Remote Island Medical Welfare Research Conference

We held "The 11th Remote Island Medical Welfare Conference". The conference is to consider the medical and welfare problems to occur due to declining and aging population on remote islands.

· Date: March 26, 2020

· Place: Kagawa Prf. Saiseikai Hospital

· Participants: Saiseikai, Local governments,

Kagawa University

At the end of this fiscal year, we reported the questionnaires survey results of Ogijima island



and Hiroshima island (including Teshima island and Koteshima island) which surveyed before, to the islanders. Furthermore, we conducted new questionnaire survey on Awashima island and we are compiling the results now.

In addition, in the Research conference, as a trial of telemedicine which is effective for the medical treatment of remote islands, we data-linked the annual health check data of the islanders conducted by Saiseimaru (medical ship), to KMIX. This made it possible for the hospitals and clinics in the prefecture to effectively use the health check data for medical treatment.

We will make these contents to booklet in April, and distribute to Saiseikai, Kagawa University, related municipalities, and islands to get using.

Since we were able to understand the situation on remote islands, necessary for future medical and welfare measures for islanders, the Remote Island Medical Welfare Research Conference will be closed at the end of this fiscal year (end of fiscal 2020).