

The City of Osaka's Response to H1N1 Influenza

Kindergartens, Elementary Schools, Junior High Schools, and Daycare Centers

- All Osaka Municipal kindergartens, elementary schools, junior high schools, high schools, and community education facilities will have days cut from the summer vacation period to make up for class time lost due to the emergency school closures caused by the outbreak of H1N1. The reduced summer break will run from Tuesday, July 21, through Wednesday, August 26.

(as of June 16 2009)

Other Facilities

- All municipal public facilities are to maintain health notices at their entrances and to remain open.
- Municipal affairs continue to operate normally.

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H1N1 Influenza Prevention

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How can I best protect myself from the virus?

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- ① Wear a surgical mask if you are experiencing any symptoms, such as fever, coughing, or sneezing.
- ② Avoid crowds and do not go out unless absolutely necessary.
- ③ When returning home, wash your hands and gargle. Wash your hands thoroughly, with soap and running water, for at least 15 seconds.
- ④ Stick to healthy eating and sleeping habits to keep up your body's resistance to viruses.