

追查迫害法輪功國際組織 (追查國際)

World Organization to Investigate the Persecution of Falun Gong (WOIPFG)

To investigate the criminal conduct of all institutions, organizations, and individuals involved in the persecution of Falun Gong; to bring such investigation, no matter how long it takes, no matter how far and deep we have to search, to full closure; to exercise fundamental principles of humanity; and to restore and uphold justice in society

Liver Transplant Doctor at Nanjing Drum Tower Hospital

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Summary

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5. Investigator: Are they all from Jiangsu Province, or from all over the country?
Doctor: No, they are from all over the country.

Phone Investigation Recording

Doctor: Hello!

Investigator: Hi! How are you? Is that Drum Tower Hospital, Nanjing Drum Tower Hospital?

Doctor: Yes. Who is that?

Investigator: Oh, I'm looking for the liver transplant department. Is that the liver transplant department?

Doctor: Oh, yes.

Investigator: Oh, I have a relative, who wants to have a liver transplant. I just want to ask whether Drum Tower Hospital still does it or not. Because someone recommended your hospital, saying that you'd done a great job and very fast.

Doctor: Yes, we do, we do.

Investigator: So you still do it. Then after the patient comes, how long does he have to wait on the waiting list?

Doctor: Somebody is in charge of this. You have to come inquire about this, and get on the waiting list, okay?

Investigator: I have to ask you the question now, because I'm calling from abroad. My hometown is Changzhou City, Jiangsu Province, but now I'm living abroad. I'm planning to go back to do the operation and they recommended you to me.

Doctor: Are you the patient?

Investigator: I'm the one who's making the calls.

Doctor: Is that you (who needs the transplant)?

Investigator: No. It is for one of my relatives.

Doctor: Ah. Then your relative has to come. Because there is no way to tell how long the wait will be.

Investigator: Oh, you are saying that you have no way to determine the (wait) time, right?

Doctor: Right, right, right. Because this is not determined by a single factor, but by a slew of factors instead.

Investigator: Are all the organs donated by our local donors? Are they all healthy?

Doctor: No. It works like this. Now the liver donors are not those...instead, they all come from dead patients, that is, dying patients. They have to make selections. If the livers are not qualified, when the patients die, then there is no need to proceed, right?

(Investigator: Oh). So, don't worry.

Investigator: Okay. I want to know whether you still do a lot of operations nowadays. If so, I will feel more confident that it would be relatively fast (to obtain the organ).

Doctor: We do a lot, quite a lot! Last week, we did four operations.

Investigator: Oh, it is one of my friends, who did it several years ago, maybe seven or eight years ago. He used organs from death-row inmates, (Falun) Gong practitioners. He said that that kind would be the best. (He said,) "Ask the hospital to look for those (from practitioners as donors)."

Doctor: Not anymore.

Investigator: You said in the past those Falun Gong practitioners were used (as donors), why not now?

Doctor: Not anymore, the law forbids it. It's about human rights in the world. They want human rights.

Investigator: Then why were they used in the past? Why were they allowed to be used in the past?

Doctor: In the past? People didn't speak of human rights in the past, you know? No law forbade it. Now it is different. The law forbids it. You don't want to break the law. Even if you are saving another person's life. You could be arrested.

Investigator: Yes, yes, you are right. You are right. We want to be humanitarian. Our doctors practice humanitarianism.

Doctor: Those kinds of things are not what we doctors are worrying about. That's the government's concern. You know? We are only in charge of providing the technologies and the follow-up services. We are not in charge of anything else!

Investigator: Oh, oh, you are saying...

Doctor: Right? The medical doctors can't worry about that much. The doctors are not...the police!

Investigator: Ah, that is, your local Red Cross Society provides you with the donors or your hospitals have to find and supply the donors?

Doctor: That's right. Nowadays there're many channels, anyway, they're all dead patients or dying patients, people dying soon, who are willing to donate their organs (Investigator: Usually they are...), who have signed donation agreements...and all these people...

Investigator: Are they all from Jiangsu Province, or from all over the country?

Doctor: No, they are from all over the country, all over the country, all over the country.

Investigator: Oh, from all over the country?

Doctor: Yes.

Investigator: Oh, isn't that right? That is, in general, there's no problem with the organ donors. We can rest assured. I hope that the donated organs won't be unhealthy!

Doctor: The organs with problems won't be transplanted for you. Please rest assured! This is not something you should worry about. If a bad liver is transplanted, the doctors would be in deep trouble, right? There is nothing for you to worry about. Everybody is held responsible for his part of the work, right? As far as the medical matters are concerned, you don't have to worry.

Investigator: Oh, oh.

Doctor: Your only concern now is which hospital to pick, right?

Investigator: Oh, oh, you just said there're some other hospitals, which I was not aware of, because my friend only recommended your hospital. Did you say some other hospitals can do it, as well?

Doctor: There are plenty of hospitals all over the country. So many hospitals can do it, and they must have a lot of patients, right? There are at least several dozen hospitals all over the country can do it, right?

Investigator: Are you saying that your hospital is one with relatively more cases of organ transplants in the country?

Doctor: Fair enough.

Investigator: If I go back to see you for a possible transplant, do you mind giving me your surname?

Doctor: Oh, someone is in charge of that. You will know it by asking anyone of us in the hospital, okay? We have an organ transplant clinic, you know?

Investigator: Oh, organ transplant clinic? Who is there? Who with better medical skills is doing transplant? Can we seek him or her out? Does Doctor Qiao do it?

Doctor: Transplant doctors are only those few, you know? Because everybody has his unique experiences. His expertise is on this. So of course, you can rest assured.

Investigator: Does the director do it? Is it usually the director, who does it?

Doctor: Not necessarily. It would be someone, who is specialized in liver transplants.

Investigator: Then the more he does it, (Doctor: Yes, yes) the more skilled he becomes?

Doctor: That's it. You've received a lot of info, it's enough, okay?

Investigator: Good, good. Thank you so much! Goodbye!

Doctor: Ok, goodbye!