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## **Union Medical Healthcare Limited Goes Live with SAP S/4HANA as its Digital Core to Enhance Financial Management and Create Business Insight**

**HONG KONG, June 1, 2016** – SAP today announced that Union Medical Healthcare Limited (UMH) is now using the [SAP S/4HANA Finance](#) solution to digitize and simplify its finance and accounting processes across its operations in the Greater China region. With the cloud-based integrated business management platform, UMH has real-time visibility into its financial and point-of-sale (POS) information, resulting in a significant optimization of its month-end reporting cycle and providing the foundation to support global business expansion.

As a HK-listed aesthetic medical service provider, UMH operates 19 aesthetic medical centres, aesthetic surgery clinics and beauty service centres in Hong Kong, Macau and Guangzhou and plans to expand its market footprint through organic growth and acquisitions. By transforming its digital core with SAP S/4HANA, UMH targets to improve business processes, boost operational efficiency, and streamline the workflow of generating reports for regulatory compliance purposes.

UMH utilizes SAP S/4HANA to build an enterprise-wide standardized platform to automate the processes of financial accounting (FI) posting and enable data integration with the POS system. UMH can gain high visibility and strong control on the company's financial and operations information, and greatly reduce the involved human effort in the reconciliation process. This also makes month-end clearing much faster and more efficient. The new platform also helps UMH increase the accuracy of financial reporting and enable more efficient information gathering for timely analysis and informed decision making.

The advanced technologies offer greater competitive advantages to enterprises; therefore UMH put lots of resources on technology implementation across different business segments from the first day we set up the company. UMH is proud of our success in completing the implementation of SAP S/4HANA Finance in just five months and upgrading our existing financial and accounting systems into a more comprehensive and well-developed platform.

“Advanced technology offers a great competitive advantage to enterprises. At UMH, we put a lot of resources in advancing our technology innovation at different business segments since day one of our inception. We are proud of completing the implementation of SAP S/4HANA Finance in just five months and upgrading our existing financial and accounting systems into a more comprehensive and well-developed platform. After detailed evaluation of several enterprise-grade software, we chose SAP for its excellence in digital technology with a wide range of business functionalities,” said Mr TANG Chi Fai, Chairman, UMH. “Implementing SAP S/4HANA is just the beginning of our digital transformation journey. We see SAP as our strategic partner to

help us reimagine our business processes and business models in the digital economy and expect to continue our collaboration for years to come.”

SAP S/4HANA allows customers to align their choice of delivery – whether on-premise or in the cloud – with the needs of their business. With the support from Xynergy Business Solutions, an SAP partner, the new digital solution is deployed on the Amazon Web Services (AWS) cloud. UMH is able to achieve faster time to value for the implementation project and benefit from the flexibility and cost effectiveness offered by the cloud infrastructure. UMH expected that the new platform will contribute to a substantial saving in TCO. Xynergy Business Solutions has also helped UMH to leverage SAP S/4HANA Customer Care Program for rapid deployment and trouble shooting. The program offers designated personnel and support resources from the SAP development team to share best practices for implementing SAP S/4HANA.

“SAP S/4HANA is the digital core at the heart of every live business that is immediate, intelligent and integrated. As the next generation business suite, SAP S/4HANA creates unique opportunities for enterprises to reinvent business models and make fact-based business decision in the moment,” said Mark Gibbs, Global Senior Vice President, SAP SE and President, SAP Greater China. “We are very excited to help UMH drive unprecedented business value and accelerate their business transformation.”

Launched in February 2015, SAP S/4HANA is one of the fastest-growing products in SAP's history. More than 240 organizations in Greater China are now using the next-generation business suite to drive their digital transformation strategy. SAP S/4HANA allows enterprises to go beyond traditional transactions and drive end-to-end digitized processes based on a single source of information from planning, execution and prediction to simulation and analysis, all in real time with one system. SAP S/4HANA is built on the SAP HANA platform and designed with the modern SAP Fiori user experience.

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