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To all NAIST students, faculty and staff

Measures concerning the spread of the new coronavirus infection during Obon holidays

During this upcoming Obon holidays, you may have more occasions to meet elderly people and have drinking and eating with your family and friends when returning to your hometown. With this in mind, I would like to ask everyone to consider practicing the basic measures to prevent the spread of the new coronavirus (COVID-19) infection such as thorough use of masks and hand-washing, disinfecting, ventilation, no loud-talking and avoiding 3Cs. Especially, please avoid the situations that increase the risks to become infected by refraining from meeting for food and drinks in a large numbers, etc to prevent elderly people from infection with the coronavirus.

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