

June 27, 2020 Novel Coronavirus Case in Tochigi Prefecture (Case No. 72)

Active Epidemiological Investigation (Report No. 1)

June 29, 2020

The confirmed results of the active epidemiological investigation of the case of novel coronavirus (Case 72) declared on June 27 in Tochigi Prefecture are as follows. The information announced today is underlined.

【Patient Summary (Case 72)】

1. Age: 30s
2. Sex: Male

3. Area: Kanuma City

4. Symptoms and progression:

- June 27            After cases 67, 68, and 69 were confirmed positive, Utsunomiya City's Public Health Center arranged for the patient to be tested at Utsunomiya City's PCR Testing Center on the basis of having been in close contact with the infected parties. The patient presented with fever (37°C range).
- June 28            Samples taken at the PCR Testing Center. Tested via PCR at the Utsunomiya Hygiene and Environmental Testing Center and confirmed positive. Presented with fatigue.
- June 29            Hospitalized at a medical facility in Tochigi Prefecture.

5. Patient Behavior History

- Wore a mask during transportation.
- Went to work from June 22 to June 25 at the nightclub CLUB EIGHT.
- June 25            Went to a restaurant in Tochigi Prefecture with an acquaintance.
- June 26            Stayed at home after going out to a restaurant and shopping briefly at a supermarket.
- Went to work at CLUB EIGHT from the night of June 26 until the morning of June 27.
- June 27            Stayed home after visiting a restaurant in Tochigi Prefecture.
- June 28            Examined at the Utsunomiya City PCR Testing Center, then shopped for food and stayed at a hotel in Tochigi Prefecture.
- Traveled by car.

6. People in Close Contact with the Patient

- Two members of the patient's family (wife and child) and two acquaintances were in close contact with the patient. One acquaintance was tested via PCR on June 28 and confirmed

negative. The others were tested on June 29. The patient's wife (Case 75) was confirmed positive and the child and second acquaintance confirmed negative.

7. Protocol from now on

- Any new people who are identified as having been in close contact with the patient will be tested via PCR and placed on health observation or asked to refrain from going out.