



**Memorandum Of Understanding
Between
Chiang Mai University, Thailand
And
Kunming Medical University, P.R.China**

In order to encourage closer academic ties, Chiang Mai University and Kunming Medical University enter into an agreement of cooperation to establish programs of exchange and collaboration in areas of interest and benefit to both institutions. This MOU will serve as a general framework for cooperation between the two universities and is intended to facilitate discussions of more specific programs of collaboration. In particular, the two universities agree to jointly develop the following activities:

1. Exchange of faculty members
2. Exchange of students
3. Joint research activities
4. Joint academic activities such as joint conference or seminar
5. Joint educational programs
6. Exchange of academic materials
7. Training of Faculty members

The implementation of exchange based on this MOU shall be separately negotiated and determined by both institutions.

A designated person at each institution shall oversee and facilitate implementation of this MOU in cooperation with other appropriate administrators at the respective institutions.

The scope of activities under this MOU shall be determined by the funds regularly available at both institutions for the type of collaboration undertaken and by such other financial assistance as may be obtained by either institution.

The present Memorandum comes into effect from the date of its signature by **THE**

PARTIES and will remain valid for the period of 5 (five) years. Either institution wishing to terminate this MOU shall notify the other institution in writing at least six (6) months prior to termination. Such notification shall not affect the status of students who have already been accepted for programs initiated prior to the termination of this MOU. Any decision to renew or renegotiate the terms of this MOU shall be made on the basis of consultations between the two institutions.

This MOU is written in English, and each university shall keep one copy.

Chiang Mai University

Kunming Medical University

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Initial Proposal on the establishment of The Greater Mekong Subregion Medical Education and Service Alliance

In order to build a multilateral platform for exchanges and cooperation between Kunming Medical University and the universities and health institutions in the countries in the Greater Mekong Subregion, to further promote cooperation in the field of student exchange, talent cultivation, teacher team building, scientific research, and social service, and to jointly address the new challenges of medical education and health care, which would make great contribution to the improvement of higher medical education and health services in universities both in China and countries in the Greater Mekong Subregion and to the development of global health, we would like to initiate to establish a non-profit and regional medical universities and health institutions consortium, namely The Greater Mekong Subregion Medical Education and Service Alliance in accordance with the principles of voluntary, equality, cooperation, and mutual benefit, and to carry out the following activities within the framework of laws and regulations in China and countries in the Greater Mekong Subregion:

1. The Alliance regularly holds academic forums to conduct dialogues and exchanges on hot topics in medical higher education and health services in China and the Greater Mekong Subregion, enhance exchanges and cooperation among members of the alliance, and share useful experiences in construction and development.
2. To strengthen the cooperation in the training of health professional talents, and jointly carry out the training of urgently need talents.

3. To strengthen exchanges and cooperation between teachers and staff, encourage and support teachers to teach and guide students across the country and universities, to jointly carry out long-term and short-term teacher training programme.
4. To strengthen academic exchanges and scientific research cooperation through encouraging and supporting teachers and researchers, applying for international scientific research projects, jointly carrying out international scientific research cooperation projects and jointly holding various high-level academic conferences on medical education and health services.
5. To jointly establish an international medical and health service exchange and cooperation platform, and to jointly propose solutions to regional and global public health issues, to establish a multidisciplinary open think tank to provide support for regional medical education and medical and health development.
6. To promote mutual exchanges and cooperation between young students, and create more student exchange platforms with characteristics.

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