



ELECTIONS 2026

Public Health Committee

The committee consists of six members and a member of the CDO/DPH Section

Member	1 st term	2 nd term if re-elected	Chairman Term	Eligibility in 2026	Vacancy in 2026 Yes/No
Prof. Chun-hung Chu (Chair)	2021 - 2024	2024 - 2027	2024 - 2027	N/A	NO
Prof. Simona Dianišková (Vice-chair)	2024 - 2027			N/A	NO
Assist. Prof. Elizabeth Shick	2023 - 2026			YES	YES
Prof. Youn-Hee Choi	2024 - 2027			N/A	NO
Dr Louisa Nokukhanya Makwakwa	2024 - 2027			N/A	NO
Prof. Islam Tarek Abbas Hassan	2024 - 2027			N/A	NO
Dr James Taylor	2022 - 2025	2025 - 2028	N/A	N/A	NO

There is one vacancy in the Public Health Committee.

(A member of the Chief Dental Officers/Dental Public Health Section is nominated by the Section, and the appointment is confirmed by Council.)

- In 2021 - three members were elected by the General Assembly and three members by Council (rotation started with the General Assembly election).
- In 2022 - A new member of the Chief Dental Officers/Dental Public Health Section (Dr James Taylor) was appointed.
- In 2023 - one member was elected to the Council, resulting in a vacancy that was subsequently filled through Council elections in December 2023.
- In 2024 - three members were elected by the General Assembly and two members by the Council (rotation started with the General Assembly election).
- In 2025 - Chief Dental Officers/Dental Public Health Section Chair was re-elected to his second term.
- In 2026 – one member to be elected by the General Assembly. (The rotation is starting with the General Assembly election due to Council election of one additional seat at the end of 2023.)