

The signing ceremony for “Letter of Intent on Cooperation in the field of healthcare between the Cabinet Secretariat of Japan and the Cabinet of Ministers of the Republic of Azerbaijan” was held on the 27th October, 2015 at the cabinet of ministers of Azerbaijan with participation of Mr. Amari, the Minister in charge of Helthcare Policy of Japan and Mr. Sharifov, the Deputy Prime Minister of Azerbaijan.

Mr. Aikawa, the Director of Medical Excellence JAPAN* explained to the Deputy Prime Minister that the medical-services community of Japan is ready to cooperate with Azerbaijan in the future.

Both countries share the mutual interest in promoting cooperation in the field of healthcare based on following two points.

- The Sides will explore opportunities to develop mutually beneficial cooperation in the field of healthcare, including human resource development on both public and private bases.
- As a part of the cooperation on human resource development indicated in this Letter of Intent, the Cabinet Secretariat of Japan welcomes that a training program in the area of “Hospital Management” through technical cooperation scheme of Japan International Cooperation Agency will be initiated around March 2016.

* Medical Excellence JAPAN was established in 2011 with the support of the Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry to promote the globalization of Japan’s medical services as public and private partnership under the philosophy of mutually beneficial international cooperation.

