

追查迫害法輪功國際組織 (追查國際)

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Summary

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4. “We’ve done nearly over 100 cases this year.”
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7. (Investigator: That is, there is recently also a kind of situation, in which the patient is seriously ill and dying, such as being braindead. Are you using donor sources in this situation?)
Hang Hualian: The sources are basically like this now.
8. (Investigator: You acquire them all within your own hospital or from other hospitals?)
Hang Hualian: Well, both ways, anyway, both ways.
9. “Can you give me a phone number, so that I can reach you in case we have a proper liver source or bed vacancy.”

Phone Investigation Recording

Investigator: Hello, is that Director Hang Hualian?

Hang Hualian: May I ask who is calling?

Investigator: Well, things are like this. I have a family member, who needs a liver transplant. I called your hospital last week and was told that Director Hang is in charge of this. Moreover, a friend of mine told me that your hospital performs the largest number of this kind of operations with the highest skill level in the Shanghai region. Therefore, I’m calling you out of admiration. Your Tongji Hospital does a lot of liver transplants, right?

Hang Hualian: Ah, yeah, yeah. Renji, Renji Hospital.

Investigator: Renji, I always got the name wrong. I have a nephew, who has had hepatitis B before. He drank too much alcohol for promoting his business. Two years ago, he was found to have liver cirrhosis. Now his condition is getting worse and worse. How are the treatment effects here in your hospital for this kind of advanced stage liver cirrhosis that he has?

Hang Hualian: In the case of liver cirrhosis, liver transplantation is the most effective and the best solution for advanced, middle or late stage liver diseases.

Investigator: For this kind of situations, a liver transplant has relatively good results after the operation?

Hang Hualian: As for this case, it's hard, hard, hard for me to give you a final conclusion, because I haven't seen the patient. How about this? You ask him to give me a visit.

Investigator: Ah. Visiting you? After we get there, we should be able to get into the waiting line. They say that if waiting...

Hang Hualian: Oh, that's ok. Since you got my phone number, you can contact me directly.

Investigator: Oh. How long will the wait time be? His family members are very anxious.

Hang Hualian: What's his blood type?

Investigator: Type B.

Hang Hualian: Type B. Anyway, I'll (find a donor organ) as soon as possible, for Blood Type B, if everything goes as planned, (finding a donor organ) would be done within two weeks.

Investigator: Oh, you said that, Director Hang, you said that your hospital has been doing...for such a large hospital, how many liver transplants can it do in one year? Do you do a lot?

Hang Hualian: We did 521 cases last year.

Investigator: Oh, well, that's a lot.

Hang Hualian: We almost do two cases per day, so this technology is a routine technology for us.

Investigator: Oh, so you've done a lot this year, right?

Hang Hualian: We've done nearly... think about this. We've done nearly over 100 cases this year.

Investigator: Oh, because at the beginning, they recommended us to go to Hangzhou's Zhejiang University Hospital, and then they said that you do a good job at Renji and you also do a lot. So we are now contacting Renji.

Hang Hualian: No problem, no problem. You come to find me directly, anyway, just come over. There's no need to line up. You can directly come to the ward and call me. After making an appointment, well, you come over and come to me, I'll help you arrange the bed as soon as possible.

Investigator: Uh...Director Hang, how are the donors. Some people proposed, and since I'm a doctor, I know this, too. We were using death row prisoners in the previous years, which was stipulated by the state. Can we now still use this type? It doesn't matter if we spend some money.

Hang Hualian: Well, um, now, now we're all (using) formally (donated) organs, no executed prisoners, just formally (donated) organs.

Investigator: They're all this kind of donation, right? You said we...in Shanghai...

Hang Hualian: Hey, regular donations. The stat doesn't allow (the use of prisoners' organs). First, the state doesn't allow it. It's illegal. Second, the quality of liver sources is not guaranteed, regarding the executed prisoners.

Investigator: Oh, it's like this.

Hang Hualian: You know, all of ours here are from formal donation channels. The quality of the liver sources can basically be guaranteed. We don't take the low-quality livers and the livers with problems, understand?

Investigator: That is, there is recently also a kind of situation, in which the patient is seriously ill and dying, such as being braindead. Are you using donor sources in this situation?

Hang Hualian: The sources are basically like this now. About this issue, there is no need to worry. We performed 512 cases last year, more than 500 cases. Basically, we have few problems regarding the donor sources, or almost none.

Investigator: That's great.

Hang Hualian: Because we are acquiring them all within the hospital now, and after we take them out, we still have to have a check to make sure there is no problem before we use it. If there is a problem---

Investigator: You acquire them all within your own hospital or from other hospitals?

Hang Hualian: Well, both ways, anyway, both ways.

Investigator: Well then...

Hang Hualian: This problem, in my opinion, is not a problem at all. About the issue of donors, we will figure it out for you. The critical issue from your side is coming here. Come first, then get hospitalized to go through the evaluation, and to get into the waiting line...

Investigator: Are there a lot of people waiting, the people in the line waiting?

Hang Hualian: Don't think so much about this, just come over. Since you have already contacted me directly, you have to worry nothing about this issue and others. Rest assured.

Investigator: Ok, good!

Hang Hualian: I'll arrange it for you. Well... When can you come over? So I can reserve a bed for you.

Investigator: Ok, I'll talk to my nephew when I get home and make a decision based a discussion with.

Hang Hualian: Good, have a talk to him. He is male, isn't he?

Investigator: Yes, he is male. Oh, he recently.... We have to decide according to his schedule. OK, before he goes...

Hang Hualian: That'ok, ok.

Investigator: Sure.

Hang Hualian: Can you give me a phone number, so that I can reach you in case we have a proper liver source or bed vacancy. How to contact you?

Investigator: Well, how about this? I have to pass it on to my nephew. I will not contact you again. Next step he will contact you directly, because I have to go back home, meet him, and have work to do. OK...So let's go this route...

Hang Hualian: Well, ok... OK... OK.... um.