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# Investigation Respondent: Nurse, Liver Transplant, First Hospital of Shanxi Medical University

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# **Summary**

- 1. Liver transplants are mainly performed by President Xu, Xu Jun.
- 2. Our hospital has been doing the operation during the epidemic.
- 3. He just came, doing this work. And these 10 cases were all done by him.
- 4. A lot has been done this year, many have been done.
- 5. We are the only hospital in Shanxi that does a lot now.
- 6. Dr. Shi Zhiyong with the liver transplant team is in charge of liver transplant. If you have questions in this area, this doctor provides answers.

## **Investigation Recording**

Nurse: Hi! Hello.

Investigator: Hi, hello! Is this the general surgery department of the First Hospital of Shanxi Medical

University? Nurse: Yes.

Investigator: I would like to ask, am I reaching the right place for liver transplant?

Nurse: Yes, that's us.

Investigator: It is in your department, you are the hepatobiliary surgery department, is it...

Nurse: The hepatobiliary surgery department

Investigator: The hepatobiliary surgery department. I would like to ask, that is, what procedure I should follow

if I go to your hospital. Shall I do the test first or...

Nurse: You can register to see President Xu.

Investigator: Present Xu. What is his full name?

Nurse: Xu Jun

Investigator: Xu Jun? Nurse: Correct, Xu Jun.

Investigator: I would like to ask how long I have wait?

Nurse: I don't know. But with us, liver transplant up to now, you see, we've done ten cases up to now. Is there a

liver source? Can it be matched?

Investigator: Right, was it affected by the pandemic?

Nurse: We were not affected much here. PCR test was needed, the basic test such as PCR was required.

Investigator: That means our hospital has been doing this during the pandemic, right?

Nurse: Yes, we've been doing this all along.

Investigator: How many cases has President Xu done this year?

Nurse: He just came, and he came to do this work. All all these 10 cases were done by him.



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Investigator: So, you just started the liver transplant this year?

Nurse: Uh, right, we started a long time ago, but we did few cases. A lot has been done this year, many have

been done.

Investigator: This director hadn't come here yet last year, your president hadn't come here yet, that's why very

few were done, right?

Nurse: Right.

Investigator: Will there be a shortage of beds when the patient arrives and has a matched liver?

Nurse: Eh...

Investigator: Let's say, the patient has to wait...so while he's waiting, will he be hospitalized or stay in the

clinic?

Nurse: He should be hospitalized.

Investigator: He should be hospitalized, that is to say.

Nurse: Sign up to see the doctor and ask him.

Investigator: Are there many people to register now?

Nurse: For details, they have a procedure. There is a registration procedure, we are not handling it. We don't know the details about how many people there are. There is now one hospitalized patient, two hospitalized patients, one in the ward, the other in ICU.

Investigator: Uh, that means there are two patients who have completed the liver transplant?

Nurse: Right, right.

Investigator: So, let's say the liver transplant is done, how long will the patient have to stay before he can be discharged from the hospital?

Nurse: Generally speaking, for a patient with a good basic physical condition after the liver transplant, he will first stay in ICU for one week, then stay in the ward for one week to monitor cardiograms, just one more week.

Investigator: One week will do?

Nurse: After the surgery stay in ICU for one week, then stay in the ward for one week for monitoring, afterwards another week before being discharged from the hospital.

Investigator: So you have only one team led by Present Xu Jun, or you have several teams?

Nurse: One team.

Investigator: Um, only one team?

Nurse: Correct.

Investigator: Where did President Xu work before, which hospital?

Nurse: A big hospital, a big hospital in Shanxi.

Investigator: No wonder he has good skills.

Nurse: He was with both the City People's Hospital and Tumor Hospital.



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Investigator: I would like to ask now, besides your hospital, there are other hospitals in Shanxi that can perform this kind of surgery too, right? Which hospital does this the best, is it your hospital?

Nurse: We should be the only hospital in Shanxi that has performed many operations as of now.

Investigator: Only your hospital does many such surgeries. After I go to your hospital, the quality of the liver can be guaranteed, right?

Nurse: It all depends. There would be no surgery if the liver quality was not good.

Investigator: For quality, the organs are all donated, from individuals that are either brain dead, or in a car accident, or they are death row inmates, is that right?

Nurse: We don't know the specifics. And then it's the care for the patient. There is a nursing team. We are only responsible for hospital wards, the hepatobiliary patients in the ward. Let me tell you, there is a special nursing team.

Investigator: A special nursing team, that is, one that specializes in caring for liver transplant patients, right? Nurse: Yes, yes, um.

Investigator: I would like to know if your organ donors are typically all young people? Or, or .they are.. Nurse: There are specialized...for specifics such as these, it's not like... You call this number after 8 tomorrow morning, and ask for a doctor in this department, a doctor specialized in liver transplant.

Investigator: Call this same number?

Nurse: Yes, call this number. Just ask for a doctor from President Xu Jun's team.

Investigator: All doctors from President Xu's team can answer my questions, right?

Nurse: See if there are any available. You just ask them for details, alright?

Investigator: Right.

Nurse: They're all from one team. I'm in charge of the ward, and in the ward the patients are mainly of the hepatobiliary. That is, patients who have gallbladder, pancreas and liver surgeries.

Investigator: So you handle this area. There are people specialized in liver transplants?

Nurse: There's nursing care, and then there are doctors specialized in liver transplant, and there is a liver transplant team. If you ask me, I am afraid the explanation I give you...since it just started, I don't know too much about it...

Investigator: You've been very helpful indeed. Nurse: I don't want to give you wrong answers.

Investigator: It's okay, you did great.

Nurse: Tuesday, they have clinical hours every Tuesday morning.

Investigator: Which doctor should I ask for? How many people are there in their team?

Nurse: Shi Zhiyong, Dr. Shi.

Investigator: Shi Zhiyong. They only have two people in their team?

Nurse: There are others, too. There is another doctor who deals with both liver transplants and other things. If you have any questions about this, you go to this doctor.



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Investigator: What is his name? Tell me again and I will write it down.

Nurse: Shi Zhiyong

Investigator: Alright, I thank you.

Nurse: A little after eight.

Investigator: Call a little after eight. Sounds good, thank you. I appreciate it, thanks, thank you so much!

Nurse: Not at all.