

**Panel on Welfare Services****List of follow-up actions**  
(position as at 9 May 2025)

<b>Subject</b>	<b>Date of meeting</b>	<b>Follow-up action required</b>	<b>Administration's response</b>
1. Cash welfare for the elderly	11 July 2022	The Administration was requested to provide the report on the review of HKMC Annuity Plan.	Response awaited
2. Drug management in residential care homes for the elderly	14 October 2024	The Administration was requested to provide a written response on whether the scope of the Hospital Authority's medical outreach services and the community pharmacy programme would be extended to cover elderly singletons.	Response awaited
3. Latest development of the dedicated fund	10 February 2025	The Administration was requested to provide a written response on the content of the staff training projects which had been approved and commenced.	The Administration's response was issued to members vide LC Paper No. CB(1)664/2025(01) on 22 April 2025.
4. Extension of the "District Services and Community Care Teams - Scheme on Supporting Elderly and Carers" to 18 districts across the territory	17 March 2025	The Administration was requested to follow up and provide a written response on the following issues:  (a) the effectiveness of the mental health support training (including Mental Health First Aid training) provided by the Health Bureau for the Care Teams;  (b) the organizational structure, strategic direction and clear positioning of the Care Teams for illustrating their mode of operation and planning targets;	Response awaited

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		<p>(c) clarification of the legal position and regulatory scope of the Care Teams to ensure their operations complied with relevant statutory requirements, including whether they were subject to the regulations of the Personal Data (Privacy) Ordinance (Cap. 486), the Ombudsman Ordinance (Cap. 397) and the Prevention of Bribery Ordinance (Cap. 201);</p> <p>(d) the strategy, plan and timetable for setting up the Carer Database and the connection to the relevant database of government service users; and</p> <p>(e) the number of needy elderly persons or carers identified and assisted by frontline property management personnel under the Support for Carers Project.</p>	
5. Progress update on targeted poverty alleviation measures	14 April 2025	The Administration was requested to provide the latest data on Hong Kong's Gini coefficient to reflect the actual situation of disparity between the rich and the poor and to review the effectiveness of the poverty alleviation policies.	The Administration's response was issued to members vide LC Paper No. CB(1)810/2025(01) on 9 May 2025.