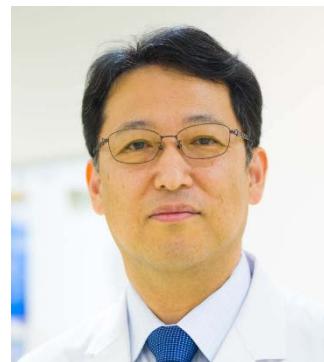


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### **Major Scientific Interests of the Group**

The major scientific interest of our group is both biological and psychological aspects of psychiatric disorders, including dementia, depression, schizophrenia, eating disorder, perinatal psychiatric disorders, suicide prevention, and disaster psychiatry. We use the methods such as intervention, radiology, social psychiatry, neuropathology, and molecular biology.

### **Projects for Regular Students in Doctoral or Master's Programs**

- 1) Neuropathological and biochemical study of dementia using autopsied human brains
- 2) Clinical study of mild cognitive impairment in day care facility
- 3) Neuroimaging study of the patients with dementia and psychiatric disorders, including schizophrenia and depression
- 4) Clinical study of eating disorders
- 5) Prevention of suicide
- 6) Disaster psychiatry
- 7) Perinatal mental health

### **Study Programs for Short Stay Students (one week – one trimester)**

- 1) Clinical study of mild cognitive impairment in day care facility
- 2) Clinico-pathological conference of dementia
- 3) Neuroimaging study

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