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ASIAN HEALTHCARE SPECIALISTS LIMITED

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## **Introducing A New Orthopaedic Surgeon to Asian Healthcare Specialists**

**SINGAPORE, 4 January 2019 – Asian Healthcare Specialists Limited (“Asian Healthcare Specialists”, together with its subsidiaries, “Group”)** (SGX: 1J3.SI; Bloomberg quote: AHSP:SP), a medical services group primarily engaged in the provision of a wide spectrum of general and subspecialised orthopaedic, trauma and sports services such as knee/hip replacements, sports medicine/surgery, spine surgery, foot/ankle surgery and minimally invasive orthopaedic procedures, complemented with an anaesthesia arm and a physiotherapy practice, is pleased to announce and welcome our new orthopaedic surgeon, Dr Tan Sok Chuen, who has joined our Group’s Hip and Knee Service today.

The Group's Executive Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Dr Chin Pak Lin said, “Asian Healthcare Specialists was founded with a vision to bring healthcare professionals with similar mindset together to provide safe and quality healthcare to the current and future patients. With Dr Tan Sok Chuen, we have a total of 7 medical specialists and 1 physiotherapist to continue our tradition of providing highly sub-specialised medical services to the people we are privileged to serve.”

### **Dr Tan Sok Chuen's Profile**

Prior to leaving for private practice, Dr Tan Sok Chuen was a Consultant in the Hip and Knee Service of the Department of Orthopaedic Surgery, Ng Teng Fong General Hospital. She was also the Core Clinical Faculty Member for Postgraduate Year One Teaching Program.

Dr Tan obtained her basic medical degree from the National University of Singapore in 2004. She subsequently pursued her post-graduate training in Orthopaedic Surgery and obtained her fellowship from the Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh. Sub-specialising in hip and knee surgery, Dr Tan completed her clinical fellowship in Hip & Knee Surgery at Nuffield Orthopaedic Centre, Oxford, United Kingdom in 2016.

As a firm believer of training the younger Doctors, Dr Tan holds the position of Adjunct Assistant Professor in the Clinical Faculty for Medical Undergraduate Teaching Program. Throughout her practice, she was the Advanced Trauma Life Support Instructor in 2013, table instructor for Direct Anterior Hip Cadaveric Course of London Health Sciences Centre in 2015, faculty and speaker for Residency Basic Knee and Hip Cadaveric Course. Thus, she was the Chief Convenor for Joint Specialty Fellowship Examination for Orthopaedics 2018.

Dr Tan has contributed extensively to the scientific literature of hip and knee arthroplasty. She has also had numerous presentations accepted at various local and international scientific meetings.

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## About Asian Healthcare Specialists Limited

Asian Healthcare Specialists comprises an experienced group of specialists who provide a wide spectrum of general and subspecialised orthopaedic, trauma and sports services such as knee/hip replacements, sports medicine/surgery, spine surgery, foot/ankle surgery and minimally invasive orthopaedic procedures. Asian Healthcare Specialists also has an anaesthesia arm and a physiotherapy practice.

Asian Healthcare Specialists Limited and its subsidiaries (collectively, the “**Group**”) currently have 6 senior and experienced orthopaedic medical specialists operating at 4 clinics under “The Orthopaedic Centre” brand at convenient and accessible locations across Singapore. Each of its medical specialists are subspecialists in specific areas of orthopaedic, trauma and sports medicine, ranging from specialities in spine (neck and back), shoulder, elbow, hip, knee and foot and ankle. The Group’s core business is supplemented by specialist anaesthetic capabilities as well as an in-house physiotherapy practice.

The Group aims to be a one-stop integrated healthcare provider for all musculoskeletal-related medical care, including post-surgery rehabilitation services such as physiotherapy and ancillary services such as pain management.

Common medical problems treated by the Group include fractures, torn ligaments, compressed nerves, “slipped discs”, arthritis-related ailments, accident/incident related traumas and sports injuries.

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