



Panel 7-4A. Medical Ethics

Date & Time: Oct. 23 (Wed), 14:30-16:30

Venue: Room 204

Host: -  연세대학교 의료법윤리학연구원 Asian Institute for Bioethics and Health Law (AIBHL), Yonsei University
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Joint Symposium: “Distributive Justice in Aging Societies”

Moderator	Ilhak Lee	(Professor, College of Medicine, Yonsei University, Korea)
Chair	Ivo Kwon	(Professor, College of Medicine, Ewha Womans University, Korea)
Panel 7-4A. a	Satoshi Kodama	(Professor, Graduate School of Letters, University of Kyoto, Japan) <i>Japan's Aging Society: Challenges and Prospects</i>
Panel 7-4A. b	Kyungdo Lee	(Professor, College of Medicine, University of Ulsan, Korea) <i>Ethics of healthcare rationing mechanisms: Theoretical and practical considerations</i>
Panel 7-4A. c	Ilhak Lee	(Professor, College of Medicine, Yonsei University, Korea) <i>Tragedy of Aging Society: End of Life Perspective</i>
Panel 7-4A. d	Harisan Nasir	(Postdoctoral fellow, NIH Department of Bioethics, USA) <i>Spreading Risk Under Solidarity Requires Reciprocity</i>
Panel 7-4A. E	Diya Devi Ubero	(McGill University, Canada)

Q&A, Discussion All the participants (including audiences)

Purpose of the panel

Aging societies are inevitably faced with fiscal constraints that make it nearly impossible to meet growing demands for health care. In such societies, it becomes difficult and contentious to reach various decisions not just in benefit package design but also in healthcare financing, delivery, and purchasing. Those decisions often invoke issues of distributive justice, for instance, what kind of healthcare rationing mechanisms is deemed fair and just, how much priority should be placed on long-term care when designing a health benefit package, and how to achieve intergenerational equity in healthcare institutions. This panel discussion is to address some of those issues both theoretically and practically.