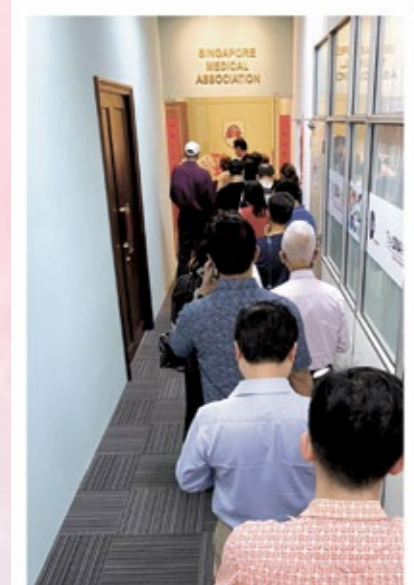


Support and FOR OUR HCWs

SMA played its part in the growing COVID-19 crisis in its own way! To help front line healthcare workers, SMA procured N95 and surgical masks for sale to Members to ensure they are sufficiently equipped to handle any potential cases. A few weeks later, in collaboration with the Temasek Foundation, SMA was mobilised again to assist with dispensing hand sanitiser for registered medical/dental clinics as well as SMA Members.



The large crowd of HCWs purchasing masks



The queue extended all the way outside the SMA secretariat office!



The hand sanitiser distribution setup at the outdoor parapet near the SMF carpark entrance



Topping up hand sanitiser for dispensing



Prepping and mixing the hand sanitiser

Appreciation

In collaboration with the National Gallery Singapore, SMA invited members of the public to show support for front line healthcare workers (HCWs). Words of encouragement or artwork could be submitted under the hashtag #SGArtforHCW on Instagram. We've collected some of these heartwarming pieces below for our readers. ◀



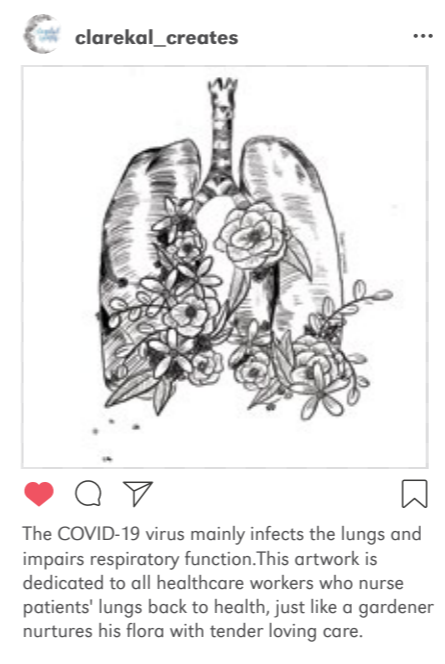
Life is all about balance. Be there for others, but never leave yourself behind. You can't pour from an empty cup. Remember to take care of yourself =)



When I think of heroes, the Marvel Avengers come to mind. I did a series of how these heroes actually won't be effective in COVID-19, as tribute to our real-life frontline healthcare heroes.



This was inspired after I had a training session at work to learn how to don the Powered Air Purifying Respirator. Drew this as encouragement to frontline colleagues and friends. Everyone has a part to play in the fight against COVID-19.



The COVID-19 virus mainly infects the lungs and impairs respiratory function. This artwork is dedicated to all healthcare workers who nurse patients' lungs back to health, just like a gardener nurtures his flora with tender loving care.



Dandelions are known for healing properties, and ladybugs rid gardens of pests. Like the ladybug clinging to the dandelion, I pray healthcare workers would cling on to hope in the storm, and infected patients to cling on to healing and not let go.



Moved by the endless toils of our healthcare workers. If only everyone saw it this way. To share and band together to help rather than to hoard and hate.