## Report by HA on suspected serious adverse event with history of COVID-19 vaccination within 14 days

(As of 4pm, May 6, 2021 in past 24 hours)

According to the information provided by the HA, the case involved a 46-year-old man. According to his family member, he was a smoker with history of hypertension. He complained of chest pain on May 4 but had not sought medical advice. Then he was found unconscious at home in the evening of May 5. He was admitted to Mui Wo General Out-patient Clinic but passed away after failure in resuscitation. According to information, he had received the second dose of Comirnaty COVID-19 vaccination at a community vaccination centre 8 days (i.e. April 27) prior to his death. There was no record that the man complained of feeling unwell during observation at the vaccination centre.

According to the background information provided by HA, between April 5 and May 2, 2021, there were about 470 deaths recorded at the HA's Accident and Emergency Department (A&ED) (on average about 17 deaths per day), and among these cases about 60 were aged 40 to 59. The state of death records at the A&ED is provided as a cross reference to enhance fuller public understanding of cases of the kind recorded on vaccine recipients.