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### Summary

- 1. "We had 38 donations last year. 38 donors."
- 2. "We have had 10 to 20 donations so far (this year)."
- 3. "Now the transplant organ allocation and distribution are all assigned by a computer system. It is automatic allocation, not artificially controlled. It is not divided among organ transplant hospital or different Red Cross Societies. It is a national organ distribution system."

### Phone Investigation Recording

Investigator: Hi, teacher, hello! Can you hear me?

Red Cross: Yes.

Investigator: Hi, I am calling from another province. Is that the Red Cross, the office for organ donation at Ningbo Red Cross?

Red Cross: Yes, it is.

Investigator: Ah, great! We are, I am from a hospital, um~ I think, I would like to ask you a question, that is, patients on our side may want to go to Ningbo to do kidney transplants! I would like to know about the hospital.

Red Cross: For what? Doing what?

Investigator: Kidney transplant for kidney replacement, kidney replacement.

Red Cross: Um~ Then he needs to go to the hospital to queue up for registration.

Investigator: I just want to ask, if you have organ donations in Ningbo, isn't it the case now that you need donated organs to replace the kidneys?

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Red Cross: Yes.

Investigator: Then do you have organ donations here in Ningbo?

Red Cross: Yes!

Investigator: Um~ So you, I read some information online that you did have a few donations last year, right? Several donated organs, right?

Red Cross: We had 38 donations last year. 38 donors. Um, they were evaluated. Before the organ donation took place, there was a specialized organ donation expert, who would evaluate whether the person met the organ donation criteria, and whether he could donate his organs. These need to be evaluated. After the evaluation, this person could go through the relevant procedures for organ donation and then start the donation process. There is a line for this.

Investigator: If it is ok, we will only go to line up, if it makes sense!

Red Cross: Well, are you going for kidney transplants or liver transplants?

Investigator: Kidney transplants.

Red Cross: For kidney transplants, you should call the organ transplant department of the Ningbo Yinzhou No. 2 Hospital.

Investigator: Can you give me the phone number?

Red Cross: We don't have that hospital's phone number.

Investigator: How many donations did you have here this year?

Red Cross: We have had 10 to 20 donations so far.

Investigator: Oh, 10 to 20 donations! I should go to the organ transplant department of the Ningbo Yinzhou No. 2 Hospital, when it's the right time?

Red Cross: Yes, you can inquire there.

Investigator: So when they receive patients there, in other words, our patient doesn't have to go through you? He can go to the hospital directly, and the hospital will contact you for the organ, right?

Red Cross: Organ donation, now the transplant organ allocation and distribution are all assigned by a computer system. The system has several criteria, and some are allocated according to how critical the patients' conditions are. In addition, it considers how long the patient has been in the queue. It is automatic allocation, not artificially controlled. It is not divided among organ transplant hospital or different Red Cross Societies. It is a national organ distribution system, which is a computer system in charge of allocating organs.

Investigator: Well.

Red Cross: It is like that.

Investigator: If the organs are distributed by the national (computer) system, then the organs donated in Ningbo could end up in other provinces?

Red Cross: In general, that wouldn't happen. Because we are in short supply of organs in Ningbo now! After all, you have only 20 or 30 cases, and there are several hundred people lining up in Ningbo. Under normal circumstances, they will not be allocated outside of our province.

Investigator: Well, so there is a local priority?

Red Cross: Locally registered people have the priority.

Investigator: Could you give me the doctors' phone number of the organ transplant department of the Ningbo Yinzhou No. 2 Hospital?

Red Cross: I don't have it. I just told you, you can call 114 to ask.

Investigator: You rarely contact them?

Red Cross: We do not have any connections with their organ transplant department. Investigator: I see, you do not have any connections with that organ transplant department.

Red Cross: Because for organ transplant, we are only responsible for the donation part. We don't have contact with the organ transplant part, we do not need to have any contact. Investigator: Well, okay, okay. Thank you! I will ask hospital then. Thanks, bye!