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“Public Health Strategy to Cope with the Aging Society – Taiwan’s Experience on A 10-Year Long-Term-Care Plan”

To be presented by

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Thursday, October 20, 2016

6:00 – 6:20 PM – Networking; Pizza/drink

6:20 – 8:45 PM – Program

8:45 – 9:00 PM – Door-prizes drawing; Networking

Online Registration site: <http://www.asq509.org/ht/d/DoSurvey/i/35817>

Open to Public –

\$5: non-ASQ members to cover pizza/drink cost;

Free: ASQ members, veterans, senior citizens, past speakers, US PHS

Commissioned Corp officers, teachers, students, interns, residents, postdocs, FDA Commissioner’s Fellows, MJ-DC members, NTUAADC members, CAPA members, NTMUADC members, CKUAADC members, NTHUAADC members, CCACC volunteers/employees, FAPAC members, CBA members, AAGEN members, NCARSQA members, OCA-DC members, AAMB members, ACAP members, DC Leaders Club members, BioTrain volunteers, and current job-seekers

Location: Kelly’s Deli Conference Center, 7529 Standish Place, Rockville (Derwood, for GPS users), MD 20855

Registration Deadline: Please register by Thursday noon, October 20, 2016.

Question: Please contact Dr. C.J. George Chang, Chair of Biomed/Biotech SIG, ASQ509; gchang2008@yahoo.com or 240-793-8425 (cell).

Driving directions: **By Cars:** From I-270 (N or S bound): Take Exit 9A and exit from the FIRST right exit; turn left (east) onto Shady Grove Dr.; turn right (south) onto Rockville Pike (**Route 355**); turn left (east) onto East Gude Dr.; turn left (north) immediately onto Crabb’s Branch Dr.; turn left (west) immediately onto Standish Place. The first building on your right side is 7519 Standish Place; open parking). The venue is on the first floor of 7529 Building with its external entrance opposite to the left side of 7519 building main entrance. **By Metro trains:** Off from Red Line **Shady Grove Station**, and take RideOn **Route 59 TOWARD ROCKVILLE** and get off from “**Calhoun Place**” stop. Standish Place is next to the Bus stop. Our venue is within 2 min of walking distance from the stop.

Summary

Surge of baby-boomer population in Taiwan, ROC (Taiwan), though more than a decade later than in the US, is creating tremendous socio-economical stress due to its fast-pace demographic shift and slow policy updates. Close to 20% of aging citizens in some localities are being noted and more are coming. The medical system will be grossly inadequate if Taiwan continues to follow traditional model of home-cared aging by families, and resources from both the private and public sectors are thus needed to face the upcoming challenges.

A new Long-Term-Care Plan has been on drafting board for years after its initial version, and the Long-Term-Care Version 1.0 has been completed. Version 2.0 will be launched and have the following 5 focuses: 1. to expand population coverage; 2. to expand Services Items from 8 to 17; 3. to formalize Service Centers; 4. to implement Packaged Reimbursement; and 5. Streamlining Process. Another essence of this Long-Term-Care 2.0 is to deliver the comprehensive community service. The Comprehensive community service is classified into three levels: Flagship (Institutional), Specialty, and Retail Levels. This is to fulfill elements of the Long-Term Care network throughout urban and rural communities in Taiwan.

This presentation is focused on the background, strategy, plan, progress, achievements, and challenges of this 10-year Long-Term-Care Plan implemented for the aging society in Taiwan.

Speaker's Bio: Daniel Dau-Yaung Lu, MD



Dr. Daniel Dau-Yaung Lu is currently the **director** for health division at Taipei Economic and Cultural Representative Office in the US (TECRO) since July 2016. Dr. Lu is a **certified Pediatrician** in Taiwan, amassed over 10 year of domestic and international public health experiences to face various health issues today.

As a **pediatrician** to Taiwan Medical Mission to Malawi of Africa in 2003, Dr. Lu developed keen insight towards the essence of public health: children, infectious diseases, and the underprivileged. Followed up as Taiwan Department of Health's representative to Africa (**health attaché**, 2006~2010), he conducted a successful HIV/ART IT project with US CDC in Malawi (since 2006 and ongoing) and collaborated with US CDC for Rift Valley Fever in Kenya (2007-2008). Dr. Lu co-founded the Taiwan International Health Action (Taiwan IHA) in 2006, a strategic international health working office linking various health-focused agencies in Taiwan. Served as **director** of Pingtung City Public Health Center for year 2012, he was recommended by the former Minister for Health, Dr. Wen-Ta Chiu and headed Taitung County Public Health Bureau from 2013 till 2015.

Dr. Lu was educated in Taiwan, Singapore, Canada, US, and Philippines, and was enabled to communicate inter-culturally with much ease, enhancing his professional capacity tremendously. His work has been well demonstrated with internally displaced household by Pinatubo volcano eruption (1990~1995), during his posts in Africa (2003~2006), and as a **county public health director general** in a multi-ethnic setting (2013~2015). He also serves as **comptroller** of the board of the Planned Parenthood Association of Taiwan (台灣婦幼協會) since 2014.

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