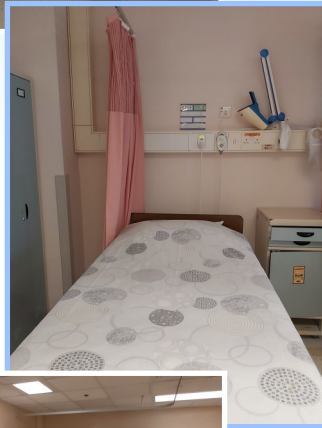




Subsidized Ward



Treatment Room

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 - ※ Sung Wong Toi: Exit B1, about 5-10 minutes walk
- East Rail Line
 - ※ Mongkok East: about 5 minutes by taxi
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聖德肋撒醫院



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Subsidized Ward Introduction

St. Teresa's Hospital currently provides 104 low-charge beds pursuant to the conditions of government land grant. Normally, the permitted length of stay is up to 7 days. This is to allow better bed turn-over thus more patients can enjoy this benefit. The beds are not intended for patients requiring long term nursing care.

Who can be admitted to Subsidized Ward?

- * Patients undergoing elective investigation or treatment, including general medical and surgical treatment.
- * "Day case" patients with genuine need for hospital beds **limiting to**:
 - a. Haemodialysis
 - b. Operative or interventional procedures performed under sedation / anaesthesia (excluding no anaesthesia or local anaesthesia)
- * Must be permanent resident of Hong Kong SAR holding a valid Hong Kong Permanent Identity Card .

Patients listed below are not eligible for admission :

- Those requiring emergency or acute medical care.
- Patient's conditions requiring special / acute care and monitoring, and single room accommodation.
- Treatment contravening the teaching of the Catholic Church.
- Minor patients.

Charges:

- a. There is a fixed daily maintenance charge of HK\$300, which covers accommodation, three meals, and general services including nursing (i.e. an initial patient assessment, taking and recording vital signs, and ongoing monitoring according to the patient's condition; receiving and implementing doctors' orders: administering standard oral medications, coordinating examination appointments, and subsequently following up on the resulting reports; routine patient communication, care coordination, and provide timely assistance.)
- b. For day case, the daily maintenance charge is HK\$250, which includes one basic meal.
- c. Some expensive investigative / therapeutic / radiological services, drugs, implants, facilities, and services are not owned by the Hospital and they are provided in the form of consignment. To avoid doubt, low-charge bed patients will be charged at hospital cost for these items and services .
- d. Apart from (a), (b) and (c) above, the patient will be charged at 50% of the charge applying to the Hospital's second class bed.
- e. If upon or after admission, patient is required to be transferred to isolation ward or special care unit, then all Hospital charges incurred in isolation ward or special care unit will be charged as that particular bed class.
- f. If upon or after admission, the patient requests transfer to a bed of another class, then all the hospital charges and doctor's fees applicable to the latter class will be applied from the point of transfer.

Terms and Conditions for Admission

- If, during patient's stay in the low charge ward, he/she requires emergency/acute medical care or if patient's condition becomes beyond the ward's ability to manage, the Hospital may have absolute discretion to transfer the patient to another ward within the Hospital or to another hospital under the Hospital Authority where the benefit of low charge bed will not apply.
- Low-charge beds cater primarily for patients with financial needs, e.g. those without or with insufficient medical insurance coverage. If the ward is full, priority will be given to these patients who may be subject to financial / insurance coverage screening.
- Prior to admission into a low-charge bed, the admitting doctor (*Resident Medical Officer of St. Teresa's Hospital or Registered Visiting Doctors of St. Teresa's Hospital*) and patient will be required to confirm in writing that they agree to the terms set out above. Such terms may be varied in writing by the Hospital from time to time without notice.
- The Hospital may at its absolute discretion determine whether or not to allow admission of a particular patient into a low-charge bed.

Note:

- * All admission to the subsidized ward are required an admission letter submitted by the doctor-in-charge to Admission Department of the hospital for an appointment .
- * Please call Out Patient Department for consultation booking at 22003102 or to consult your doctor-in-charge (*Resident Medical Officer of St. Teresa's Hospital or Registered Visiting Doctors of St. Teresa's Hospital*) during consultation.