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Dr Masamichi Takahashi is a neurosurgeon and neuro-oncologist, focusing on brain tumors. Dr Takahashi was born in Tokyo in 1975, receiving his MD degree from Niigata University in 2001 and PhD from the University of Tokyo in 2011, and completed residency program of neurosurgery at the University of Tokyo Hospital. He also engaged in oncolytic virus research in his PhD period, and worked as a postdoctoral fellow at University of California at Los Angeles (UCLA) during 2011-2014, focusing on gene therapy. He joined the Department of Neurosurgery and Neuro-Oncology at National Cancer Center Hospital (Tokyo) in 2014 and conducted several multi-center researches including clinical trials, and became a professor and chair of the Department of neurosurgery, Tokai University School of Medicine in 2024. Known for his commitment to both patient care and medical education, Dr Takahashi continues to make significant contributions to the field of neurosurgery.