

CEPA

Sectors or sub-sectors	1. Business services
	A. Professional services
	h. Medical and dental services (CPC9312)
Specific commitments	<p>1. The majority of medical personnel employed by Macao-Mainland joint venture hospitals or clinics can be Macao permanent residents.</p> <p>2. The maximum duration of the licence to provide short-term medical, dental and Chinese medicine services in Mainland is 3 years for practitioners who are legally eligible to practise in the Macao Special Administrative Region. On expiry, the licence for short term practice is renewable.</p> <p>3. To allow Macao permanent residents in possession of a medical (traditional Chinese medicine and dental) higher degree from a full-time tertiary institution approved by the Education Administration Department of the Mainland State Council to sit the Mainland's medical qualification examination after they have become legally eligible to practise in Macao for over 1 year. They may also sit the Mainland's medical qualification examination after they have completed 1 year of internship in the Mainland and passed an assessment in accordance with the relevant requirements. A "medical (traditional Chinese medicine) practitioner's qualification certificate" of the Mainland will be issued to those who pass the examination.</p> <p>4. To allow Macao permanent residents who have acquired a Chinese medicine degree from the Macao University of Science and Technology and are legally eligible to practise in Macao to sit the Mainland's qualification examination on the condition that they have completed 1 year's internship in a third-level traditional Chinese medicine hospital in the Mainland and have passed the performance test; or that they have been practising in Macao for more than 1 year. A "medical (traditional Chinese medicine) practitioner's qualification certificate" of the Mainland will be issued to those who pass the examination.</p> <p>5. The categories of medical qualifications that Macao permanent residents may apply to sit are clinical medicine, traditional Chinese medicine and dental medicine.</p>

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<p>Specific commitments</p>	<p>1. Macao permanent residents who are legally eligible to practise western medicine, dentistry and Chinese medicine in the Macao Special Administrative Region are not required to sit the Mainland’s qualification examinations for the purpose of short-term practice in the Mainland.</p> <p>2. To allow Macao permanent residents who are legally eligible to practise western medicine, dentistry in Macao and have practised for 1 completed year to sit the Mainland’s qualification examinations (excluding Chinese medicine practitioners). A “Medical Practitioner’s Qualification Certificate” of the Mainland will be issued to those who pass the examination.</p> <p>3. To allow Macao permanent residents who are legally eligible to practise in Macao and have practised for 5 completed years to open clinics in the Mainland on the condition that they have obtained the Mainland’s “Medical Practitioner’s Qualification Certificate” (medicine practitioner). Matters relating to the application for opening and registration of clinics in the Mainland should be handled in accordance with Mainland regulations.</p>

Supplement IV to CEPA

Sectors or sub-sectors	1. Business services
	A. Professional services
	h. Medical and dental services (CPC9312)
Specific commitments	<p>1. The requirement on total investment for Macao service suppliers to set up medical institutions in the Mainland, on equity joint venture or contractual joint venture basis, will be lowered from not less than RMB 20 million to not less than RMB 10 million.</p> <p>2. To allow Macao services suppliers who have obtained the Mainland’s “Medical Practitioner’s Qualification Certificate” to set up individual medical clinics in the Mainland in accordance with the criteria stipulated for establishing individual clinics by Mainland medical practitioners.¹</p>

¹ Should be approved by provincial health administrative departments.

Supplement V to CEPA

Sectors or sub-sectors	1. Business services
	A. Professional services
	h. Medical and dental services (CPC9312)
Specific commitments	<p>1. To allow Macao service suppliers to set up wholly-owned outpatient clinics in the Guangdong Province.²</p> <p>2. There is no restriction on the ratio of capital investment between the Mainland and Macao partners for the equity joint venture or contractual joint venture outpatient clinics set up by Macao service suppliers in the Guangdong Province.</p> <p>3. There is no requirement on the total amount of capital investment for Macao service suppliers who set up wholly-owned, equity joint venture or contractual joint venture outpatient clinics in the Guangdong Province.</p> <p>4. The provincial health administrative department of the Guangdong Province is responsible for the proposal establishment and approval procedures for setting up wholly-owned, equity joint venture or contractual joint venture outpatient clinics by Macao service suppliers in the Guangdong Province.</p> <p>5. To allow qualified Macao permanent residents with Chinese citizenship to apply for and obtain “Medical Practitioner’s Qualification Certificates” of the Mainland through accreditation.³</p>

² Should be complied with the requirements on setting up outpatient clinics in the Mainland.

³ Details of implementation measures to be promulgated by the Ministry of Health.

Supplement VI to CEPA

Sectors or sub-sectors	1. Business services
	A. Professional services
	h. Medical and dental services (CPC9312) Pharmaceutical services
Specific commitments	<p>1. To allow Macao permanent residents who have possessed Macao pharmacist practicing licenses and fulfill the “Provisional Requirements on the Qualifications of Licensed Pharmacists” (the Ministry of Personnel [1999] No. 34) to sit the Mainland Licensed Pharmacist Qualification Examination. A “Licensed Pharmacist Qualification Certificate” will be issued to those who have passed the examination.</p> <p>2. To allow Macao permanent residents who have possessed Macao pharmacist practicing licenses to proceed with registration in accordance with the “Provisional Administrative Measures on Registration of Licensed Pharmacists” (State Food and Drug Administration [2000] No. 156), as well as other related documents, after they have been granted the Mainland “Licensed Pharmacist Qualification Certificate”.</p> <p>3. To allow the shareholding ratio of Macao service suppliers in the equity or contractual joint-venture medical institutes set up in the Mainland not exceeding 70%.⁴</p>

⁴ The establishment of equity or contractual joint-venture outpatient clinics by Macao service suppliers in Guangdong province should be handled in accordance with the Supplement V to “CEPA”.

Supplement VII to CEPA

Sectors or sub-sectors	1. Business services
	A. Professional services
	h. Medical and dental services (CPC9312) j. Services provided by midwives, nurses, physiotherapists and para-medical personnel (CPC93191) Pharmaceutical services
	8. Health related and social services
	A. Hospital services B. Other human health services
	Hospital services (CPC9311) Convalescent hospital services
Specific commitments	<p>1. To allow Macao service suppliers to establish wholly-owned hospitals in Shanghai Municipality, Chongqing Municipality, Guangdong Province, Fujian Province and Hainan Province.^①</p> <p>2. No requirement is imposed on the total investment in setting up hospitals by Macao service suppliers on an equity joint-venture or contractual joint-venture basis in Guangdong Province.</p> <p>3. No restriction is imposed on the ratio of capital investment between Macao service suppliers and Mainland partners in setting up hospitals in the form of equity joint venture or contractual joint venture in Shanghai Municipality, Chongqing Municipality, Guangdong Province, Fujian Province and Hainan Province.</p> <p>4. To allow Macao statutory medical professionals^② to provide short-term services in the Mainland. The maximum duration of the license for short-term practice is 3 years. On expiry, the license for short-term practice is renewable upon a new application.</p>

^① Subject to the Mainland's requirements on setting up of wholly-owned hospitals by foreign investment.

^② Macao statutory medical professionals include 12 types of staff, namely, Doctors, Doctors of Chinese Medicine, Chinese Herbalists, Dentists, Odontologists, Pharmacists, Pharmacy Technical Assistants, Nurses, Therapists, Masseurs, Acupuncturists, Diagnostic and Therapeutic Technicians, etc.

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	<p>5. The health administrative department at the provincial level of Guangdong Province is responsible for the project establishment and approval procedures for setting up medical institutions by Macao service suppliers on an equity joint venture or contractual joint venture basis in Guangdong Province.</p> <p>6. To allow Macao service suppliers to set up convalescent hospitals on wholly-owned, equity joint-venture or contractual joint-venture basis to provide medical services in Guangdong Province.^①</p>
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^① Subject to the Mainland's requirements as stipulated in the "Regulations on the Administration of Medical Institutions" and the "Rules of Implementation for the Regulations on the Administration of Medical Institutions".