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To all students and faculty staffs

Meiji University

**Notice regarding measures to limit the spread of
the Ebola hemorrhagic fever epidemic**

In regard to the recent epidemic of Ebola hemorrhagic fever in Guinea, Liberia, Sierra Leone, and Democratic Republic of the Congo, the Japanese Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (MEXT) urges all students and faculty staff to pay close attention to the newest measures to ensure their safety.

MEXT advises everyone to postpone, or refrain from, traveling to infected areas unless it is urgent and necessary. It also recommends the following online sources for acquiring the latest and most accurate information.

Returning travelers from the above-mentioned countries should follow instructions from quarantine stations. Anyone who has a fever within one month after returning from those areas should refrain from visiting local clinics and immediately call public health centers to ask for further medical instructions.

(Related online sources)

Overseas Safety Homepage of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs

<http://www.anzen.mofa.go.jp>

Quarantine Information Office homepage of the Ministry of Health, Labor, and Welfare

<http://www.forth.go.jp/>

National Institute of Infectious Diseases

<http://www.nih.go.jp/niid/en/>

Disease Control and Prevention Center at the National Center for Global Health and Medicine

<http://dcc.ncgm.jp/>

World Health Organization (WHO)

<http://www.who.int/en/>