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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE (OPT-OUT)

We would like to ask for your cooperation in our research: A Survey of Psychiatric Emergency Inpatients from Foreign Countries.

Kanagawa Psychiatric Center conducts the comparative study of psychiatric emergency inpatients from Japan and foreign countries. We analyze clinical characteristics of both groups based on data in electronic medical records. This research is expected to provide helpful information for treatment and support to foreign patients, who are anticipated to increase in Japan.

Research Title	A Survey of Psychiatric Emergency Inpatients from Foreign Countries
Research Subject	Japanese and foreign patients who were admitted to this hospital between April 1 st 2016 and March 31 st 2023 via Kanagawa psychiatric emergency medical system.
Objectives, Method and Ethical Consideration	The aim of this research is to clarify the clinical characteristics of psychiatric emergency inpatients from foreign countries. Data are extracted from the medical record system (BADO; Basis Dokumentation). Private information will not be leaked because all data are anonymized.
Survey Period	From the date of approval to May 31 st 2024
Type of Data and Samples	Clinical information on the electronic medical record (age, sex, national origin, diagnosis, severity, type of hospitalization, length of hospital stay)
Research Institution and Researcher	Institution: Kanagawa Psychiatric Center Researcher: YOSHIDA Koji (Psychiatrist)

Outside Provision of Data and Samples	None
Person in Charge of Information Management	YOSHIDA Koji (Kanagawa Psychiatric Center)

This research is conducted in accordance with the Declaration of Helsinki (the modified version in 2013) and the Ethical Guidelines for Medical and Health Research Involving Human Subjects (enforced in 2022). Private information will not be leaked because all data are anonymized in the interest of privacy. The outcome of this study will be presented in academic conferences or an academic journal, but no patients will be identified individually.

Should you have any questions concerning this research, please contact us. Complaints are accepted at the Ethical Review Committee of Kanagawa Psychiatric Center.

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