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## **Request for thorough precautions against COVID-19**

COVID-19 is now spreading all over Japan especially in metropolitan areas such as Tokyo, Osaka, and Aichi. And on 21 July, Fukuoka prefecture has hit highest single day of new coronavirus cases with 53.

According to news reports, a COVID-19 cluster occurred in July among university students in Tohoku area who had a gathering at a restaurant and 15 out of 18 participants has been confirmed to be infected.

In response to this situation, Kyutech reminds its students of the thorough preventive measures as follows and requests for cautious actions against infection.

The situations of COVID-19 spread is still unforeseeable and the University will provide information by e-mail or notices on the university website.

Please be noted that your cautious and responsible actions prevent the spread, and your understanding and cooperation are highly appreciated.

### **1. Thorough basic precautions against infection**

Take basic preventive measures thoroughly, such as;

- wear a face mask (but also be careful of heat stroke)
- wash and sterilize hands and fingers
- exercise cough etiquette
- measure your body temperature and check your health condition every day
- secure social distance (stay at least 2 meters away from others)

### **2. Avoid the 3Cs**

Refrain from meetings and gatherings under the 3C conditions;

- confined spaces with poor ventilation
- crowded places where many people gather
- close contact settings with close-range conversations

### **3. If you have a fever or flu-like symptoms**

Follow the "[Flow chart for COVID-19 control](#)", report to the University and recuperate at home (health observation).

#### **4. Domestic and overseas travel**

If you travel, please check the infection situation of your destination and be cautious about your actions.

##### **【Domestic】**

The prefectures below are having a hike in the number of new infections (as of 22 July).  
About other prefectures, be cautious of the changing situations.

Saitama / Chiba / Tokyo / Kanagawa / Osaka / Aichi / Kyoto / Hyogo

##### **【Overseas】**

146 countries and regions are designated as Level 3 (Avoid all travel) in MOFA's Travel Advice and Warning on Infectious Diseases (as of 21 July).

See the details on [MOFA's website](#).

#### **5. Events with unavoidable close contacts**

The University requests to cancel or postpone the events with unavoidable close contacts, such as freshman welcome party and social gathering, until the end of August in principle.

- No holding
- No inviting
- No joining

#### **6. If you are infected or confirmed as a close contact with patient**

In the following cases, report immediately to the University at the contact list in the [Flow chart](#) in the Item 3. The University will closely contact Public Health Center and may request you to suspend attending classes for a certain period of time.

- If you or your family member living together are confirmed to be infected by medical or inspection institution
- If you or your family member living together are confirmed to be a close contact with patient by Public Health Center

#### **7. Installing the Government's COVID-19 app**

It is recommended to install the application below.

[COVID-19 Contact Confirming Application \(COCOA\)](#)