


## **CODE URGES DUMPING MAIN TOILET DOORS**

 WE REFER to the letter, "Keep H1N1 virus at bay, do away with toilet doors" (*my paper*, June 18).

We would like to highlight that the National Environment Agency and the Restroom Association (Singapore) encourage premises owners to follow the Code of Practice on Environmental Health, which recommends doing away with the main entrances of public toilets when upgrading facilities.

The code also recommends that washbasins be sited outside toilets.

In many upgraded hawker centres, we have already done away with main doors to toilets and separated wet and dry areas.

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