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The First Seminar of Anti-HLA Antibody Detection in Heart Transplantation

The first seminar of anti HLA antibody detection in heart transplantation was held on Feb. 4th, 2018 at Veritas. We did seminars for Lung and Liver transplantation in 2017.

Anti HLA antibody (Donor Specific Antibody: DSA) is one of the important issues to affect the result of engraftment for liver transplantation and kidney transplantation, but the relationship with heart transplantation based on clinical data doesn't have clear consensus. To make a consensus, we held this seminar to discuss between related technicians and clinicians.

9 Presenters and 17 attendees from 7 facilities out of 10 that perform heart transplantation participated. Doctors who perform heart transplantation gave lectures about transplantation treatment in their facilities, actual situation of examination and effect on HLA antibody transplantation. The contents were not only about anti HLA antibody but heart transplantation in general.

The seminar provided them a place to communicate and lead to lively discussion, so we found that the seminar was very valuable for attendees.



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