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OUTBREAK OF MIDDLE EAST RESPIRATORY SYNDROME (MERS) IN KOREA

ATTN: Those returning to/entering Japan within 14 days of being in Korea or the Middle East (Arabian Peninsula and surrounding countries)

If you have a fever and respiratory symptoms such as coughing, and think you may have had contact with a probable MERS patient, please call one of the below health centers immediately.

To prevent secondary infections, DO NOT visit healthcare facilities in person.

Tohoku University students, please also contact the Student Health Care Center by email.
ebola@grp.tohoku.ac.jp

Status of Outbreak in Korea

The first MERS patient was confirmed in Korea on May 20, 2015. Since then, there have been an increasing number of patients, secondary infections at healthcare facilities, and a number of deaths from the disease.



Health Center Contact Information

Aoba-ku Health/Welfare Center: 022-225-7211
Miyaginoku Health/Welfare Center: 022-291-2111
Wakabayashi-ku Health/Welfare Center: 022-282-1111
Taihaku-ku Health/Welfare Center: 022-247-1111
Izumi-ku Health/Welfare Center: 022-372-3111

Sendai City Bureau of Health, Department of Health and Safety