

More than 90 dentists and staff from Q & M Dental Group volunteer to administer swab tests at various factory converted foreign workers dormitories and government quarantine facilities



SINGAPORE, 27 April 2020 – More than 90 dentists and staff from Mainboard-listed Q & M Dental Group (Singapore) Limited ("Q & M") have volunteered to administer swab tests to residents of various factory converted foreign worker dormitories and government quarantine facilities. The team was first deployed on 23 April 2020, led by Drs Mohan, Alvin Lee, and Yao Chao Shu, amongst many others.

Q & M started sourcing for volunteers when the number of confirmed cases within the foreign workers community started rising at an alarming rate. It later got in touch with the Ministry of Health such that its pool of volunteers could be deployed to sites where they were most needed.

The dentists will be assisted by auxiliary staff from Q & M's pool of clinical staff while administering the swab tests. Samples from the swab tests will be sent to government-appointed labs for analysis.

The volunteers work in shifts daily, starting at 9am each day. They are equipped with N99 masks and other protective gear throughout their shifts in order to curb possible spreading of the virus.

Said Dr Ng Chin Siau, Q & M's Group Chief Executive Officer, "As a homegrown business, we believe it is part of our responsibility to assist the country in pandemic times like this. More importantly, as a healthcare group, we are well-positioned to provide the resources, capabilities, and skill sets necessary to contend with a pandemic such as Covid-19. It is thus even more crucial that we step up and lend a hand to both Singaporeans and those who have left their home countries to contribute to ours."

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About Q & M Dental Group (Singapore) Limited (QC7.SI)

Q & M Dental Group (Singapore) Limited ("Q & M" or together with its subsidiaries, the "Group") [QC7.SI] is a leading private dental healthcare group in Asia. The Group owns the largest network of private dental outlets in Singapore and aims to expand its operations geographically and vertically through the value chain in Malaysia, the People's Republic of China ("PRC") and within ASEAN. Established in 1996, Q & M has built a brand that is synonymous with accessible and quality dental healthcare.

The Group operates 114 dental outlets, 5 medical clinics and 3 dental supplies and equipment distribution companies across Singapore, Malaysia and the PRC. Underpinned by more than 230 experienced dentists and close to 400 supporting staff, the Group has an outreach of more than 600,000 patients in Singapore.

With an extensive network of outlets spanning various locations in Singapore, the Group continues to make private dental healthcare easily accessible as it continues to expand its

operations through organic growth across the island. Additionally, outside of Singapore, the Group also continues to grow its presence in Malaysia organically.

In addition to providing general and specialised dental and medical care, the Group has also expanded into postgraduate education with the establishment of the Q & M College of Dentistry in 2019. It offers Singapore's first private postgraduate diploma programme in clinical dentistry.

The Group has also made inroads into the development of advanced technology in healthcare with the establishment of EM2AI Pte. Ltd. ("EM2AI", formerly known as Q & M Dental AI Pte. Ltd.) in 2018. Since its inception, EM2AI has been focused on developing AI-engine powered solutions in diagnosis and treatment planning.

The Group was listed on the Mainboard of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited ("SGX-ST") on 26 November 2009.

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