

# Department of Mental Health Policy and Evaluation

## Mission

To understand current status of Mental Health and Welfare, to evaluate health policy measures, to analyze, evaluate and give an overhead view of psychiatric clinical practice scientifically, and to seek an effective approach for health policy measures.

### The 630 survey

- Time point of 30 June, each year
- Static status of psychiatric inpatients
- Mental clinic activity status
- One-year discharge status of inpatients admitted to the hospital in June in the previous year
- Designating status of persons with disabilities
- Supported by the MHLW

### The World Mental Health Survey

- The prevalence of the psychiatric diseases among general citizens, etc
- Supported by WHO, the University of Tokyo

### For Community Healthcare Initiatives

- These surveys assess the fundamental statistics available to the public in Japan and archives of past psychiatric healthcare data, analyze aggregated data and present the hypothesis
- Necessary amount of the medical care, current situation of community mental health and welfare, etc.

### PECO study

- Collecting information from Electronic Medical Records of inpatients, and benchmarking the outcome measures for mental healthcare quality
- seclusion, restraint, appropriateness of the use of antipsychotic medicines, safety management, etc

Preparing the Guidelines for the appropriate use of antipsychotic medicines

Examination and developing measures for approach to Least Restrictive Alternative

### Primary and Secondary Prevention of Mental Illness

- Promote the activities for community mental health
- Epidemiology and prophylactic intervention of perinatal mental illness

