## UMS takes third place in Dengue-Free Public University 2018 Competition

PETALING JAYA: Universiti Malaysia Sabah (UMS) has emerged as the third-place winner in the Dengue-Free Public University 2018 Competition, here recently.

With its theme "ASEAN Communities Combating Dengue", the competition was participated by 20 public universities from all over the country in conjunction with ASEAN Dengue Day celebration.

Their effort earned UMS, RM2,000 in prize money which was presented by Health Minister Dr. Haji Dzulkefly Ahmad.

Meanwhile, the Dean of Medical and Health Sciences Faculty (FPSK) UMS, Prof. Dr. Mohammad Saffree Jeffree said the success was the result of close collaboration between UMS management and students.

"This is an acknowledgment towards all efforts undertaken. At the same time, this recognition will surely inject motivation towards all UMS staff and students to strive harder in order to achieve higher levels of excellence in the future, he said, representing the



Dr. Mohammad Saffree with the mock cheque won by UMS.

Vice-Chancellor of UMS. In the programme, the first and second place was respectively won by University Utara Malaysia (UUM) and Universiti Teknologi Mara (UiTM). – By JASON JACK EBIT