

Lecture on disaster medical management in PCQACL (2013/10/1)

Venue: Crowne Plaza Manila Galleria
Topics: Short course on disaster management

Prof. Shinichi Egawa visited Manila, Philippines on Oct. 1 and made a lecture on “Medical management of large scale disaster, Japan experience” in Philippine Council for Quality Assurance in Clinical Laboratories (PCQACL). I introduced the Japanese medical management system established after Hanshin-Awaji Earthquake, lessons from past disasters, what we could do and we couldn't do in Great East Japan Earthquake. Especially the developing process of hospital business continuity plan in Tohoku University Hospital had an impact to the audience. Announcement of the international symposium on disaster medical management and 2015 World Conference on Disaster Risk Reduction was made.

Prof. Toshio Hattori in Disaster Related Infectious Disease and Prof. Manabu Fukumoto in Dept. Pathology IDAC also presented the Human Security Program and infectious disease in disaster and the distribution of artificial radionuclides in abandoned cattle in the evacuation zone of the Fukushima Daiichi Nuclear Power Plant. There were excellent lectures from the Philippine side including risk management, safe hospitals, medical management, biorisk management, surveillance in post-extreme emergencies and disasters (SPEED). The audience showed the increasing concern about the risk reduction for disaster.



Prof. Egawa with organizers



Audience

Shinichi Egawa (Disaster Medicine)