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Kyutech's policy on precautionary measures for COVID-19 Under the declaration of a state of emergency

The COVID-19 pandemic is spreading in Japan. In response to this situation, the declaration of a state of emergency for Fukuoka prefecture has been issued from 20th August. Also, in Kyutech, there are more and more cases of the infection in August. In addition, the infection is spreading among young people under the 5th wave of COVID-19 pandemic.

If you finished to get a vaccination, you may infection, so, you should be careful.

Kyutech issues a notice as follows, and also requests all the students to exercise thorough primary measures to prevent infection (wearing a mask, avoid 3Cs, sterilizing hands and fingers) and to be more cautions and responsible for your actions.

1. Entry to campus

It is allowed to enter the campus with the maximum precautionary measures. When you enter, please follow the rules of each campus and also observe the following.

- Students belonging to a lab shall record their action history precisely under instructions of supervisors.
- Avoid 3Cs (confined spaces, crowded places and close-contact settings) and make sure to practice physical distancing (2m if possible, more than 1m at the least).
- Wear a face mask when coming to campus/going home, being indoor, having conversations even if you don't have any symptoms.
- Monitor your health condition with Self-monitoring Sheet. If you have any flu-like symptoms, you are not allowed to enter the campus.
- Measure your body temperature before coming to campus. When you didn't, be sure to check your body temperature with the thermography camera on each campus.
About where you can find the thermography cameras, check the [website of the University Health Center](#).
- If any flu-like symptoms appeared (on any of the days before coming to campus), follow the [Flow chart for COVID-19 control \(Revived on 1 December, 2020\)](#) for reporting and consultation, and recuperate at home.
- It is recommended to install "COVID-19 Contact-Confirming Application (COCOA)" released by the Ministry of health, Labor and Welfare.

2. Extracurricular activities

Extracurricular activities can be allowed under the “Risk level 4: Prevent Spread” and you can active only online from 20th August to the end of the declaration of a state of emergency.

● [Form of Restart Plan of Extracurricular Activity](#) (Japanese)

3. Training camps, away games/matches (including on-campus games/matches with invited opponents from outside the University), concerts, live shows, events

About the activities such as expedition, games and matches, concert and so on, they could be allowed under “Risk Level 3: Strict Caution”. However, all activities except online activity are prohibited under the declaration of a state of emergency.

4. Prohibition of events and actions with higher risks

A. Prohibition of parties

There are many cases of the infection caused by drinking party (including drinking outside), Karaoke and so on. Under the declaration, Kyutech prohibits the students from the events and actions with higher risks of infection such as; drinking parties (including public drinking); dining in groups; parties (both indoor and outdoor); karaoke parties, and so on.

B. Restart to use “Choyo Sanso” (Kyutech’s retreat facility)

Under the declaration, it’s prohibited to use “Choyo Sanso”.

5. Part time job

We are seeing that the infection is occurring among colleagues of part time job. Please go home directly after working. And, if you get new part time job, you should choose the working place avoiding 3Cs (confined spaces, crowded places and close-contact settings).

When you work part time job, please obey the guideline to take precautionary measure of your working place and take individual preventing infection action.

6. If you have fever or flu-like symptoms

Contact the University Health Center first. Then call your home doctor if you have, and follow their instructions and take medical examination. If you don’t have a home doctor, call a consultation center in your residential area and follow their instructions. You can find the contact list on the flowchart below. The flowchart also gives you a guidance on suspected COVID-19 symptoms and home recuperation period.

● [Flow chart for COVID-19 control: When you have fever or flu like symptoms](#)

7. If you are identified as close contact

Contact the University Health Center immediately and stay at home by referring to the flowchart below. Please follow the instructions of Public Health Center.

● [Flow chart for COVID-19 control: When you are identified as a close contact](#)