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Dear FRIS members,

Subject: Request for thorough measures to prevent infection

The number of cases is on the rise in Tokyo and other parts of the country, and also in Miyagi Prefecture, the number of infected people has been increasing since mid-June. There have been a number of incidents that require extreme caution.

The basics such as "washing hands frequently", "wearing masks", "avoiding 3C (Three Cs)", and "taking care of one's health" are the most important, the preventing infection in a thorough manner and acting responsibly is important.

In order to prevent the spread of infection, it is also important to keep a record of your activities. Self-management of behavioral history, especially for recording activities on business trips and when away from home (counterpart, time, route, place of visit), is also important. Besides, you are recommended to use the Contact Confirming App (COCOA). And also, you should use creating an access control tool developed by the Information Department that utilizes smartphones and QR codes to keep track of your activities on TU campus.

The current Level 1 Guidelines allow for business trips and events in accordance with the Guidelines, however, each student and faculty member has to be aware of their own awareness and responsibility to always consider the social situation and the risk of infection in their activities. Please continue to prevent the spread of infection by self-awareness and responsible behavior.

Website for COCOA: [https://www.mhlw.go.jp/stf/seisakunitsuite/english\\_rk\\_00031.html](https://www.mhlw.go.jp/stf/seisakunitsuite/english_rk_00031.html)

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