

Information about COVID-19 Vaccination

On March 31, 2024, current special temporary measures for COVID-19 vaccinations will end.

◎New Vaccination Policy

From April of 2024, the COVID-19 vaccine will be administered as a periodic vaccination in the same manner as seasonal flu injections, etc.

◎ Details of Periodic Vaccination (Eligibility, Time Period, Cost)

Eligibility

- ① Those aged 65 years old and above.
- ② Those aged between 60 and 64 years old who suffer from chronic severe heart or kidney diseases, and respiratory dysfunction, etc.

Time Period

- ✧ Once per year, likely during the autumn/winter season

Cost

- ✧ In principle, the cost will be borne by the individual. The cost will be decided individually by each municipality, so please await further information from your local authority.

◎ Optional Vaccination

From April of 2024, those wishing to receive the COVID-19 vaccine who are not eligible for the periodic vaccination will be able to receive an optional vaccination. In principle, all costs will be borne by the individual. Details regarding the cost and timing will be decided individually by medical institutions administering the vaccinations.

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