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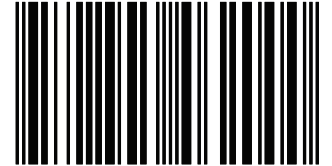
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# KPT PRIHATIN MADANI (KRIS) MOBILE CLINIC LORRY LAUNCHED TO STRENGTHEN COMMUNITY HEALTHCARE OUTREACH

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A symbolic key handover ceremony for a specially converted lorry functioning as a mobile clinic was held on 27 January 2026, marking a significant milestone in strengthening community healthcare outreach programmes led by the Hospital Al-Sultan Abdullah (HASA), Universiti Teknologi MARA (UiTM). The key handover was officiated by the Minister of Higher Education, Dato' Seri Diraja Dr Zambry Abd Kadir, to the Vice Chancellor of UiTM, Prof. Datuk Ts. Dr. Shahrin Sahib, with the attendance of the Deputy Director of Clinical Services, HASA, Professor Dr. Ahmad Izuanuddin Ismail, the Dean of the Faculty of Medicine, Professor Dr Fazah Akhtar Hanapiah and the hospital management.

The mobile clinic is designed to support a wide range of community-based healthcare activities, including basic medical consultations, health screenings,



**DATO' SERI DIRAJA DR. ZAMBRY ABD KADIR** with the EV Motorcycle.

preventive care, and health education programmes. It will also play a vital role in supporting UiTM's community outreach initiatives by serving as a hands-on clinical services delivery, training and engagement platform for healthcare professionals and students, while simultaneously benefiting the community.

The mobile clinic was first conceptualised and spearheaded by Dr. Izzat Ismail



**THE** honourable guests entering the mobile clinic.



**DATO' SERI DIRAJA DR. ZAMBRY ABD KADIR** signing the plaque inside the mobile clinic.

and Dato' Dr. Khalid Ibrahim, the previous and current Deputy Director of Professional and Operations of HASA, with support from the hospital management team. The mobile clinic represents more than just a vehicle—it symbolises a commitment to inclusive healthcare delivery and the strengthening of partnerships between higher education institutions and healthcare providers. By integrating academic expertise with clinical services, the initiative aims to enhance health awareness, early detection of illnesses, and overall community health services. During the ceremony, two electric (EV) motorcycles were also handed over. The motorcycles will aid in reaching areas where the



**THE** symbolic key handover ceremony.

lorry cannot access, such as small village roads, and would facilitate home visits.

HASA and UiTM expressed their appreciation to the Ministry of Higher Education for the Minister of Higher Education (KPT) Prihatin Madani (KRIS) grant, which made the project possible, reflecting the government's continued commitment to advancing community well-being through

strategic collaborations. The total cost amounts to approximately RM498,500, covering vehicle conversion and medical fittings.

With the launch of this mobile clinic, both institutions reaffirm their dedication to sustainable, people-centred healthcare solutions that align with national aspirations for equitable access to health services and community empowerment.