

# Social Prescribing

*A dialogue for evidence-informed policy-making*

**18 November 2024**  
**Monday, Online**  
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**Social prescribing** is a means of connecting patients to non-clinical services in the community for improving their health and well-being. With the growing need in Singapore to support people with both their health and social care needs, the **NUS Centre for Research in Health Systems Performance (CRIHSP)** is organizing this **Policy Dialogue** to examine social prescribing as an enhancement to care delivery which builds on the evidence that addressing social determinants of health such as socioeconomic status, social inclusion, housing, and education is key to improving health outcomes.

**Prof Nick Goodwin** will take us through the international evidence behind social prescribing and share lessons for successful implementation. **Dr Linus Chua** will share on NUHS' efforts to facilitate social prescribing in primary care. This will be followed by a panel discussion chaired by **Dr Laurie Goldsmith** and with panelists **Prof Jose M Valderas** and **A/P Jason Yap** and with involvement and deliberation with the audience and participants.

## Registration link:

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Registration closes on **17 November 2024**

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