

【Appendix 2: Matters to be Observed when being issued a Pledge 】

Applicant ⇒ Applicant's Department (Confirm • Retain)

【Important】 Matters to be Observed when being issued a Pledge

Student (Staff) ID Number: _____

Faculty/Grad. School/Ed. Div. and Position: _____

Name: _____

- I hereby confirm that I have read and will observe the matters listed below when entering Japan (You must check this box)
- You must check your temperature daily for 14 days before departure. Should any symptoms of COVID-19, including a fever of 37.5°C or higher, respiratory symptoms, or a strong feeling of weariness (fatigue) be recognized, the trip to Japan must be cancelled or postponed.
- After the written pledge has been issued, you must keep in contact with your department regarding the status of your visa application, and must notify the department of information regarding your flight after your scheduled entry date has been determined.
- You must obtain a certificate, from a local medical institution using the prescribed format, showing that the result of a COVID-19 test you have undertaken, in the country/region of departure, within 72 hours before your departure was negative. You must present the certificate (original or copy) to a quarantine officer and an immigration officer upon your arrival. Please note that if you cannot submit a certificate, you may be denied permission to enter Japan under the relevant provisions of the Immigration Control and Refugee Recognition Act.
- You must take out private medical insurance (including travel insurance covering medical expenses during your period of stay in Japan) before entering Japan.
- You must install the COVID-19 contact tracing application designated by the Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare on your smartphone by the time of your arrival in Japan, and you must ensure that the application remains active for 14 days after entering Japan.
- You must retain the location data collected by the map application on your smartphone for 14 days after entering Japan.
- You must undergo a COVID-19 test when you enter Japan. You must then stay at a location specified by a quarantine director and refrain from meeting anyone else until the results of the test are known.
- For the first 14 days after entering Japan, transit must be limited to one of the following means: private car, rental car, or a designated hire car

- After the results of the test are known, you are required to stay at your accommodation or at home for 14 days after entering Japan, and you must not come into contact with anyone else.
- For the first 14 days after entering Japan, you must check your health and report the results to your department by a designated means.
- If you test positive for COVID-19 within 14 days of entering Japan and are called on to cooperate with an investigation by a public health center, you must submit the data collected by the COVID-19 contact tracing application.
- After entering Japan, you must carry out measures to control the spread of infections, such as:
1. wearing a mask; 2. thoroughly sanitizing your hands; 3. avoiding '3C' situations.
- You must recognize that you may be subject to the revocation of your immigration status and may face deportation under the Immigration Control and Refugee Recognition Act if it transpires that any of the above matters to be observed have been violated, or if it transpires that you have obtained a landing permit by applying for a visa or for a certificate of re-entry through the submission of documentation which contains false information.
- You must confirm the procedures necessary to begin living in your new residence (student dormitory, staff apartment, etc.) in Japan.
- You must act in accordance with regulations specified by the Government of Japan and by the university, and you must respond to all communication from the university and others as soon as possible.

Date _____

Signature _____