

## 提名團體 香港新域會

黃衛群先生於一九七九年證實頭骨生骨癌，癌細胞擴散引致身體殘障，黃先生憑著堅毅不屈的意志，二十多年一直與癌細胞對抗。從事消防及水喉工程工作的黃先生因病情惡化而被迫退休，一九九二年加入病人互助組織再生會，亦開始他至今十三年的義工服務。黃先生為了讓病友互相交換資訊、抗病心得及分享經驗，用僅有積蓄自購傳真機，傳真資料到傳媒及與癌症病友分享及作出輔導。

為表揚長期病患者克服困境的堅毅精神，透過他們的經歷鼓舞其他長期病患者、其家人及在生活上遭遇失敗或挫折人士，並加深社會人士對他們的認受性，遂於一九九五年策劃及創辦「十大再生勇士選舉」。

黃先生現時致力為多個自助組織，包括香港新域會、泰山公德會、路向四肢傷殘人士協會、病人互助組織聯盟及全球華人癌症支援網絡等，提供網站維護、設計、更新、編寫網頁及電腦技術支援，讓殘疾及長期病患者能掌握最新資訊和電腦應用。

此外，黃先生亦關注青少年自殺問題的日益嚴重，他經常以個人積極生命見證到學校分享，以鼓勵學生珍惜健康及生命。

黃先生志願是為長期病患者達成「夢想」，打開生命之門，讓他們在病況穩定下有旅遊的機會，這個被黃先生名為「新生命之旅」的計劃，期望聯繫二十多個屬會動員參與，團結大家，發揮義工力量，令世界更多真善美。

## 香港傑出義工獎得獎者 Winner of the Hong Kong Volunteer Award



黃衛群先生  
Mr WONG Wai Kwan

## Nominator The New Horizon Club of Hong Kong

Mr WONG Wai-kwan was diagnosed as having bone cancer in the cranium in 1979. He became physically handicapped due to the spread of cancer cells. Mr WONG has fought cancer with great fortitude for over 20 years. In the past, Mr WONG used to engage in the businesses of fire safety and drainage works, but was forced to retire as his health condition deteriorated. Mr WONG joined the Regeneration Society, a mutual help organizations in 1992 and started his volunteer service since then. Till now, he has over 13 years of experience in volunteering. In order to create a platform for the patients to exchange information and to share experience in combating diseases, Mr WONG spent his meagre savings to purchase a fax machine to send information to the media and cancer patients for counseling and sharing experience.

Mr WONG initiated and established the Hong Kong 10 Outstanding Warriors of Regeneration Award in 1995. The aim is to pay tribute to the chronically ill for showing perseverance in overcoming their difficulties; to use their experience to encourage other chronically ill patients, their families, and others who are suffering from failure and frustration in life; as well as to gain public recognition for their endurance.

Mr WONG is currently dedicating himself to numerous mutual help organizations, such as the New Horizon Club of Hong Kong, the Taishan Charitable Association, the Direction Association for the Handicapped, the Alliance for Patients' Mutual Help Organizations and website: [www.chinesecancersupport.org](http://www.chinesecancersupport.org), etc, offering assistance in website maintenance, design, updating, creation and technical support. This helps facilitate the disabled and the chronically ill patients to access the latest information and to familiarize themselves with the application of IT equipments.

Mr WONG is also concerned about the surge in youth suicide. He often visits schools to encourage students to value their lives and health by sharing his own story.

With an aspiration wish to make the "dream" of the chronically ill come true, Mr WONG intends to provide a chance for the patients to travel if their health condition permits. The Scheme, named "Tour of the new life" by Mr WONG, is expected to co-ordinate more than 20 member associations for a concerted effort towards a better world.

