

追查迫害法輪功國際組織（追查國際）

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Subject(s): Doctor Li, Liver Transplant, the First Hospital, China Medical University

Summary

1. In the end, the operations are done by Yi Dehui, Director Yi, along with the team.
2. We now cooperate with Tianjin First Central Hospital. So in the end, a very senior professor will come from that hospital in Tianjin, to do it with Director Yi, plus other comrades in our program.
3. Now we work together with Tianjin First Central Hospital. We have been working together since last September. We've actually started doing it since last November. From last November, December, to January, we did like nine cases.
4. Director Jiang Wentao once came over here, so did Director Jia Ni and Director Gao Wei. They all came here and did it.
5. The main issue is actually with the donor sources. Because of the donor source...the donor sources must go through a screening test against such a mess as COVID-19. Think about it, you cannot even enter the hospital, but can only do so by appointment.
6. At our hospital we've started liver transplants since 1995.
7. We cannot do a few hundred cases per year. Later there were some special situations, so we did even fewer. But now, as we work together with Tianjin First Central Hospital, the starting point is higher for sure.
8. After the assessment, if there are more exams needed, you can go back and get them done in your local place. Bring all the files to us, so we can put them into the system. When the liver source becomes available, we will notify you to come over. It then can be done right after you come.

Translation

Doctor Li: Hello!

Investigator: Hello, how are you? Is this Liver Transplant at the First Hospital of China Medical University?

Doctor Li: Yes, yes, ah.

Investigator: I want to come over and make an appointment. Originally I was told to make an appointment with Yi Dehui, who comes to the clinic on Tuesdays, right? So other than Yi Dehui, who else can I make an appointment with for a closer date?

Doctor Li: For tomorrow you can make an appointment with Cheng Donghua, Doctor Cheng, okay?

Investigator: Is it Cheng Donghua?

Doctor Li: Yes, you make an appointment with Cheng Donghua for tomorrow. If you get to it today, you can get an appointment for tomorrow.

Investigator: As for Doctor Cheng Donghua, how are his skills?

Doctor Li: If you're for a liver transplant, you have to come here first. You have to bring all the test reports over. We all in our program will make an assessment for you together. When it comes to do the surgery, we'll get it done together as a whole team in the program, okay?

Investigator: Oh, is that so?

Doctor Li: In the end, it's Director Yi who does it, in charge of it. Additionally, we now cooperate with Tianjin First Central Hospital. So in the end, a very senior professor will come from that hospital in Tianjin, to do it with Director Yi, plus other comrades in our program.

Investigator: So about that senior person who comes from Tianjin, what is his name? Can I...could you tell me? I can do some research.

Doctor Li: That's hard to say, hard to say, because Director Jiang Wentao once came over here, so did Director Jia Ni and Director Gao Wei...They all came here and did it previously. So it's hard to say.

Investigator: Ah, so at your place...well, I got it. As my friend told me, you do a very good job. So at your place, you do a lot of cases, right? How many cases can you do per year?

Doctor Li: At our place, our program has undergone some changes since 2014. Uh, we now work together with Tianjin First Central Hospital. We have been working together

since last September. Since last September or October...ah, since last October or November, we've started doing it together. From last November, December, to January, we did like nine cases. Because it was the Chinese New Year after January, followed by the pandemic, we've stopped doing it since the pandemic broke out. During the pandemic, there've been no donors available.

Investigator: Ah.

Doctor Li: So please bring the files over, for us to make an assessment first. It cannot be done upon your arrival at our hospital.

Investigator: Ah. So if you don't do it in the pandemic, then approximately when will it be started after we get registered during the pandemic? Nobody knows when the pandemic will end.

Doctor Li: As of now, in fact, the main issue is with the donor sources. Because of the donor sources...the donor sources must go through a screening test against such a mess as COVID-19. Think about it, you cannot even enter the hospital, but can only do so by appointment. (Another phone rang.) Hold on a minute.

Investigator: Oh, okay.

(A doctor answering the other call.)

Doctor Li: Hi, yeah.

Investigator: Hello. So let me ask another question. Your hospital, as my friend told me, does a very good job. How many years have you been doing liver transplants at this hospital?

Doctor Li: Since 1996.

Investigator: Oh, in that case, annually you have been doing...?

Doctor Li: Ah, (actually) since 1995, '95, '95, '95...

Investigator: Since '95, have you done a lot annually? How many can you do each year usually?

Doctor Li: Ah, there have been a lot of historical problems over this period, let's not talk about it. How about you...?

Investigator: No, because our...our family members kept saying that if you do a lot, then your techniques are solid, right? Well, as my friend said, you can do a few hundred cases a year. So I think that is pretty good if that is true. So now I'm here to inquire about it, as I am thinking about coming to get it done at your place. You know?

Doctor Li: Okay.

Investigator: Ah, each year you can do a few hundred cases?

Doctor Li: Not a few hundred cases, not that many a year.

Investigator: Not a few hundred cases?

Doctor Li: Because later on there were some special situations, we did fewer. We did fewer later on. But now as we work together with Tianjin First Central Hospital, the starting point is higher for sure, yeah.

Investigator: Ah. How about if we come over to get hospitalized?

Doctor Li: For those pre-operative exams, they don't require hospitalization. For a liver transplant, didn't I tell you that you need to bring all the files that you already have had to the clinic for an assessment? After that, if there are more exams needed, you can go back and get them done in your local place. Bring all the files to us, so we can put them into the system. When the liver source is available, we will notify you to come. It then can be done right after you come.

Investigator: Ah, so how soon usually can it be done in your hospital? Usually can it be done in one or two weeks?

Doctor Li: That is hard to say.

Investigator: My friend said it was very quick. It was his turn in less than a week, and he got it done. He said, he said he got it done at your place.

Doctor Li: He got it done in our place?

Investigator: Exactly, you guys did it, as he said.

Doctor Li: Well, he was lucky.

Investigator: He also said that he got a very good organ from one of those donors. He said it was an organ from the legal system. Are those still available? He said those organs from the legal system were from Falun Gong practitioners, those Falun Gong people.

Doctor Li: No, that is impossible. That is impassible, period! He must be lying to you!

Investigator: Could he do that to me? Whether he lied to me or not...?

Doctor Li: That is impossible, ah, that is impossible.

Investigator: He said it could be done by spending about 800,000 to 1,000,000 yuan.

Doctor Li: Hum, no. If you come over, you can make an appointment at the clinic for tomorrow. Then bring your files over to join the waiting list. Okay?

Investigator: Ah, then we can talk face to face. Is that okay?

Doctor Li: Okay! Yeah, yeah.

Investigator: Good. Well, thank you!

Doctor Li: Good, no problem.

Investigator: Doctor, may I ask for your last name?

Doctor Li: Oh, it's Li.

Investigator: Your last name is Li, right?

Doctor Li: Mine is Li, yeah.

Investigator: Ah, Doctor Li, it is truly nice of you (talking to me)! If I come over I will surely need your help.

Doctor Li: Ah, good. Okay, you can make an appointment with Doctor Cheng Donghua for tomorrow. Then bring all your exam reports over, because they will be needed for evaluation.

Investigator: Ah, good, good. Thank you!

Doctor Li: Okay, good, good.

Investigator: Good bye!