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A Liver Transplant Ward Doctor at the Third Hospital of Hebei Medical University

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Summary

1. “We have done a lot (of liver transplants).”
2. In 2017, the hospital has done nearly 100 cases.
3. “The number of cases that we did, it is quite OK. Up to the national level, we would still be ok (in comparison with other hospitals).”
4. (When the investigator asked about the organ quality) “You are asking so many questions. About this thing, I can’t answer you.”
5. For liver transplants, one needs to contact Director Cao.

Phone Investigation Recording

Investigator: Hi, hello. Is that the...

Nurse: Hello.

Investigator: Is that the Third Hospital of Hebei Medical University?

Nurse: Yes.

Investigator: Hi, greetings.

Nurse: Yes.

Investigator: Hello, hello, I am, I am from Handan City, and I want to ask if you are still doing liver transplants?

Nurse: Yes, we are still doing them.

Investigator: You are still doing them. Because that...how many people are waiting in line now? To do liver transplants?

Nurse: We’re doing them. Ah, yes. Oh, I don’t know, yeah, this is something the doctors do.

Investigator: Is it so? This year...

Nurse: Do you want to have a liver transplant done?

Investigator: Yes, let me tell you, I live in Handan City, but for me, right now...the family member, who needs a liver transplant, is living abroad. he wants to come back to do this. Later I asked our local doctor in the municipal hospital of Handan. He said, “You don’t want to go far, while you can get it done locally. In Hebei, the Third of Hebei Medical University does a good job, and they do a lot of these cases. If you go to Beijing, which is

far, and it is not convenient. So I called you instead. If you have done a lot of these cases, then I will ask him to go to our Third Hospital to do it.

Nurse: Ah, ah, ah, um.

Investigator: This year, how is the liver translation situation...

Nurse: Wait a minute, wait a minute, can I ask the doctor to answer the phone for you? I am not quite clear about this area.

Investigator: Oh... that's fine, thank you.

Nurse: You wait for a couple of minutes; I will call him, um um um.

Investigator: Hey, good, good, good, thank you.

(1:21~2:27 The nurse went to get the doctor.)

Doctor: Hi, hello.

Investigator: Hello, are you a doctor?

Doctor: Hello!

Investigator: Hello, hello.

Doctor: What's the issue? You can tell me.

Investigator: Oh, I am here in Handan.

Doctor: Hello~?

Investigator: Hey, I am here from Handan City. I have a family member, who wants to have a liver transplant done.

Doctor: I cannot hear you clearly, what's the matter?

Investigator: Yes, because I am calling you from Europe, because my family member lives in Europe, and he wants to go back and do the liver transplant. Later the doctor of our Handan city hospital told me about your hospital. He told us not to go to the big places like the Union Hospital in Beijing. He said, "Just go to the Third Hospital of Hebei Medical University and they also do a good job there. Also they do a lot of cases." So I made this call. I want to ask, if we would return, how long is the wait time, before he can get the operation done?

Doctor: You listen to me, because the first question is, do you know now... now... What time it is in Beijing?

Investigator: I know, right now the Beijing time may be eight o'clock. At where I am there, there's a time zone difference of six hours (from Beijing). It is over two o'clock here, so it's eight o'clock over there...

Doctor: It is at night.

Investigator: It is 8 o'clock in the evening for you?

Doctor: It is the night time.

Investigator: Yes, your time is 8:47 in the evening. Here, it is in the afternoon... my time is 2:47 pm.

Doctor: Right.

Investigator: Six hours of time difference right now. Our time zone difference is six hours.

Doctor: Because the details, you listen to me, you... what questions do you want to ask? You ask in simple terms.

Investigator: Are there a lot of people waiting?

Doctor: Many.

Investigator: So it is many. If I would go back, how long is the wait time? Can it be done before the end of the year?

Doctor: This is hard to say, this is not easy to say, I... I can't answer your question, um.

Investigator: Not good..., yes, then let's say now, oh... I heard from the doctor in my city hospital that our number of liver transplants ranks among the highest in the whole county. Would you say that there were a lot of cases of liver transplantation? Now?

Doctor: Well, we have done a lot. Done a lot. You can do this, you can ask your family member to come here, he can directly ask... directly ask these questions, right! And you ask me? I can't answer many of your questions!

Investigator: How many cases do you do? If you only do a few cases each year, then I would not feel comfortable, since I would feel unsure about how many years the wait would be.

Doctor: We have done a lot here, we have done a lot here!

Investigator: I mean this year, not the previous years. I meant to ask how many cases you have done this year? Up to 100?

Doctor: Not 100 yet.

Investigator: Not there, about how many... If there are dozens of cases this year, then it is not a small number.

Doctor: It is not a small number.

Investigator: Yes, here I also have another question, that is to say, if there is such a thing in the future... They say that the organs are all donated. Any old men? From older people? Will it be...that... or...

Doctor: Uh huh... You are asking so many questions. About this thing, I can't answer you, you can do this way, you~ you tomorrow, you can ask the people, who are in charge of this. Is that ok?

Investigator: Oh, the person in charge? Which doctor?

Doctor: You can contact Director Cao.

Investigator: Cao, his last name is Cao.

Doctor: Director Cao. you don't need to call first. If you do this, you can go through another path. Ask your family members to drop by to take a look and ask some questions.

Investigator: I have someone from my family to go over there.

Doctor: It that good or not?

Investigator: Right now I am in charge of things, go there....go there to take a look....since it is for my children, so I wouldwant to be able to ...to find out more about what is roughly going on.

Doctor: There are a lot of things involved ~

Investigator: Ok, go ahead

Doctor: I tell you that this Third Hospital of Hebei Medical University is qualified for doing liver transplants.

Investigation: Oh.

Doctor: And the, the number of cases that we did, it is quite OK.

Investigation: Oh.

Doctor: Do you know? Up to the national level, we would still be ok (in comparison with other hospitals), do you know? I can only tell you this, do you know?

Investigator: Yes, our city hospital doctor has already told me that your hospital had done a lot of cases. You don't want to tell me how many cases, but I am still confident in my mind. Oh, oh, just like what the city hospital doctors said you are ~

Doctor: You don't have to ask me these questions. I don't know. I don't have the statistics on these things. I am only one doctor in the third Hospital. Just one of the doctors, is it OK? Call again tomorrow.

Investigator: Ok, ok, ok.

Doctor: is that OK?

Investigator: Thank you! Very good.

Doctor: Oh... no problem... you are welcome.