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Training Report in Telemedicine

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Telemedicine Development of Asia (TEMDEC)

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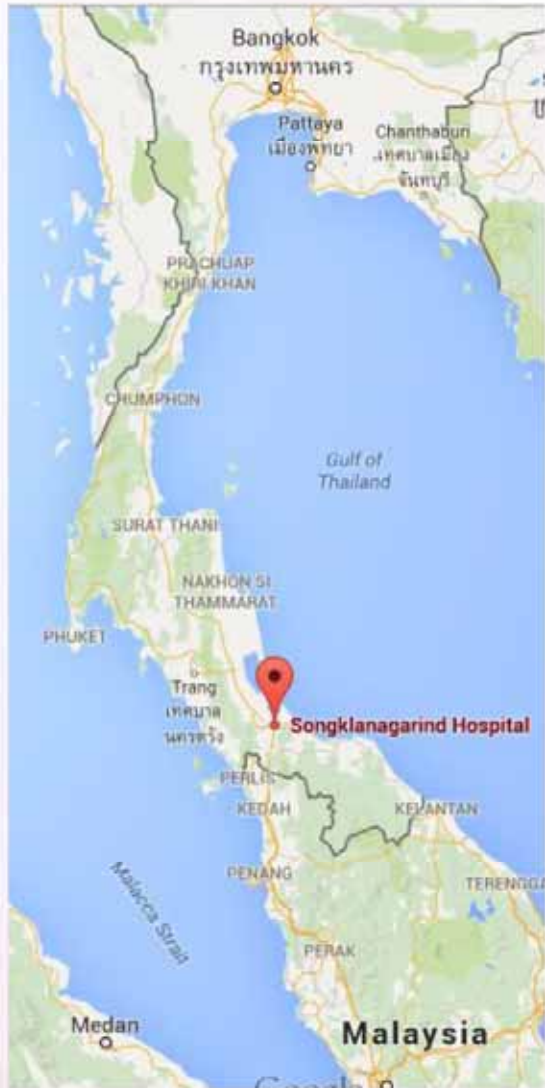




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Location





Mission

- Develop and produce high quality and ethical medical graduates and personnels
- Provide universal standard healthcare toward super tertiary level
- Produce high quality research and publication
- Organize academic conferences both national and international levels



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Songklanagarind Hospital

Beds	855
OPD Cases	930,000 / year
IPD Cases	40,000 /year
Medical instructors	360
Physicians	630
Nurses	1,250
Supporting personnels	2,540



NKC

**Institute of
Gastroenterology
and Hepatology**

NKC Institute of Gastroenterology and Hepatology



- Established in 2004
- To be an excellent center in gastrointestinal endoscopy in Thailand and South East Asia





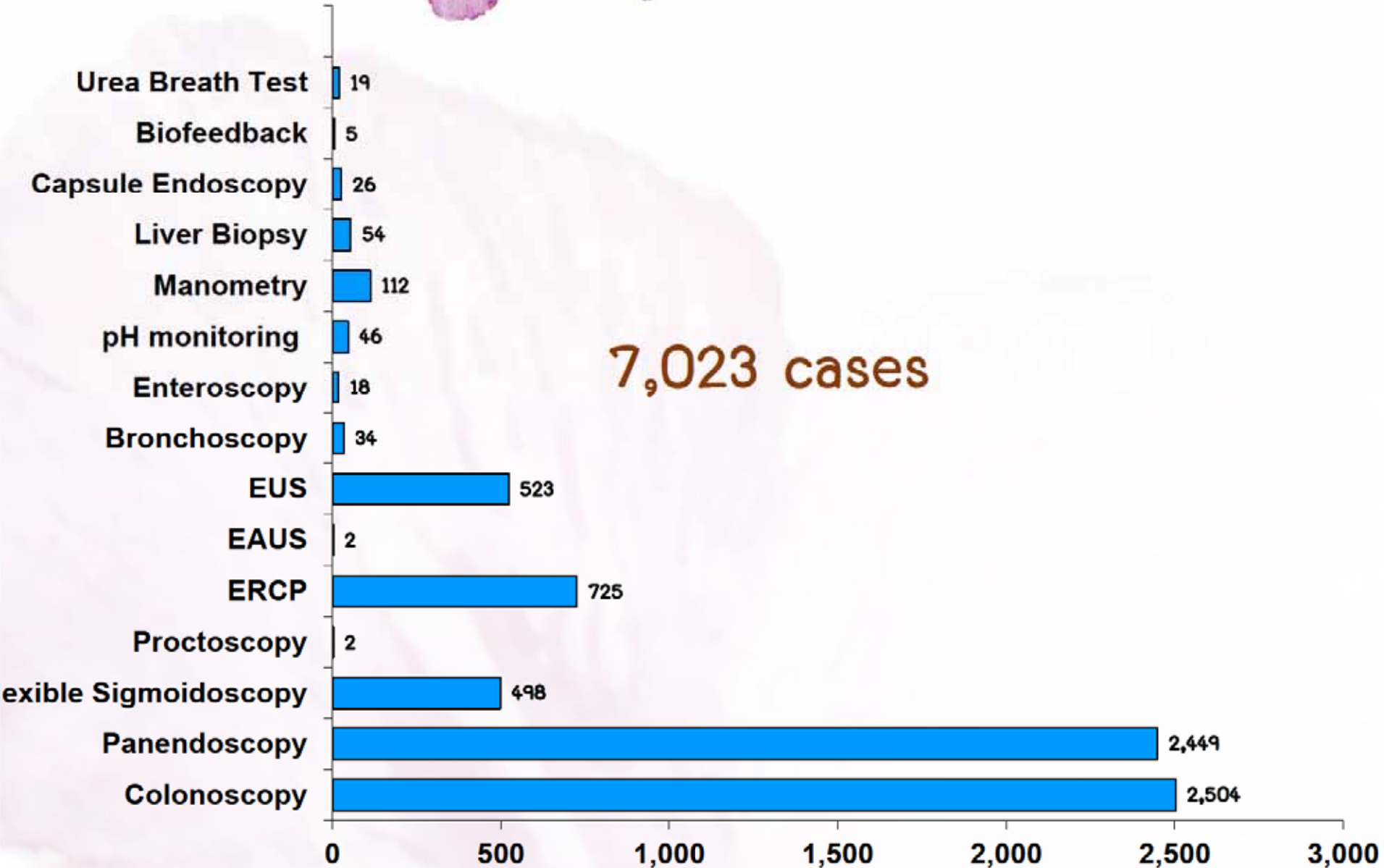
Mission

- Promote academic information in order to be an internationally recognized institute of gastroenterology and hepatology
- Provide highly qualified academic training for clinical fellow in gastroenterology and hepatology
- Contribute academic knowledge and implement research projects in diagnostic and therapeutic gastroenterology and hepatology
- Enhance the quality of endoscopic services in order to be a tertiary care and referral center



Staff	Numbers
Doctor	7
Nurse	9
Supporting	22

Room	Numbers
Endoscopy	5
Fluoroscopy	1
Diagnostic	4





Annual **ERCP** and **EUS** Live Demonstration and hands-on workshop



NKC Configuration





TEMDEC Facilities

Conference Room



H.323 MCU & Codec

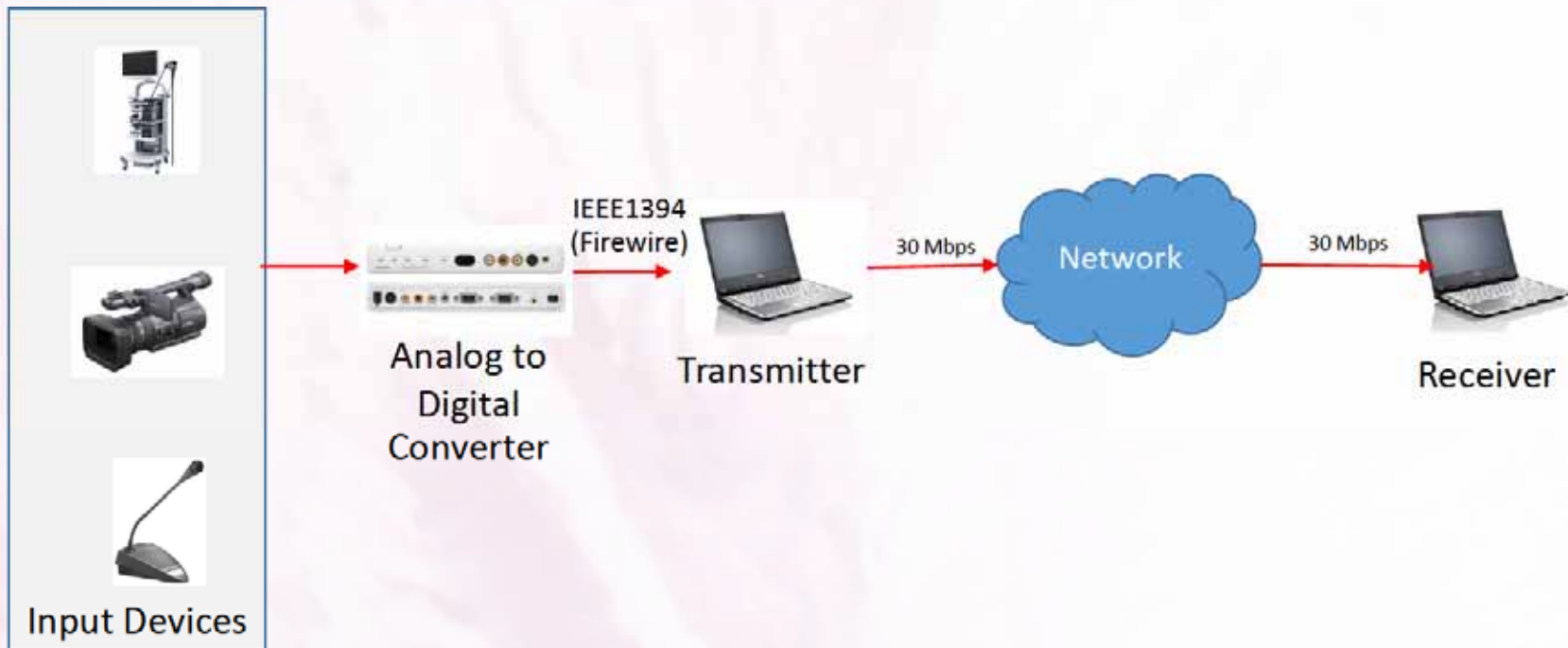


Vidyo System



DVTS (Digital Video Transport System)

- Using Software for decoding and encoding
- No compression
- Good video quality
- **High Bandwidth with Stable network**





H.323

- Good Video quality
- Low bandwidth (2 Mbps)
- Public IP
- Various brands (Polycom, Sony, etc.)
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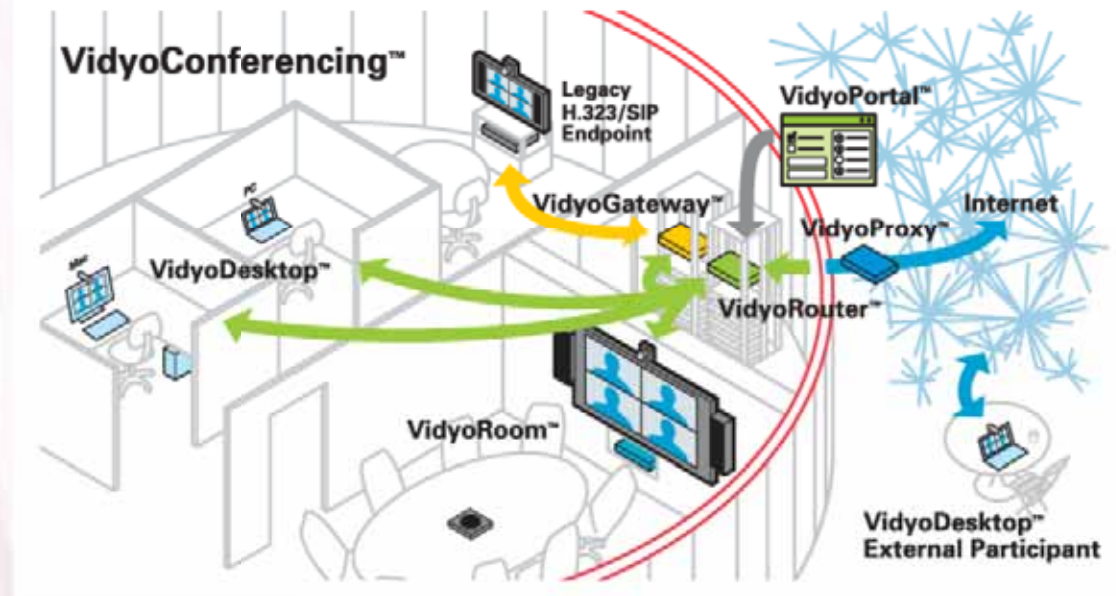


TEMDEC → NKC

- Polycom RMX 1500 → Tanberg Edge 95MXP
- Connection Speed : 1,920 kbps
- Transmit Live Endoscopy from NKC
- Video Quality : SD (Analog signal)



- No public IP required
- Can use **anywhere** with internet broadband connection
- Low Bandwidth
- Record/Streaming
- Easily share content
- Need Vidyo account





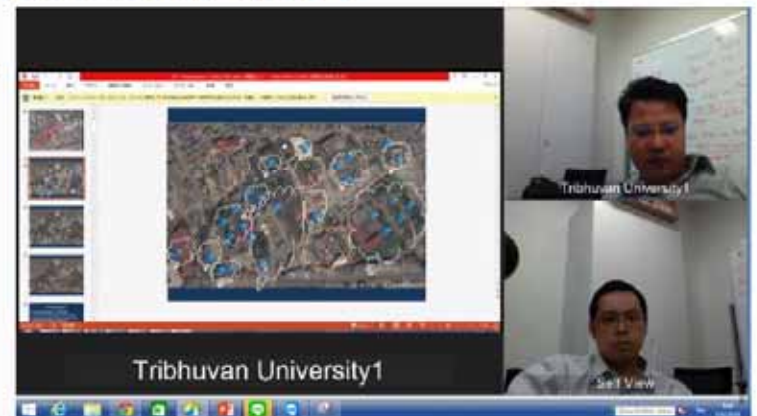
VidyoDesktop (Software)

Pros

- Free
- Windows/MAC Supported

Cons

- Not suitable for sending video/ Live Demonstration
- Converter needed for external input





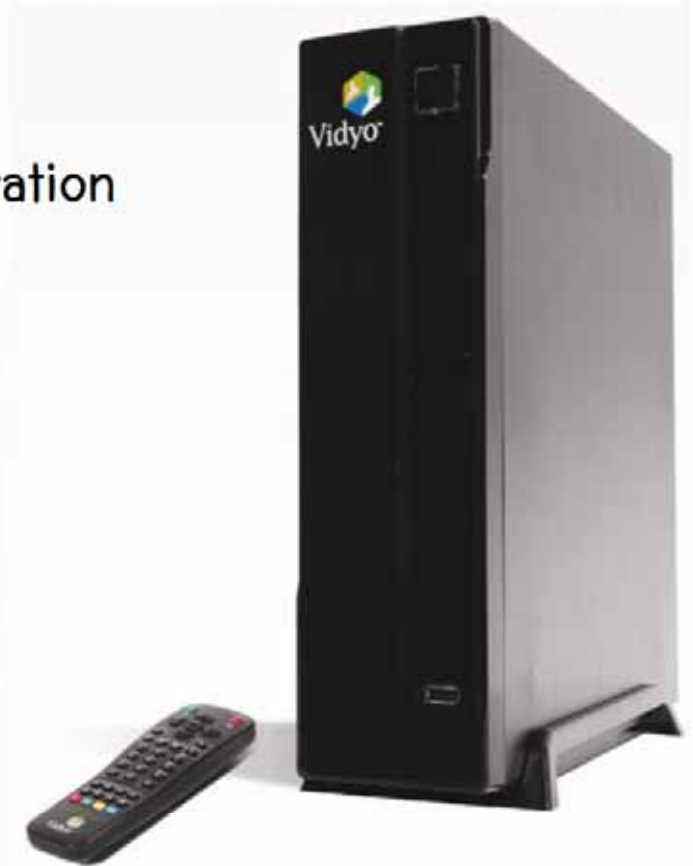
VidyoRoom (Hardware)

Pros

- Good for sending Video/ Live demonstration
- Easy to use
- Can connect to external I/O devices

Cons

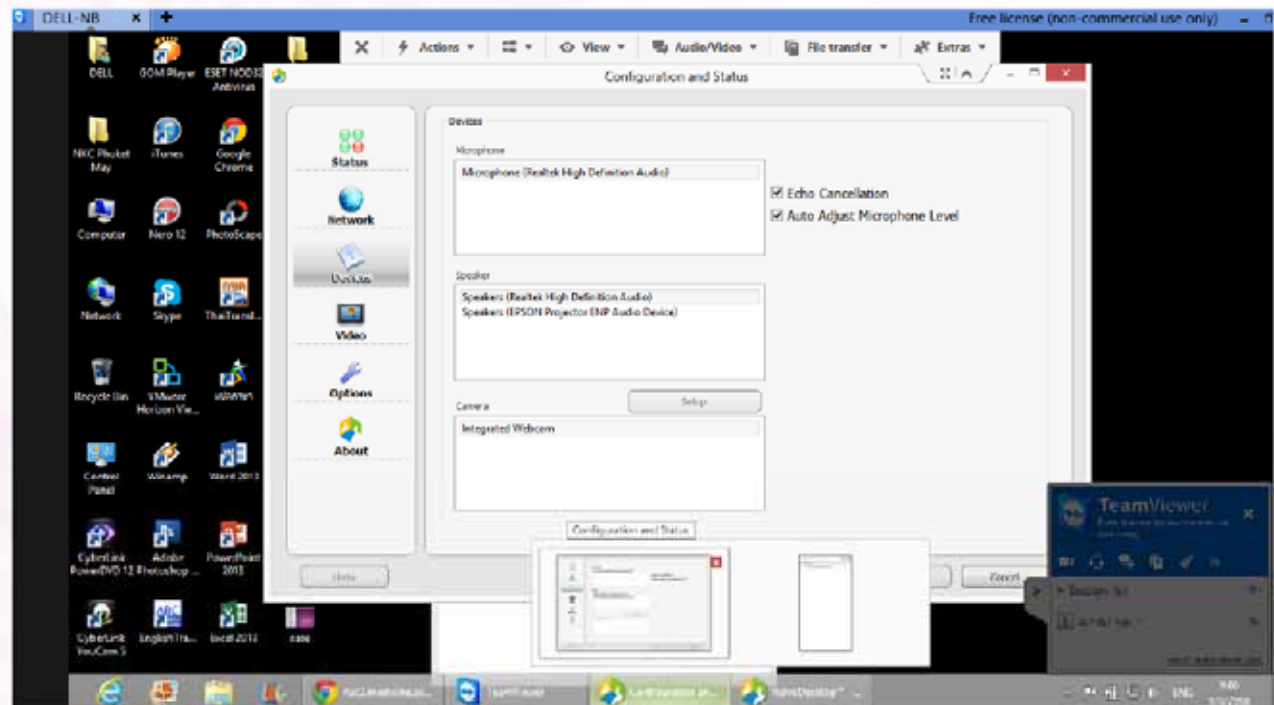
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Troubleshooting

- Skype (for background communication)
- TeamViewer
 - Software problems
 - Settings





What to be concerned??

- System
 - H.323
 - Vidyo
- Connection Test
 - At least 3 tests
 - Initial system/network test
 - Test in Meeting room
 - Before meeting started
 - Video Quality
 - Audio Quality



Connection Test

- Video Quality
 - Camera
 - Presentation
 - Slide Presentation
 - Video
- Audio Quality
 - Noise
 - Echo
 - Audio Level
- Co-operation and communication
(Doctors, Engineers, Site ↔ Site)





Medical working group sessions:

- Healthcare
- Fetus
- Recurrent pyogenic cholangitis
- HPB Surgery
- POEM
- Endoscopy
- Technology
- MIS
- Live Endoscopy



40th APAN Meeting preparation

- Connection test from many countries
- Many problems occur during testing
 - Audio – echo, microphone issues
 - Network – can not login to VidyoPortal
 - Devices
- TEMDEC organizes and supports for 40th APAN
 - Testing
 - Many engineers and staffs join the meeting in KL



Great Places





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Great food





Nice people





Visiting Kagoshima University Hospital

Sakurajima





Conclusion

- Learn how to prepare for the Teleconference Meeting
- Knowledge/limitation of each teleconference system
- Successfully connect to/from TEMDEC using
 - Vidyo
 - H.323
- Friendship among engineers and TEMDEC Staffs
- Discover Japanese culture and lifestyle



Thank you