

The 9th Tsurui Lymphoma Workshop in Obihiro 2026

Date: July 24 (Fri) – 26 (Sun), 2026

Venue: Tokachigawa Onsen, Hotel Daiheigen

(Accommodation information will be provided separately. Participants are requested to make reservations individually.)

Organized by: NPO Asia Lymphoma Network

Objective: To learn the latest advances in the diagnosis and treatment of malignant lymphoma and to foster professional exchange with domestic and international experts

Registration fee: 8,000 JPY (Subject to change due to rising prices)

(Free of charge for residents and students)

Program

July 24 (Fri)

Arrival at Obihiro Airport (from Tokyo/Haneda)

- JAL arrival: 12:55
 - ANA arrival: 13:20
- Participants who wish to do so may take a chartered bus to the hotel.
(details will be provided later)

15:30 Opening Remarks & Orientation

- Prof. Junji Suzumiya (Koga Community Hospital, Chair of the Workshop)
- Prof. Motoko Yamaguchi (Mie University, Organizing Committee)

15:35–16:35 Special program: Lymphoma research using cutting-edge technology

Chairs: Prof. Momoko Nishikori (Kyoto University), Prof. Hiroo Katsuya (Saga University)

1. Genomic alterations of EBV and their pathogenic role – Prof. Hiroshi Kimura (Nagoya University)
2. Disease modeling using cellular and spatial omics analyses – Prof. Mamiko Sakata-Yanagimoto (University of Tsukuba)
3. Elucidation of the molecular basis and pathogenesis of mediastinal lymphoma – Prof. Shinya Rai (Kindai University)

16:40–17:40 Translational research in lymphoma

Chairs: Prof. Koji Izutsu (National Cancer Center Hospital), Prof. Yasushi Isobe (Fukuoka University)

1. Translational research in ANKL – Prof. Ai Kotani (Osaka University)

2. CAR-T cell therapy using iPS cells – Prof. Miki Ando (Juntendo University)
3. Treatment of DHL with the novel oral methyltransferase inhibitor OR-2100 – Prof. Keisuke Kidoguchi (Saga University)

17:45–18:25 Free discussion: How to incorporate new findings into lymphoma treatment?

Chairs: Prof. Eisei Kondo (Kawasaki Medical School), Prof. Koichi Ohshima (Kurume University)

1. How will we apply genomic classification of DLBCL?
2. How do we check TP53 disruption in each lymphoma subtype?
3. How should TP53 disruption be examined in each subtype of lymphoma?

Short Presentation Speakers – Now Open for Applications

18:25 Annual General Assembly of the Asia Lymphoma Network (FY2025)

Chair: Dr. Atae Utsunomia (Imamura General Hospital)

18:40 Dinner (buffet style at the hotel) & hot spring bathing

20:00–22:00 Informal gathering (banquet hall, BYO snacks & drinks allowed)

July 25 (Sat)

09:00–10:00 NK/T-cell Lymphoma Working Group

Chairs: Prof. Motoko Yamaguchi (Mie University)

10:30–11:30 DLBCL Working Group

Chair: Prof. Kana Miyazaki (Mie University)

17:00 Social Event (to be planned) or Buffet Dinner at the Hotel

July 26 (Sun)

08:00–08:55 Breaking the Limitations of ENKL Treatment

Chairs: Prof. Motoko Yamaguchi (Mie University), Prof. Ritsuro Suzuki (Shimane University)

1. Real-world data in advanced ENKL in Japan – Dr. Ayumi Fujimoto (Shimane University / Cancer Institute)
2. Special Lecture: *New treatment approaches in ENKL* (30 min) – Prof. Won Seog Kim (Samsung Medical Center, Korea)

09:00–09:55 How to use CAR-T cell therapy in the lymphoma treatment

Chair Prof. Hideki Goto (Hokkaido University)

1. Keynote: Current status of CAR-T cell therapy – Prof. Hideki Goto (Hokkaido

University)

2. DLBCL: second-line treatment strategy – Dr. Kosuke Miki (Hokkaido University)
3. FL: Positioning of CAR-T cell therapy - Dr. Takahiro Fujino (Kyoto Prefectural University of Medicine)
4. Real-world issues to be solved in CAR-T cell therapy for DLBCL - Dr. Yuma Naito (Mie University)

10:00–10:45 Special lecture: How to Develop a “Dream Therapy”

Chair: Prof. Shinya Kimura (Saga University), Prof. Miki Ando (Juntendo University)

1. SCT for congenital metabolic disorders – Prof. Takeshi Takeya (Shimane University, Pediatrics)
2. Development of novel CAR-T therapy through international collaboration – Prof. Yoshiyuki Takahashi (Nagoya University, Pediatrics)

10:50–11:30 Luncheon Seminar (tentative)

11:30–11:35 Closing Remarks

- Prof. Junji Suzumiya (Koga Community Hospital x , Chair of the Workshop)

Return transfer by chartered bus to Obihiro Airport

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- JAL departure: 13:40 (to Haneda)
- ANA departure: 13:55 (to Haneda)

Outdoor activities for accompanying persons will be announced later.

Please register individually once the information is provided.

For inquiries, please contact:

The 9th Tsurui Lymphoma Workshop

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