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## Summary of Micro SSP Workshop

Date : Feb. 25th, 2017

Place : Veritas Office

Veritas is a leading company of HLA field. We brought HLA serological technology from One Lambda over 30 years. In 1990s' we started to introduce HLA molecular typing named Micro SSP from One Lambda. Currently most of lab shifted to Luminex system, SBT or NGS, however some of the people uses Micro SSP in some reason.

HLA are very unique molecules, so it is difficult to transfer the knowledge and technique to next generations at each laboratory. So we constantly set up workshop for beginner users to let them use correctly. In addition to knowledge, another purpose of this workshop is let them know each other in this small field. It is necessary to make community for them to share each experience and knowledge.

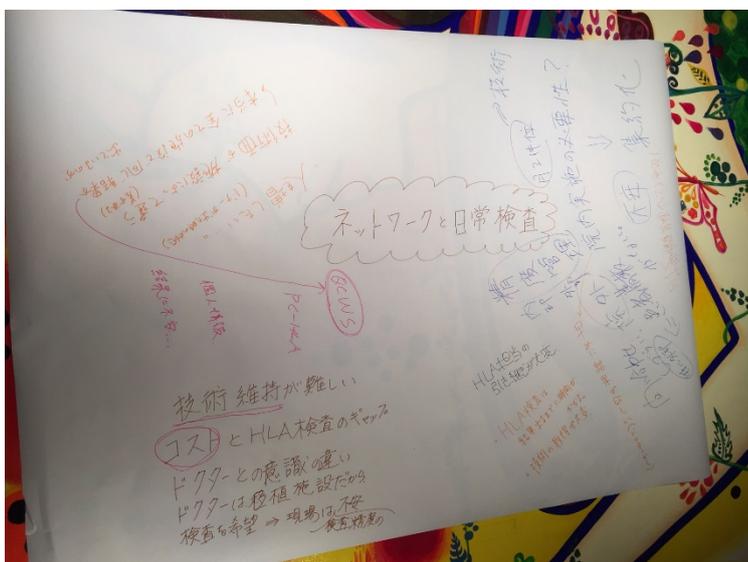
Agendas we did this time are...

1. [lecture] HLA basic information especially for Micro SSP analysis
2. [lecture] Points of Micro SSP Protocol
3. [Discussion] Share questions and experience
4. [Special lecture 1] HLA tests when we get announce of brain-dead donor
5. [Case study] Micro SSP analysis
6. [Special lecture] HLA typing and registration into renal transplantation network
7. [Activities] World café (Theme "Issue of HLA Typing and future")

13 technicians attended this workshop and got very positive feedback from questionnaires. We understand that they need software training too, because software is updated. Also they would like to attend HLA antibody detection workshop. We are planning to set up regional workshop to let them attend more easily.



[Pic 1, lecture of Micro SSP Protocol]



[Pic 2, Output of World Café]

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