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Subject(s): Chen Gang, Chief Physician, Live Transplant, the First People's Hospital of Kunming

Summary

- 1. The transplant doctors in our hospital must be notified by OPO. You can't get involved!
- 2. I no longer work as a transplant surgeon right now, but I can refer a doctor to you if you have a patient.
- 3. There are many doctors who do liver surgeries in our hospital.

Translation

Investigator: Hello. Hello! Is this the First People's Hospital of Kunming? Is this Chen Gang, Doctor Chen? Hello!

Chen Gang: Yes.

Investigator: Ah, Doctor Chen, how are you? You do liver transplants, right? I think, ah...I'd like to inquire about something.

Chen Gang: No, I don't.

Investigator: Ah! You don't do it?

Chen Gang: Ah... I am not in that program now, so...

Investigator: Oh, did you do it before?

Chen Gang: I did it before.

Investigator: Oh, why did you stop doing it now? Why did you no longer do it? You used to do it well.

Chen Gang: I later moved to another job, so I no longer do that.

Investigator: Ah, I see. I'd like to ask you another question, just a quick one. I have a relative sister. She is only 39 years old this year, but is diagnosed with cirrhosis ascites, in late stage.

Chen Gang: Okay.

Investigator: Her doctor suggested that she have a transplant operation. So I think, if she is to be admitted in a hospital, such as yours that is not like those very large ones, such things as pricing could be pretty good. Chen Gang's technical skills are not bad either. So, I'm wondering, if she comes, if she gets transferred to your hospital, how long would it take to get her surgery done from her admission into your hospital?

Chen Gang: Well, I don't know about that.

Chen Gang: In our hospital, the transplant surgeons must be notified by OPO. You can't get involved!

Investigator: Ah...where does that notification come from, from the higher level?

Chen Gang: OPO, which is part of the organ donation organization. The organ donation organization has OPO, managed by a specialized national team. So, our doctors' job is to take care of the surgeries, not the organs, while they (OPO) are in charge of acquiring the organs themselves.

Investigator: Ah, well, here's my question: how can the liver still be of good quality if the donor is dying? I mean that kind of organs.

Chen Gang: It has to go through an OPO assessment. The donor's liver organ must be qualified for transplantation, and it must be...

Investigator: Then for those senior doctors in your hospital, do they have a lot of experience? How many cases can your hospital do in a year? That is...

Chen Gang: Our hospital has been doing it for many years, which means our experience should be no problem.

Investigator: Oh, your hospital should have no problem. How many doctors can do the liver surgeries in your hospital?

Chen Gang: We have many doctors who can do that.

Investigator: Ah, you have many doctors to do that.

Chen Gang: Uh, uh.

Investigator: Oh, oh, oh, what can we do then? It's even harder to get into the large hospitals in the province.

Chen Gang: Don't worry. If you really have such a patient, you can give him my phone number and tell him to come to me. I can refer a doctor to him for his transplant. Although I don't do it myself any longer, I know those doctors for sure.

Investigator: Ah, ah, can you give me a phone number or something, so I can check for the price again?

Doctor: No, because we are all using internal numbers, there are no external numbers.

Investigator: Oh, oh, that's fine. Thank you, thank you, bye!