

# **Bonovo Held Spinous Process Fusion Plate (BacFuse) Case Study Forum & Technique Promotion**

“The Spinous Process Fusion Plate (BacFuse) Case Study Forum & Technique Promotion” was inaugurated in Ritz-Carlton Hotel in Beijing at 2 PM on 16<sup>th</sup> June, 2017. Prof. Tang Hai from Department of Orthopedics, Beijing Friendship Hospital was invited as the program chairman and more than 30 experts in orthopedics from Beijing, the northeast China and Xinjiang were invited to attend the forum..

Prof. Tang has operated more than 300 cases on BacFuse and has accumulated abundant experience in BacFuse surgical technique. Prof. Tang gave a systematic and thorough review of BacFuse spinous fusion technique and emphasized on product characteristics, product advantages, surgery technique and indications as well as former successful cases. A heated discussion among the experts took place after Prof. Tang’s speech. Compared to the traditional spinal fixation system using pedicle screws and rods, BacFuse has outstanding advantages. The surgical procedure is easier to conduct with much less time and the invasion is minimal. The interspinous ligaments can be preserved and no bony structure damage would be involved.. Direct or indirect decompression can be done to conduct segmental fusion. Surgeons can choose from separate segment implant, multi-segment implants and also complementary implantation with TLIF, XLIF and LLIF. The advantages of BacFuse are also obvious compared to similar products in that BacFuse can be used in a broader realm. Some of the experts attended the conference had done BacFuse surgeries before and some of the experts attended showed great interest in BacFuse technique.

In the final part of the conference, Mr. Yong Song, CEO of Bonovo awarded Prof..

Tang with the certificate and trophy as a Program Chairman and also awarded other experts with certificates. The conference came to a perfect ending with a group photo of all the attending experts. It is foreseeable that BacFuse would bring more benefits to the patients in need of it after this successful technique promotion conference.



Fig 1. Group photo of attending experts



Fig 2. Prof.. Tang Hai is giving a lecture of spinous fusion technique



Fig.3. The experts are listening to the conference attentively



Fig. 4. Mr. Yong Song, Bonovo's CEO is giving a lecture on BacFuse technique