers who walked participants through key updates in the guidelines, including pharmacological and non-pharmacological strategies, lifestyle modifications, and the importance of long-term follow-up. Interactive Q&A segments further enriched the learning experience, allowing participants to engage directly with the panel.

8. WEBINAR: UNDERSTANDING EPF, EXPLORING PRODUCTS AND SERVICES FOR YOUR FINANCIAL FUTURE

- The webinar was held on 19th December 2024. The session commenced at 8:00 PM. Ms. Mogana Murugan, Deputy Manager, Kwasa Damansara, KWSP, then took the stage as the speaker, sharing her expertise on the various products and services offered by EPF. The event saw the active participation of doctors, who gained valuable insights into managing their financial futures through EPF contributions and retirement planning strategies.

9. WEBINAR: IMPLEMENTATION OF E-INVOICE IN MALAYSIA

- PPSMMA successfully hosted a comprehensive webinar on 23rd February 2025 to address the Implementation of E-Invoice in Malaysia, specifically tailored for General Practitioners and specialists. The session provided vital insights into the new requirements set by Lembaga Hasil Dalam Negeri (LHDN), targeting clinics with an annual revenue exceeding RM150,000.

- Participants were informed that it is mandatory to issue E-Invoices to all patients upon request, regardless of whether they are cash-paying or panel patients. Clinics are also required to consolidate all invoices and submit them to LHDN by the 7th of the following month. Importantly, E-Invoices are not to be issued to TPAs/MCOs, as they act only as intermediaries.
- The session also clarified that if a claim is rejected in subsequent months, clinics must issue a credit note for the month in which the original claim was made. For small, informal service purchases, such as kuih or minor repairs from non-registered service providers, a signed receipt or voucher detailing the provider's identity and service description is required for proper documentation and verification.
- Clinics whose revenue surpasses RM150,000 must begin E-Invoicing two years after the threshold year, with the requirement continuing regardless of future income decline. All queries raised during the session will be compiled and forwarded to LHDN for further clarification. This webinar served as an essential guide for healthcare providers to prepare for compliance and adapt effectively to the digital invoicing system.

10. WEBINAR: TRAINING ON CPG FOR PRIMARY CARE PROVIDERS ON ACNE VULGARIS

- PPSMMA, in collaboration with the Malaysian Health Technology Assessment Section, MOH, successfully organized an online CME session on 8th March 2025.
- The session was moderated by Dr. Azura Mohd Affandi and insightful lectures were given by the doctors who were contributors to the CPG on acne vulgaris. The speakers shared valuable updates on classification, treatment algorithms and referral criteria.
- The event witnessed overwhelming participation with 1,000 attendees joining via Zoom and an additional 2,500 participants streaming live through the MMA Facebook page. This collaborative effort marked a significant step towards enhancing primary care management of dermatological conditions.

11. MMA TEAM BUILDING

- The PPSMMA committee members actively participated in the programme, held from the 18th to the 20th of April 2025 at the scenic Resorts World Langkawi, Kedah. Organized by MMA Kedah, this annual national initiative aimed to foster stronger inter-branch collaboration, leadership synergy, and camaraderie across all MMA sections.
- The event was officially officiated on 19th April by the President of MMA, Dato' Dr. Kalwinder Singh Khaira, and was attended by approximately 50 MMA leaders from across the country. Notably, for the first time in history, every state branch was represented, marking a milestone in national unity and inclusiveness within the Association.
- Participants included representatives from SCHOMOS, PPS, JDN and SMMAMS, all of whom engaged in various structured team-building activities and strategic dialogue sessions. These exercises were designed to improve coordination, enhance leadership capacity, and align future directions for MMA nationwide.
- The successful event was formally concluded on 20th April by PPSMMA Chairman, Dato' Dr. Parmjit Singh, who commended the participants for their spirit of teamwork and reaffirmed the importance of unity in advancing the goals of the medical profession in Malaysia.

12. SEA Healthcare and Pharma Conference

- Dr. Vani represented the MMA as a panelist at the Health Transformation Forum during the event, held on 23rd April 2025 at the Malaysia International Trade and Exhibition Centre. This high-level event brought together key healthcare leaders, stakeholders and professionals from across the region.

- The forum provided an excellent platform to engage in insightful dialogue on the evolving landscape of healthcare, focusing on innovation, sustainability, and system-wide transformation. It also offered valuable opportunities to connect with peers, exchange ideas, and build collaborative networks within the industry.

13. FUTURE SKILLS TALENT COUNCIL BY TALENTCORP MALAYSIA

- Dr. Vani proudly represented MMA at the inaugural meeting of the Future Skills Talent Council. The meeting was held on 22nd April 2025 at Talent Corp's headquarters.
- The council's primary objective is to identify, assess and develop strategic solutions to address talent-related challenges within Malaysia's healthcare sector.
- The inaugural session served as a platform to introduce council members and outline their respective roles and responsibilities. It marked the beginning of collaborative efforts to future-proof the healthcare workforce and align talent development with evolving industry needs.

D. OTHERS

1. BLACK MONDAY CAMPAIGN

- On 9th December 2024, PPS MMA launched the Black Monday campaign, a symbolic and unified protest to spotlight the ongoing struggles faced by General Practitioners (GPs) across Malaysia. GPs were urged to wear black attire at their clinics and share posts on social media to raise awareness and express solidarity for the profession.
- The campaign called for immediate attention to several long-standing and unresolved issues. These included the outdated and unrevised professional fee schedules that have remained stagnant for decades, the total absence of proper regulation and accountability for TPAs and the enforcement of mandatory price display policies. Additionally, the campaign condemned the unchecked rise of unlicensed individuals encroaching on areas of GP practice, posing risks to both patient safety and professional standards.
- This national movement marked a critical turning point, reflecting growing discontent within the GP community. It also served as a call to action directed at the Ministry of Health and relevant stakeholders to address these systemic problems. The campaign went viral on social media, highlighting the collective voice of private practitioners striving for reform, recognition and justice. Black Monday was not just a protest, but a powerful message of unity, resilience, and determination to safeguard the future of primary healthcare in Malaysia.

2. PEACEFUL ASSEMBLY

- On 6th May 2025, a historic peaceful assembly was organized at Dataran Putra, Putrajaya, by the PPSMMA in collaboration with other medical bodies. Themed "Say NO to Act 723 in Private Healthcare", the event saw an unprecedented turnout of over 700 private doctors, including General Practitioners (GPs) and specialists from across Peninsular Malaysia. This marked the first-ever rally by private sector doctors in Malaysian history.

- The objective of the assembly was to protest the imposition of the Price Control and the Anti-Profiteering Act 2011 (Act 723) by the Ministry of Domestic Trade and Cost of Living (KPDN). The gathering culminated in the submission of a joint memorandum by 11 medical associations to the Prime Minister's Office, articulating strong opposition to the application of Act 723 to private healthcare settings.
- While the medical fraternity reiterated their full support for the principle of transparency in medicine pricing, they firmly opposed the enforcement of such regulation under Act 723. The memorandum stressed that any price display mandate should rightly fall under the Ministry of Health (MOH) through the Private Healthcare Facilities & Services Act 1998 (Act 586), which is specifically designed to govern private medical practice.
- Concerns raised included the lack of prior consultation with the affected medical community, as well as the risk of patients basing decisions solely on price rather than clinical advice. The doctors emphasized that Act 586 ensures a more balanced approach to clinical governance, patient safety, and fair pricing; unlike Act 723, which is tailored for trade and profiteering contexts.
- Throughout the gathering, doctors remained united, professional and respectful in their conduct, demonstrating the medical community's commitment to safeguarding both professional standards and patient interests. The peaceful assembly successfully amplified the collective voice of private healthcare practitioners, sending a clear message that reforms affecting clinical practice must be done with engagement and proper legislative alignment.

E. LETTERS TO RELEVANT PARTIES

A total of 46 letters have been sent out to various organizations with regard to issues concerning private doctors.

NO	TITLE	DATE
1.	Inquiry Regarding The Shortage Of Radiographers And Its Impact On Private General Practice	01/10/2024
2.	Request For Update On Meetings Held With Malaysian Medical Association State Branches And Take-Up Rate For Celcomdigi Digital Health Solution Platforms	01/10/2024
3.	Letter to OGSM pertaining to SonographeR	02/10/2024
4.	Request For A Meeting With Health Metrics	15/10/2024
5.	Change Of MMA Representative For Madocs	23/10/2024
6.	Invitation For A Discussion On Issues Faced By Medical Doctors - YB Dr Mohammed Taufiq	23/10/2024
7.	Request For A Meeting With CKAPS, MOH	25/10/2024, 28/01/2025 & 10/02/2025
8.	Request For Meeting With FOMEMA	25/10/2024 & 30/04/2025
9.	Request For A Meeting With the Malaysian Urological Association	25/10/2024
10.	Collaboration Between MMA and EPF	4/12/2024
11.	Request For Review And Increase Of General Practitioners' Consultation Fees	26/12/2024
12.	Request For A Meeting To Discuss Issues On General Practitioners With AIA	08/01/2025
13.	Concerns Regarding Medication Practices And Non-Compliance With Relevant Acts - PMCare	16/01/2025
14.	Request For Virtual Meeting To Discuss Regarding Intra-Articular Injection Services In GP Setting - MOA	16/01/2025
15.	Request For Grant To Support Private General Practitioners With Transition To E-Invoicing	16/01/2025
16.	Request For Reconsideration Of IV Drip Restrictions In GP Clinics	16/01/2025
17.	Permohonan Untuk Pelaksanaan Pemeriksaan Ketat Dan Audit Terhadap Amalan E-Preskripsi	16/01/2025
18.	Letter To WeCare	16/01/2025
19.	Notification Of New MMA Representative For MADOCS	20/01/2025
20.	Notification Of New MMA Representative For MADOCS	20/01/2025
21.	Request For Meeting To Discuss Compliance Requirements For Sdn Bhd GP Clinics	20/01/2025
22.	Webinar On Implementation Of E-Invoicing	20/01/2025
23.	Proposal For Long-Term Medication Dispensing By General Practitioners - Etiqa	20/01/2025
24.	Proposal For Long-Term Medication Dispensing By General Practitioners - PMCare	20/01/2025
25.	Proposal To Increase Consultation Fees For Private General Practitioners – AIA	20/01/2025
26.	Tindakan Susulan Daripada Mesyuarat Antara Persatuan Dan Kementerian Kesihatan Mengenai Isu-Isu Yang Melibatkan Pengamal Perubatan Am	20/01/2025
27.	Request For A Meeting To Discuss Consultation Fees And Recent Circulars	31/01/2025
28.	Request For A Virtual Meeting To Discuss Ophthalmology Services In General Practice Settings	03/02/2025
29.	Letter To College of Otorhinolaryngologists	03/02/2025
30.	Letter To KPDN	20/02/2025
31.	Letter To CUEPACS	20/02/2025
32.	Letter To Consumers' Association Of Penang (CAP)	24/02/2025
33.	Letter To FOMCA	24/02/2025
34.	Follow-Up On Health Screening Initiatives For Heavy Vehicle Drivers – PERKESO	24/02/2025
35.	Letter To Sanofi-Aventis	21/02/2025
36.	Complaint Against Doctor On Call Group For Advertising And Selling Neodeca Eye Drops Online – NPRA	24/02/2025
37.	Permohonan Maklum Lanjut Mengenai Sistem Eswisv2 - Jabatan Alam Sekitar	08/04/2025 & 25/04/2025
38.	Request For A Meeting To Discuss Healthcare Protection And Skim Perubatan Madani	11/03/2025
39.	Letter To Other Medical Associations	30/03/2025
40.	Permohonan Perkhidmatan Rawatan Methadone Di Klinik Swasta – Keperluan Pengesahan Pihak Berkuasa Tempatan Dan Dokumen Sokongan Tambahan - Bahagian Penguatkuasaan Farmasi	30/04/2025
41.	Permohonan Kunjungan Hormat - Bahagian Regulatori Farmasi Negara	30/04/2025
42.	Letter To Other Medical Associations	02/05/2025

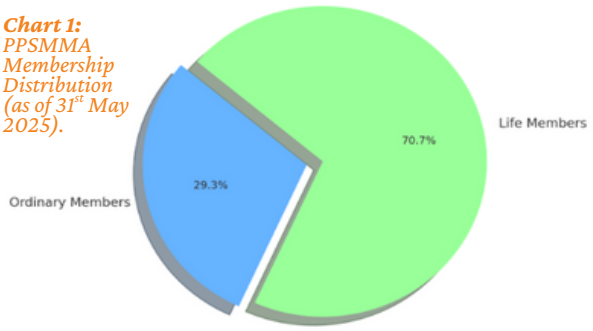
F. MEMBERSHIP

As of 31st May 2025, PPSMMA has a total membership of **9,243.**

Life Members: 6,533 *(70.7%)*
Ordinary Members: 2,710 *(29.3%)*

This strong membership base is not just a number, but reflects the continued support, confidence and trust that private practitioners across the country place in the PPSMMA. It signifies the value members see in the work PPSMMA do, whether it's advocating for better policies, protecting doctors' rights, offering CPD or fostering unity among medical professionals.

Chart 1: PPSMMA Membership Distribution (as of 31st May 2025).



G. SUMMARY OF MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES

NO	DATE	MEETING	VENUE	ATTENDEE
1.	05-09-2024	43rd PPSMMA AGM - Hybrid	Sarawak	Exco
2.	17-09-2024	Webinar: MPOX Unveiled: The New Viral Threat You Need To Know	Zoom	Exco
3.	20-09-2024	Meeting With PERKESO - Discussion Regarding Health Screening Initiatives For Heavy Vehicle Drivers	Zoom	Dato, Dr Eratha, Dr Sri, Dr Vani & Dr Zamani,
4.	22-09-2024	1st PPS Exco Meeting - Physical	MMA House	Exco
5.	23-09-2024	Makluman Penangguhan Dan Tarikh Baru Mesyuarat Jawatankuasa Kecil Pelaksanaan Program Imunisasi Bayi Dan Kanak-Kanak Bagi Tahun 2024	Zoom	Dr Eratha, Dr Sri & Dr Vani
6.	23-09-2024	Annual General Meeting Of Malaysian Employers Federation	Eastin Hotel Kuala Lumpur	Dr Eratha
7.	25-09-2024	Meeting - Invitation To Virtual Meeting With MyCC On TPAs In the Healthcare Sector	Zoom	Dato
8.	26-09-2024	Sesi Taklimat Pengurusan Kes Suspected MPOX In Outpatient Setting	Zoom	Exco
9.	07-10-2024	Malaysia Urban Forum: Professional Roundtable, Invitation As Panel Speaker At The Roundtable	George Town, Penang	Dato
10.	09-10-2024	Meeting With AIA - Dialogue With MMA Representatives	Teams	Exco & State Rep
11.	09-10-2024	Mesyuarat Jawatankuasa Kecil Pendaftaran Managed Care Organization (MCO)	Putrajaya	Dato
12.	10-10-2024	Sesi Libat Urus Bagi Cadangan Pindaan Akta Kemudahan Dan Perkhidmatan Jagaan Kesihatan Swasta 1998	Hybrid	Dr Eratha (Physical) & Dato, Dr Vani (Virtual) &
13.	10-10-2024	CPG Management Of Gout (Second Edition)	Zoom	Dato & Dr Vani
14.	12-10-2024	Doctors Day	MMA House	Exco
15.	12-10-2024	1st SCHOMOS NWC Meeting	MMA House	Dato
16.	13-10-2024	1st PPS NWC Meeting - Physical	MMA House	Exco
17.	16-10-2024	TOPCOM 2024	Mahsa University	Dr Vani
18.	17-10-2024	Permohonan Untuk Mesyuarat Antara Strategic Engagement Group For Health Workforce & Governance	Zoom	Dato
19.	19-10-2024	Primary Care Workshop	Jen Penang, GeorgeTown	Dato
20.	23-10-2024	Anti-Microbial Resistance Meeting	Zoom	Exco
21.	26-10-2024	Meeting With KWSP	MMA House	Exco
22.	26-10-2024	CPG Management Of Gout (Second Edition)	Zoom	Dato & Dr Vani
23.	26-10-2024	Hybrid Special General Meeting	MMA House	Exco
24.	26-10-2024	MMA Melaka Installation Night & Annual Dinner 2024	Swiss Garden Hotel, Melaka	Dato
25.	11-11-2024	Meeting Between PPS and AEOMM	Meeting Room	Exco
26.	14-11-2024	Meeting Between MMA & Bar Council	Meeting Room	Secretary, PPS
27.	15-11-2024	National Essential Medicines List	Bilik Mesyuarat Farmasi	Dato
28.	15-11-2024	Meeting With PERKESO - Discussion Regarding Health Screening Initiatives	Council Room, Zoom, MMA Building	Exco
29.	16-11-2024	1st MMA Exco Meeting	MMA House	Dato
30.	20-11-2024	Kunjungan Hormat Ketua Setiausaha Kesihatan KKM And Meeting With Deputy Health Minister	Bilik Mesyuarat Ketua Setiausaha	Dato
31.	21-11-2024	Mesyuarat Jawatankuasa Teknikal Senarai Ubat Penting Kebangsaan 2024	Bilik Mesyuarat Farmasi	Datuk Dr Arasu
32.	22-11-2024	Meeting Between MMA And Malaysian Oncology Society	Zoom	Exco
33.	27-11-2024	PPS Exco 2024/2025 Discussion	Zoom	Exco
34.	29-11-2024	Discussion On Amicus Curiae For Upcoming Trial Of Illegal Practitioners	Zoom	Dato
35.	05-12-2024	Kunjungan Hormat Dari Persatuan Perubatan Malaysia Ke Pejabat YB Menteri Kesihatan	Pejabat Menteri Kesihatan	Exco
36.	06-12-2024	Meeting With MEF	MMA House, Hybrid	Dato & All Exco
37.	06-12-2024	A Junior Doctors' Guide To Medical Indemnity Insurance	Zoom	Dato
38.	07-12-2024	Meeting With CEO PMCare	MMA House, Hybrid	Exco
39.	07-12-2024	MMA Sarawak 52nd Annual Installation Dinner	Grand Palace Hotel, Miri	Dato
40.	13-12-2024	MMA Kedah's Annual Dinner And Installation Night 2024	Alor Setar, Kedah	Dato
41.	14-12-2024	Healthcare Advocacy Roundtable By SCHOMOS	Zoom	Exco
42.	14-12-2024	MMA Sabah's Branch Annual Dinner And Installation Night	Kota Kinabalu, Sabah	Dato

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NO	DATE	MEETING	VENUE	ATTENDEE
43.	16-12-2024	Meeting With All NWC And GPs	Zoom	Exco & State Rep
44.	19-12-2024	Understanding EPF: Exploring Products And Services For Your Financial	Zoom	Exco
45.	21-12-2024	First SMMAMS Team Of Officials 2024/2025 Physical Meeting	MMA House	Dato
46.	26-12-2024	Discussion On DRG System With Prof. Dato Dr. Syed Mohamed Aljunid	Zoom	Exco
47.	02-01-2025	Mesyuarat Berkaitan Pembangunan Garis Panduan Perkhidmatan Ultrasound Di Klinik Perubatan Swasta	Bilik Mesyuarat CKAPS, Putrajaya	Dr Eratha, Vani & Dr Eng Han
48.	02-01-2025	Perbincangan Kursus Training On Clinical Practice Guidelines For Primary Care Providers	Zoom	Dr Zamani
49.	03-01-2025	Meeting Between PPSMMA And Malaysian Urological Association	MMA House	Dato, Dr Sri & Dr Zamani
50.	03-01-2025	Meeting On National Immunisation Programme By the Private Sector	Zoom	Dr Eratha
51.	03-01-2025	LHDN E-Invoice Implementation Meeting	Menara Hasil, Cyberjaya	Exco
52.	05-01-2025	2nd PPS Exco Meeting - Physical	Amari Spice Hotel, Penang	Exco
53.	10-01-2025	Meeting With AIA To Discuss Issues On General Practitioners	Menara AIA, Jalan Ampang	Exco
54.	11-01-2025	2nd MMA Exco Meeting	MMA House	Dato
55.	12-01-2025	2nd MMA Council Meeting	MMA House	Dato
56.	15-01-2025	Taklimat Rang Undang-Undang Pindaan Akta 342 : Peningkatan Kesiapsiagaan Pencegahan Dan Pengawalan Penyakit Berjangkit	Zoom	Exco
57.	20-01-2025	Meeting With Malaysian Orthopaedic Association	Zoom	Exco
58.	22-01-2025	Meeting With Obstetrical And Gynaecological Society Of Malaysia On Sonographers	Zoom	Exco
59.	24-01-2025	2nd SCHOMOS Exco Meeting 2024/2025	Zoom	Dato
60.	25-01-2025	2nd SCHOMOS NWC Exco Meeting 2024/2025	Zoom	Dato
61.	06-02-2025	Mesyuarat Jawatankuasa Pilihan Khas Kesihatan Parlimen Kelima Belas 2025	Parlimen Malaysia	Dato
62.	14-02-2025	Meeting With CKAPS	MMA House	Exco
63.	15-02-2025	Meeting With Malaysian Society Of Ophthalmology	Zoom	Exco
64.	15-02-2025	Meeting With WeCare Device & Services (M) Sdn Bhd	MMA House, Hybrid	Exco
65.	18-02-2025	Mesyuarat Libat Urus Berkaitan Aspek Perundangan Pemberian Kebenaran Oleh Remaja Bagi Menjalani Saringan Dan Intervensi Kesihatan	Zoom & Bilik Mesyuarat, BPKK, KKM	Exco
66.	23-02-2025	Webinar: Implementation Of E-Invoice In Malaysia (GPs)	Zoom	Exco
67.	23-02-2025	Webinar: Implementation Of E-Invoice In Malaysia (Specialist)	Zoom	Exco
68.	26-02-2025	Discussion On Strategizing Before Sesi Advokasi Bagi Pemaparan Harga Ubat Di Kemudahan Jagaan Kesihatan Swasta Dan Farmasi Komuniti	Zoom	Exco
69.	27-02-2025	Sesi Advokasi Bagi Pemaparan Harga Ubat Di Kemudahan Jagaan Kesihatan Swasta Dan Farmasi Komuniti Bil 1/2025	Auditorium Aras 3, Hotel Zecon, Cheras	Exco
70.	06-03-2025	Meeting With CUEPACS	Wisma CUEPACS, Kuala Lumpur	Dato & Dr Sri
71.	06-03-2025	Mesyuarat MADRAC Ke 193 Secara Hybrid	Bilik Mesyuarat Farmasi	Dato
72.	08-03-2025	CPG Training On Management Of Acne Vulgaris (Webinar)	Zoom	Dato & Dr Zamani
73.	13-03-2025	Discussion On Proposed AI for Clinics Programme Under MPC And PHPN	Teams	Exco
74.	13-03-2025	E-Invoice Implementation Service For GPs (Meeting With Mr Bhupinder)	Zoom	Dato
75.	24-03-2025	Discussion With A Lawyer On Act 723	Zoom	Dato
76.	26-03-2025	Meeting With FOMCA	Petaling Jaya, Selangor	Exco
77.	05-04-2025	Meeting With Other Associations On Price Display	MMA House / Zoom	Dato
78.	11-04-2025	Meeting With Protect Health	MMA House / Zoom	Exco
79.	11-04-2025	Meeting With Sanofi-Aventis (M) Sdn Bhd	MMA House / Zoom	Exco
80.	14-04-2025	Sesi Libat Urus Pelaksanaan Mekanisme Pelaporan Gangguan Dan Pemberhentian Bekalan Ubat-Ubatan	Google Meet	Exco
81.	17-04-2025	Sesi Libat Urus Berhubung Cadangan Pindaan Akta Jualan Dadah 1952	Google Meet	Exco
82.	18-04-2025	MMA Team Building 2025	Resorts World Langkawi	Exco
83.	25-04-2025	Majlis Riuh Raya FOMEMA	Sofitel, KL Damansara	Dr Eratha & Dr Vani
84.	02-05-2025	MMA Exco Meeting - Before Peaceful Assembly	Zoom	Dato
85.	03-05-2025	Meeting With Fomema	MMA House / Zoom	Dato, Dr Eratha, Dr Sri & Dr Eng Han
86.	03-05-2025	Meeting With Other Associations	MMA House / Zoom	Dato, Dr Sri & Dr Eng Han
87.	06-05-2025	Perarakan Aman Untuk Menyerahkan Memorandum Kepada PMX	Pejabat Perdana Menteri	Exco
88.	13-05-2025	Mesyuarat Mengenai Cadangan Pindaan Jadual Ketujuh Peraturan-Peraturan Kemudahan Dan Perkhidmatan Jagaan Kesihatan Swasta	Bilik Mesyuarat Cawangan Perundangan Perubatan, KKM	Dato
89.	16-05-2025	Meeting With AIA	Zoom	Dr Eratha, Dr Zamani & Dr Eng Han
90.	16-05-2025	3rd PPS Exco Meeting - Physical	MMA House / Zoom	Exco
91.	17-05-2025	3rd MMA Exco Meeting	MMA House / Zoom	Dato
92.	17-05-2025	2nd PPS NWC Meeting - Virtual	MMA House / Zoom	Dr Zamani
93.	17-05-2025	Tesla Corporate Program – MMA Exco	Tesla Centre, Cyberjaya	Dato
94.	18-05-2025	3rd MMA Council Meeting	MMA House / Zoom	Dato
95.	30-05-2025	Meeting With MiCare	MiCare HQ	Dr Eratha
96.	31-05-2025	Meeting Between The Constitution And Resolutions Review Committee, PPSMMA And SCHOMOS (Hybrid)	MMA House / Zoom	Dato

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Snapshots of key PPSMMA activities carried out throughout the term.

CONCLUSION

As the 2024/2025 term concludes, PPSMMA has continued to grow in strength, unity, and relevance. Our active engagement with the MOH, TPAs and healthcare stakeholders nationwide has further strengthened our position as a key advocate for private medical practitioners in Malaysia, ensuring their voices are heard and their interests protected.





Group photos captured during the 43rd PPSMMA AGM in Sarawak, featuring the PPSMMA Executive Committee and the National Working Committee (NWC).

This term has seen considerable progress in policy representation, capacity building, and professional development. These achievements were made possible through the dedication of our national leadership, state representatives, and the unwavering support of our members.

Moving forward, PPS MMA remains committed to advancing the interests of private practitioners, addressing systemic challenges, and championing high standards in primary care delivery. Together, let us uphold the values of professionalism, autonomy, and service excellence that define our practice.

Thank you for your continued trust, participation and solidarity.

This report has been compiled based on all meetings and activities, which were organized and attended up to 31st May 2025 only.

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Honorary General Secretary

ACCOUNTS AND PROPOSED BUDGET

28. PRIVATE PRACTITIONERS SECTION (PPS)

	2024 RM	2023 RM
Accommodation	14,131	8,921
Corporate Shirts	2,750	-
Honorarium	300	-
Food and refreshments	1,317	4,383
Gift and souvenirs	25,734	29,400
Grants	13,825	9,400
Legal and professional fees	-	5,905
Meeting allowance	9,400	4,300
Facilitator fees for team building	-	3,130
Printing and stationeries	155	60
Rental of hall	1,389	-
Sales and service tax	111	-
Misscellaneous	52	-
Travelling claims	28,712	18,202
	97,876	83,701
Dermatology Conference		
Accommodation	1,123	-
Medical Equipments	1,802	-
Staff Allowance	1,000	-
Printing	1,515	-
Seminar package	38,040	-
Profit sharing to third party	10,672	
Miscellaneous	2	-
Travelling	1,074	-
	55,228	-
Less: Registration and sponsorship received	(65,900)	-
	(10,672)	-
Occupational Health Seminar		
Accommodation	479	-
Bank charges	455	-
Meeting allowance	800	-
Staff and moderators allowance	1,100	-
Honorarium	4,000	-
Printing	2,597	-
Seminar package	42,480	-
Profit sharing to third party	7,887	-
Registration fees refund	700	-
Travelling	723	-
	61,221	-
Less: Registration fees received	(63,257)	-
Sponsorship received	(6,000)	-
	(8,036)	-

28. PRIVATE PRACTITIONERS SECTION (PPS) (CONT'D)

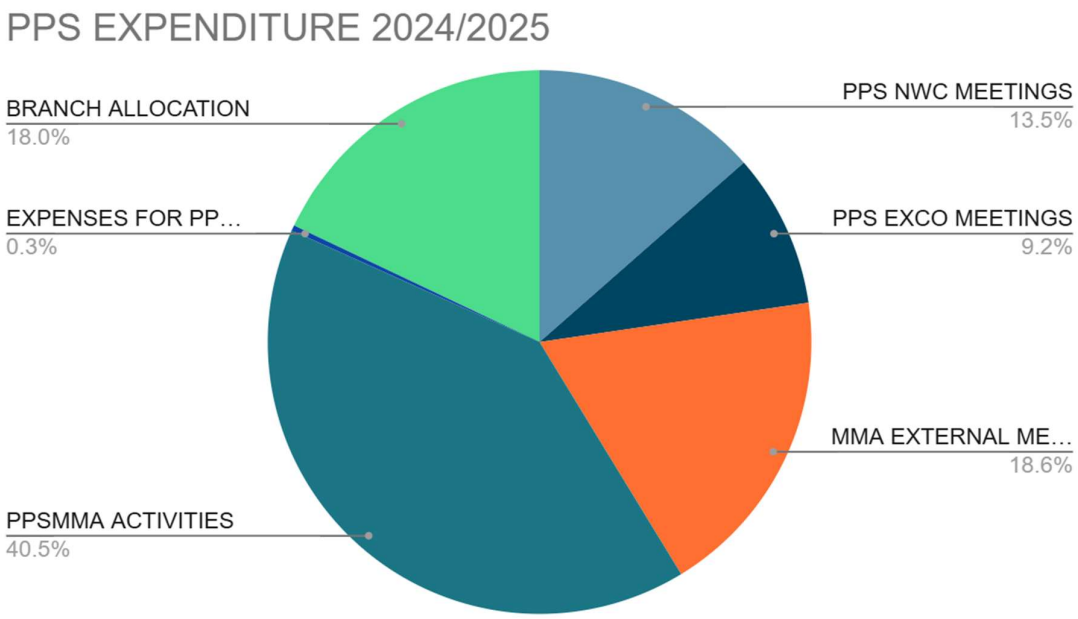
Team Building Expenditure		
Accommodation	5,365	-
Food and refreshment	2,500	-
Professional fees	12,028	-
Sales and service tax	722	-
Seminar package	6,750	-
Stationary and printing	75	-
Travelling	8,641	-
	36,081	-
Bowling Tournament Expenditure		
Food and refreshment	182	-
Gift and souvenirs	178	-
Printing	60	-
Registration fees refund	100	-
Rental of room	1,038	-
	1,558	-
Less: Registration fees received	(150)	-
	1,408	-
	116,657	83,701

PPS MMA TREASURER REPORT TERM 2024/2025

(OCTOBER 2024 - SEPTEMBER 2025)

I am honored to present the PPS MMA Treasurer's Report for the 2024/2025 term. Thanks to careful financial oversight and thoughtful planning, PPS MMA remains financially stable and well-positioned to fulfill its mission. Our continued focus on responsible management has ensured that we can effectively support the organization's goals and long-term sustainability.

Activities	Budget October 2024-September 2025	Actual Expenditure October 2024-September 2025	Variance
PPS NWC MEETINGS (2 MEETINGS ANNUALLY)	RM 27,750.00	RM 15,075.59	RM 12,674.41
PPS EXCO MEETINGS (4 TIMES ANNUALLY)	RM 10,983.00	RM 10,201.96	RM 781.04
GIFT FOR PPSMMA AGM	RM 6,000.00	NIL	RM 6,000.00
MMA EXTERNAL MEETINGS	RM 12,908.10	RM 20,711.43	RM 7,803.33 (-)
PPSMMA FORUM/WORKSHOP/WEBINAR/CONFERENCE/ TEAM BUILDING	RM 50,506.90	RM 45,072.97	RM 5,433.93
EXPENSES FOR PPS ISSUES (LEGAL AND OTHER MATTERS)	RM 352.00	RM 352.00	-
TRAVEL & ACCOMODATION (AGM 2025/2026) FOR PPS EXCO	RM 13,500.00	-	RM 13,500.00
BRANCH ALLOCATION	RM 28,000.00	RM 20,000.00	RM 8,000.00
TOTAL	**RM 150,000.00**	**RM 111,413.95**	**RM 38,586.05**



Pie Chart 1: PPSMMA EXPENDITURE BREAKDOWN TERM 2024/2025

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PROPOSED PPSMMA BUDGET FOR 1 OCTOBER 2025 - 30 SEPTEMBER 2026

		RM	RM	RM	TOTAL (RM)
1	**PPS NWC MEETINGS - 2 Times a Year, 1 Physical & 1 Virtual**				
	a) Travelling claim for PPS NWC representatives in every state (To & Fro)				
	1. PPS Representative, Johor	700.00	700.00 X 1	700.00	
	2. PPS Representative, Kedah	900.00	900.00 X 1	900.00	
	3. PPS Representative, Kelantan	900.00	900.00 X 1	900.00	
	4. PPS Representative, Melaka	300.00	300.00 X 1	300.00	
	5. PPS Representative, N.Sembilan	100.00	100.00 x 1	100.00	
	6. PPS Representative, Pahang	300.00	300.00 X 1	300.00	
	7. PPS Representative, Penang	800.00	800.00 X 1	800.00	
	8. PPS Representative, Perak	400.00	400.00 X 1	400.00	
	9. PPS Representative, Perlis	900.00	900.00 X 1	900.00	
	10. PPS Representative, Sabah	1,200.00	1,200.00 X 1	1,200.00	
	11. PPS Representative, Sarawak	1,200.00	1,200.00 X 1	1,200.00	
	12. PPS Representative, Terrengganu	900.00	900.00 X 1	900.00	
	13. PPS Representative, Selangor	100.00	100.00 X 1	100.00	
	14. PPS Representative, WPKL	100.00	100.00 X 1	100.00	
	b) Travelling claim for 6 PPS Exco members (To & Fro)				
	*** All 6 PPS Exco members for the term 2025/2026 are yet to be elected.*	5,000.00	5,000.00 X 1	5,000.00	
	c) Meeting allowance	100.00	100.00 X 20 X 2	4,000.00	
	d) Food & Refreshments - Breakfast and Lunch	500.00	25.00 X 20	500.00	
	e) Accommodation	550.00	550.00 X 15 X 1	8,250.00	
	f) Hotel meeting package - For meeting held outside MMA House	180.00	180.00 X 15	2,700.00	
					29,250.00
2	**EXCO MEETINGS - 4 Times a Year, 2 Physical & 2 Virtual**				
	a) Travelling Claim (To & Fro)				
	*** All 6 PPS Exco members for 2025/2026 are yet to be elected.*	5,000.00	5,000.00 X 2	10,000.00	
	b) Meeting Allowance	100.00	100.00 X 6 X 4	2,400.00	
	c) Accomodation - *Assuming 4 Outstation Members*	550.00	550.00 X 4 X 2	4,400.00	
	d) Food & Refreshments	200.00	200.00 x 2	400.00	
					17,200.00
3	**PPS SUBCOMMITTEE MEETING (SPECIALIST SECTION) - Approximate 4 Meetings**				
	a) Travelling Claim (To & Fro)	2,000.00	2,000.00 X 4	8,000.00	
	b) Food & Refreshments - Breakfast and Lunch	150.00	150.00 X 4	600.00	
	c) Accomodation	550.00	550.00 X 4	2,200.00	
					10,800.00

4	**GIFTS FOR PPS MMA AGM**				
	Gifts & Souvenirs for PPS members in PPS MMA AGM			10,000.00	
					10,000.00
5	**PPSMMA EXTERNAL MEETINGS**				
	a) Travelling Claim - for PPS Exco / NWC attending meeting outside MMA House	900.00	900.00 X 4 X 2	7,200.00	
	b) Miscellaneous - Business Card / Food and Refreshments	100.00	100.00 X 8	800.00	
					8,000.00
6	**PPS MMA WORKSHOP / WEBINAR / CONFERENCE / TEAM BUILDING**				
	a) Hotel Expenses - Meeting Package & Trainer Expenses	310.00	310.00 X 100	31,000.00	
	b) Accomodation - for PPS Exco & NWC members	550.00	550.00 X 20	11,000.00	
	c) Travelling Expenses - PPS Exco & NWC members	500.00	500.00 X 20	10,000.00	
	d) Souvenir - for Speakers	100.00	100.00 X 6	600.00	
	e) Certificates & Handout Printing	5.00	5.00 X 100	500.00	
	f) Miscellaneous	300.00	300.00 X 1	300.00	
					53,400.00
7	**EXPENSES FOR PPS ISSUES - Legal & Other Matters**				
	a) Expenses for PPS issues	3,600.00	3600.00 X 1	3,600.00	
					3,600.00
8	**TRAVEL & ACCOMMODATION - AGM 2025/2026 for PPS EXCO**				
	a) Travelling Claim (To & Fro)				
	*** All 5 PPS Exco members for the term 2025/2026 are yet to be elected.*	900.00	900.00 X 5	4,500.00	
	*** PPS Chairman expenses will fall under the Main Exco*				
	b) Accommodation	550.00	550.00 X 5 X 3	8,250.00	
					12,750.00
9	**BRANCH ALLOCATION - 14 Branch**				
	a) Physical and Online Event	2,500.00	2,500.00 X 14	35,000.00	
					35,000.00
GRAND TOTAL					**180,000.00**

OUTGOING PPSMMA
STATE REPRESENTATIVES (NWC)
2024/2025

OUTGOING PPSMMA STATE REPRESENTATIVE (NWC) FOR 2024-2025

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NO	NAME	STATE
1	DR PRABHA @ SHANTI A/P SUBRAMANIAM	JOHOR
2	DR KEVIN RAJ A/L SELVARAJAH	KEDAH
3	DR MOHD RAHIMIE SAYUTTI	KELANTAN
4	DR JEFFRI TEH BIN FAIZAL	MELAKA
5	DR SITI ROKIAH BINTI KAMARUDIN	NEGERI SEMBILAN
6	DR PREM KUMAR S/O GOPAKUMARAN NAIR	PAHANG
7	DR MATHIARASU A/L YOGANATHAN	PERAK
8	DR CHEW SHI WEI	PERLIS
9	DR KANTHAN MURUGIAH	PENANG
10	DR MOY CHUN KEAT	SABAH
11	DR LIEW SHAN FAP	SARAWAK
12	DR SELVAMUTHU A/L SELLAMUTHU	SELANGOR
13	DATO DR SYED MOHAMMAD SALLEH BIN SYED YUSOF ALZAWAWI	TERENGGANU
14	DR MANOHAR S/O BENDIAH @ BALLU	W. PERSEKUTUAN

INCOMING PPSMMA
STATE REPRESENTATIVES (NWC)
2025/2026

INCOMING PPSMMA STATE REPRESENTATIVE (NWC) FOR 2025-2026

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NO	NAME	STATE
1	DR A. SELVARAJOO A/L S. ANDRUM	JOHOR
2	DR VIVEHAPRIYAN A/L THIRUGNANAM	KEDAH
3	DR MOHD RAHIMIE SAYUTTI	KELANTAN
4	DR BRYAN KEK KIT HUN	MELAKA
5	DR ANDREW SOLAMADAN	NEGERI SEMBILAN
6	DR PREM KUMAR S/O GOPAKUMARAN NAIR	PAHANG
7	DR MATHIARASU A/L YOGANATHAN	PERAK
8	DR NURUL FARHANA BINTI OTHMAN	PERLIS
9	DR JAMES RAUO DEVADAS	PENANG
10	DR MOY CHUN KEAT	SABAH
11	DR LIEW SHAN FAP	SARAWAK
12	DR RISHI VARMA	SELANGOR
13	DR NFIZREE BIN MOHD NORDIN	TERENGGANU
14	DR RUKESWARAN A/L GANESAN	W. PERSEKUTUAN