Overview of the Basic Plan to Promote Cancer Control Programs

Relief of all patients and their families

- Reduction in the number of deaths caused by cancer (20% reduction)
- Relief of pain and improved quality of recuperation life for all cancer patients and their families

Primary measures

- Early discovery of cancer
  - Percentage of people receiving cancer screening 50%

- Prevention of cancer
  - Smoking rate of minors 0%

- Promotion of radiation therapy/chemotherapy and training of doctors specialized in this area
  - Implementation of “radiation therapy/chemotherapy” at all core hospitals

- Implementation of palliative care from the early stage of treatment
  - Conduct basic training on palliative care for all doctors engaged in cancer treatment

- Promotion of cancer registration
  - Increase in the number of medical institutions implementing cancer registrations

- Improved medical institutions, etc.

- Establish core hospitals in every secondary medical area, in principle, and establish community-based cooperative critical paths for the 5 major cancers

- Consultation support/information on cancer medical care
  - Establish consultation support centers in every secondary medical area and deploy counsellors who have completed the necessary training

Cancer research