May 28, 2020

Dear FRIS members,

Subject: Future Control System for Infection Prevention at FRIS

In response to the declaration of a nationwide state of emergency that lifted Miyagi Prefecture from the target area on May 14, the action guideline level at Tohoku University was lowered from 4 to 3 as of May 18, and the control system for infection prevention at FRIS was approved by the Headquarters for New Coronavirus Infectious Diseases as shown in the attachment, so we will implement this control system from now on.

We ask that you continue to implement thorough infection prevention measures and take appropriate measures based on the Level of Action Guidelines and this control system.

In addition, please be sure to report on your entry to FRIS, weekly checks by the laboratory head, and reports on the visits of vendors, etc., according to the attached "Flow Chart of the Infection Control System at FRIS".

Sincerely,

Toshiyuki Hayase Director of FRIS

[Materials]

I. Application form for a new coronavirus infection prevention and control system (approved by the headquarters)

2. Flow chart of infection control system at FRIS

3. What to do in case of suspected new coronavirus infection

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