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Medical workers attend a workshop on nursing management.

# Workshop gives shot in the arm to nursing management

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Nursing leaders from the Ministry of Health and central hospitals in Vientiane are meeting for discussions on nursing management, aiming to raise standards in the profession.

Some 70 representatives from Mahosot, Setthathirath, Mittaphab, Mother and Child Health, and Children's hospitals and the Ministry of Health are taking part in the two-day Workshop on Nursing Management, which began yesterday at Mahosot Hospital.

Participants are learning

about nursing management methods in Japan and discussing how they can be applied to the nursing services offered at Laos' central hospitals. They are also considering how to implement the guidelines suggested for the scope of nursing practice in Japan.

An expert on nursing management from the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA), Nursing Director of the National Centre for Global Health and Medicine in Tokyo, Ms Chie Asanuma, explained the nursing management systems used in

Japan.

The workshop was presided over by the Deputy Director General of the Education and Research Department of the Ministry of Health, Dr Somchanh Xaysida, and Ms Mayumi Hashimoto from JICA's Project for Sustainable Development of Human Resources for Health to Improve Mother, Neonatal and Child Health Services.

The workshop is expected to improve nursing services at Laos' main hospitals and further contribute to positive health outcomes.

ラオス人民民主共和国ビエンチャンにてラオス保健省とビエンチャンの中核病院の看護管理者を対象とした看護管理ワークショップが開催されました。このワークショップでは看護管理について学び、さらに日本の看護管理の事例も紹介され、これからのラオスの看護サービスの向上のために意見交換が行われました。

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