Interview

1. What are your thoughts on medical institutions sharing your patient information regarding health issues so that no matter which institution you went to they would know your medical record?

I think this has both advantages and disadvantages. The advantage is that even if I can't remember my previous medical records when I go to another institution, I don't need to tell the doctor too much previous health information. But this also means that my information is likely to leak out, which will have some negative effects on me.

2. Have you ever been to a new medical institution that knew what your previous conditions were?

No. Every time I go to a new institution, they cannot see my previous medical records in their system. I need to tell them about my situation. Also, I need to explain my allergy history to them in detail. Otherwise, the medicine they prescribe may contain my allergic substance.

3. What do you think about the security of sharing these patient information? Could you elaborate further?

I think it should be shared appropriately and have sharing permissions. Some special patients do not want others to know their medical history, so the security of this information sharing is very important. I hope that different medical institutions have certain position restrictions for sharing patient information, and the patient's permission is required to read their medical records. In this way, I think it can reduce the leakage of privacy.

4. What are the ways you use to provide information to these medical institutions?

I usually take the paper case of the previous hospital to the doctor, because I can't explain my information to the doctor in great detail.

5. Have you had any experiences where you were frustrated when providing information to multiple medical institutions?

I have not been to many medical institutions. I don't have such a frustrating experience.

What is the reason why you have not been to many medical institutions or do not change medical institutions frequently?

I think that the doctors in the medical institutions I go to most often are familiar with my physical condition. If I change medical institutions, they may not understand my previous situation so clearly.

6. What sort of technology (app, web, etc.) would you think might be best for storing and transmitting data? Can you elaborate on that?

I think an app is suitable because it is convenient and mobile. I think we can enter our information into the app, and every medical record can be transferred to the app. In this way, when we go to a new medical institution, we can open our app and provide our health information.