

World Organization to Investigate the Persecution of Falun Gong

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Investigation Subject: A nurse in the kidney transplant ward of the Department of Urology of Kunming No.1 People's Hospital

Investigation Time: May 7, 2016 (+86-87167390509)

Summary:

On average, two kidney transplants are performed per week this year. We did three kidney transplants this week. At least 40 to 50 transplants have been done so far this year. We did a lot last year, too. The kind of donors we used before has been banned for more than a year.

- 1. I called yesterday, yet you had one liver transplant and two kidney transplants and the doctors were too busy to pick up the phone!
- 2. Vice President Ran Jianghua and Zhao Yongheng both do liver transplants.
- 3. Those directors in our department. Director Sun, Director Hu, and Director Zhou. Our director is Sun Xun.
- 4. There is a doctor in charge of the kidney source, Dr. Ma Yunrui.
- 5. There are more kidneys than livers. Each time there are two kidneys but only one liver.
- 6. This is a new hospital which just opened. Most came from the old hospital.
- 7. Investigator: Doesn't your hospital harvest (organs) yourself? Some hospitals harvest (organs) themselves. They said that those Falun Gong practitioners detained in prisons can no longer be used now? Nurse: No. It's not like it used to be. In the past, kidneys were surely harvested on the spot! Investigator: You did a lot last year. (Organs from Falun Gong practitioners) could still be used last year, right?

Nurse: It should be the year before last. It didn't seem to be allowed last year.

Telephone Investigation Content:

Nurse: Hello!

Investigator: Is this the kidney transplant ward of Kunming Hospital? I called the doctors today, but no one answered. Are they doing surgeries again?

Nurse: This is the Department of Urology.

Investigator: That's right! Aren't you doing kidney transplants?

Nurse: Yes, we do.

Investigator: I called yesterday and was told that the doctors were all doing kidney transplants. Do you also have kidney transplants today? Why did nobody answer the phone?

Nurse: There is no (transplant) today. Maybe doctors were doing emergency surgeries during the day.

Investigator: Are there kidney transplants today?



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Nurse: No, there aren't today.

Investigator: I called yesterday, yet there was one liver transplant and two kidney transplants and they were too busy to answer my phone. Which director is in charge of your kidney transplant ward? I know Vice President Ran Jianghua and Zhao Yongheng. They both do liver transplants, don't they?

Nurse: Huh.

Investigator: Who does kidney transplants?

Nurse: Those directors in our department. Director Sun, Director Hu, and Director Zhou.

Investigator: Vice President Ran Jianghua and Zhao Yongheng don't do kidney transplants?

Nurse: I don't know. They should also participate.

Investigator: Who's your Director? I'll contact him.

Nurse: Our Director is Sun Xun.

Investigator: Anyone else?

Nurse: And Director Hu.

Investigator: Usually the two of them are doing kidney transplants, right?

Nurse: Yes, they are the directors.

Investigator: Is Ma Yunrui the director?

Nurse: No, he's a surgeon.

Investigator: You said Sun Xun, right? I called him today, yet his phone was off.

Nurse: He's on a business trip and is not in the hospital now.

Investigator: I called yesterday and another doctor answered me. He said that you do two to three hundred kidney transplants a year, and kidney transplants are more than liver transplants, right?

Nurse: Because each time there are two kidneys but only one liver.



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Investigator: So you've done dozens of (kidney transplants) in 2016?

Nurse: There are no specific statistics. At least two transplants per week, or maybe four to six! It depends. Sometimes there's none. There's at least an average of two per week.

Investigator: Starting from January, right?

Nurse: Hmm from January. Not bad before the Chinese New Year. There were a lot before the Chinese New Year.

Investigator: If two cases per week, you should have done at least forty (kidney transplants) by May.

Nurse: That's for sure. This week we've done three more cases.

Investigator: Then you have done quite a lot. That's why others recommended me to come here. They said that this hospital is doing a lot and it's pretty good, so I want to ask in detail.

Nurse: Please come here for a detailed consultation when you have time. Today is the weekend and they're off work.

Investigator: How many cases did you do this week, as you mentioned?

Nurse: Three cases.

Investigator: Yesterday you did two cases?

Nurse: The day before... I couldn't remember clearly. Two cases yesterday.

Investigator: Generally, at least two cases are done per week on average.

Nurse: Almost.

Investigator: Yesterday the doctor said two to three hundred cases a year. Then this year by now, there must have been forty to fifty cases.

Nurse: Um, yes.

Investigator: I'll call Director Sun another day.

Nurse: Then you can ask for details. We don't know the specifics, either.



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Investigator: Did you say there is someone who is specifically responsible for kidney sources?

Nurse: There is a doctor who is in charge of this.

Investigator: What's the last name of that doctor?

Nurse: It seems to be Dr. Ma.

Investigator: Dr. Ma. Is that Ma Yunrui?

Nurse: Um.

Investigator: Maybe it's him?

Nurse: Um. Yes.

Investigator: He answered my call yesterday. He was about to do surgery at the time, so I knew you had a liver transplant and two kidney transplants yesterday.

Nurse: Um. Well, you can ask them yourself then.

Investigator: Have you been working for a long time?

Nurse: This is a new hospital which just opened. Most came from the old hospital. Come to see it by yourself then.

Investigator: Since I'm a doctor, I send patients to hospitals. When I sent patients to other hospitals, I was told that there were (organs harvested from) prison inmates before. Did you also have such (organ donors)?

Nurse: We had that before, but not now. Now it's forbidden by the state to use (prison inmates).

Investigator: For example, someone from a hospital told me that the donor was brought to the hospital, and the organs were excised when the donor wasn't completely dead. Has this ever happened in your hospital?

Nurse: I don't know this. Some were in ICU, while some kidney sources were shipped from elsewhere.

Investigator: Didn't you harvest organs by yourselves?

Nurse: No. Someone specially does this.



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Nurse: No. It's not like it used to be. In the past, kidneys were surely taken on the spot!

Investigator: You did a lot last year. (Falun Gong practitioners) could still be used last year, right?

Nurse: **It should be the year before last.** It didn't seem to be allowed last year.

Investigator: You said you did a lot last year. Were all the organs donated?

Nurse: All were donated.

Investigator: Last year you also did a lot each week, right?

Nurse: Yes.

Investigator: Then I can send patients here since you do it fast.

Nurse: I'm a bit busy now.

Investigator: Then I won't bother you anymore. Thank you. May I know your name?

Nurse: Please just come here.

Investigator: Okay. Bye!