

Requests to the residents (December 25, 2020)

The Osaka Prefectural Government extended the period of their request to their residents for self-restraint in non-essential and non-urgent outings until January 11, 2021.

In response to this situation, the residents of Wakayama Prefecture are also requested to refrain from non-essential and non-urgent visit to Osaka as much as possible until January 11, 2021.

In addition, those who return to their hometown in Wakayama Prefecture from the areas where infections are widespread are requested to behave carefully in order to avoid infecting the elderly, etc. who are at higher risk of developing serious illness.

- Please refrain from non-essential and non-urgent visit to Osaka as much as possible.
- * Period: Same as the period of the corresponding request of the Osaka Prefectural Government (December 4, 2020 to January 11, 2021)
- * When you go to Osaka for work or school, please implement basic preventive measures thoroughly.
- Those who return to their hometown in Wakayama Prefecture from the areas where infections are widespread are requested to behave carefully in order to avoid infecting the elderly, etc.

Please also pay continued attention to the following ten points requested earlier.

- Refraining from eating in a group or going to restaurants/bars where staff entertain customers in the areas where infections are particularly widespread
- Refraining from dining and staying together in a group late into the night
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- Self-restraint by the elderly in participating in large-scale events such as karaoke or dance parties
- Self-restraint by medical and welfare facilities' staff in having meals with non-family members
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- Consulting with a clinic as soon as symptoms are found
- Checking temperature at businesses
- Particular attention to be paid by hospitals and welfare facility services
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- Guidelines to prevent the spread of infections for each business
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- Further attention to be paid by close contacts even when they tested negative
- Early suspicion of COVID-19 by medical institutions