





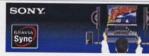
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Datuk Dr Sheikh Muszaphar Shukor with the centre's general manager Nur Shereen Dzulkiflee (centre) and Dr Nor Ashikin Mokhtar, surveying cervical screening instruments.



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