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To all Hokkaido University students and staff

Hokkaido University Infection Control Committee (Chair: Hemmi Masaaki)

Cancellation of University countermeasures against increase in cases of type A influenza (H1N1)

Following the outbreak of type A influenza overseas in April last year and the subsequent sharp increase in cases in Japan, the University has adopted countermeasures to prevent the spread of infection among students and staff, including the need to report cases of infection.

In view of the continued reduction in recent cases of infection, the University has now decided to withdraw these countermeasures, including the need to report cases of infection, with effect from Friday, 21 May 2010.

Accordingly, the earlier advice of 25 September 2009 (University countermeasures against increase in cases of type A influenza (H1N1)) issued by the Committee is hereby cancelled.