

Issuing of the Fukuoka Corona Alert

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The number of new cases has been on the rise since late June, with a 7-day average showing that the number of new cases has almost doubled from about 642 on June 18 to about 1,313 on July 5.

With the three-day weekend in July and summer holidays coming up, increased human contact is expected. Since the spread of infection could increase the burden on medical institutions, we issued the Fukuoka Corona Alert on July 6, based on expert opinions and consultations with municipalities, to ask prefectural residents and businesses to thoroughly implement infection prevention measures.

Request to Prefectural Residents

After the Fukuoka Corona Alert was lifted on May 31, prefectural residents and businesses have been working to prevent the spread of infection, and we ask again for your understanding and cooperation on the following points upon the issuance of the Fukuoka Corona Alert.

Ensure basic infection prevention measures

- Avoidance of three-Cs
- Proper wearing of masks
- Hand hygienic practices
- Ventilation etc.



Refrain from going out if you **have a fever.**

We ask once again that all people, including those who have been vaccinated, take thoroughgoing basic infection prevention measures such as avoiding the three C's, hand washing and other hand hygiene, wearing masks and other hand hygiene, and ventilation. If you have symptoms such as fever, please avoid

going out and seek medical attention. In particular, avoid contact with people at high risk of serious illness, such as the elderly.



*All of these are limited to cases where there is little or no conversation, or where the person is at least 2m (approx.) away from the person.

Note that masks are not required to be worn outdoors when people can be a reasonable distance away from each other due to the increased risk of heatstroke.

Vaccination

Those who wish to be vaccinated, please do as soon as possible!

Third Vaccination

Fourth Vaccination

(e.g., those over 60 years old, those with underlying medical conditions, etc.)



We ask that the elderly and others who have been vaccinated five months after the third vaccination consider receiving the fourth vaccination as soon as possible. We also recommend that those who have not yet received the third dose of the vaccine also consider receiving it as soon as possible.

Asymptomatic persons who are concerned about being infected

Free PCR and other tests

Available at 563 locations in the prefecture



Those who are concerned about infection are encouraged to take advantage of the free testing currently available at 563 locations throughout the prefecture.

Eating and drinking

- Use restaurants with thorough **infection prevention measures**



When dining out, please choose restaurants that have thorough infection prevention measures in place, including restaurants with infection prevention certification.