

March 4<sup>th</sup>, 2020

### In Response to the Novel Coronavirus Outbreak

Dear students,

In response to the outbreak of the novel coronavirus, we ask that students continue to take caution in the following ways.

1. In regards to travelling to China, South Korea, or Italy (Countries with regions classified by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs as Infectious Disease Risk Level 2 or above)  
At this time, please refrain from making any non-urgent trips to the above countries.
2. In regards to (re-) entering Japan from China, South Korea, or Italy (Countries with regions classified by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs as Infectious Disease Risk Level 2 or above)
  - 1) If you experience symptoms such as a fever or coughing while in one of the above countries, follow local instructions.
  - 2) If you experience the above symptoms upon entering Japan from the above countries, you must report to the airport quarantine and follow their instructions.
3. After (re-) entering Japan from China, South Korea, or Italy (Countries with regions classified by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs as Infectious Disease Risk Level 2 or above)
  - 1) Once you have (re-) entered Japan, carefully monitor your health for 14 days and refrain from leaving the house outside of urgent reasons, regardless of the presence of symptoms such as a fever or coughing.
  - 2) If you experience a fever of 37.5 C or above, as well as symptoms such as coughing, or a sore throat, contact the health center of your jurisdiction or a call center for the coronavirus, and follow their instructions.
4. Those who have not recently travelled to China, South Korea, or Italy (Countries with regions classified by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs as Infectious Disease Risk Level 2

or above)

If you experience a fever of 37.5 C or above, as well as symptoms such as coughing, or a sore throat or similar change in health, refrain from leaving the house outside of urgent reasons, regardless of the possibility of infection or not. If you do not recover after 4 days, contact the health center of your jurisdiction and follow their instructions.

5. Regarding extracurricular activities

1) Cancel or postpone any events or activities that include dining or overnight stay.

2) Refrain from engaging in any other activities such as routine practices, so as not to spread the virus.

3) For the foreseeable future, refrain from using campus facilities for the purpose of extracurricular activities.

6. Those who tested positive or were informed of the possibility of infection of the novel coronavirus, upon examination at a medical institution

Immediately inform the Hitotsubashi University Health Center by phone , and follow the instructions of the medical institution. Do not attend campus or engage in extracurricular activities.

Hitotsubashi University Health Center (TEL : 042-580-8172)

<http://www.hit-u.ac.jp/eng/campuslife/health/center.html>

(Related Websites)

Ministry of Health, Labor and Welfare

[https://www.mhlw.go.jp/stf/seisakunitsuite/bunya/0000164708\\_00001.html](https://www.mhlw.go.jp/stf/seisakunitsuite/bunya/0000164708_00001.html)

Ministry of Foreign Affairs Overseas Safety Website

<https://www.anzen.mofa.go.jp/riskmap/>

Tama District Tachikawa Health Center

<https://www.fukushihoken.metro.tokyo.lg.jp/tthc/toiawase.html>

Tama District Kodaira Health Center

<https://www.fukushihoken.metro.tokyo.lg.jp/smph/tamakodaira/index.html>

Call center for those returning to or leaving Japan

<https://www.fukushihoken.metro.tokyo.lg.jp/iryu/kansen/coronasodan.html>