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Korea Centers for Disease Control & Prevention

# The Updates of COVID-19 in Republic of Korea

As of 11 March, 2020

○ As of 0:00, 11 March, 2020, a total of 7,755 cases have been confirmed with 288 cases discharged from isolation. The regional distribution of the confirmed cases are as follows.

|              | City         |            |           |              |           |           |              |            |           |
|--------------|--------------|------------|-----------|--------------|-----------|-----------|--------------|------------|-----------|
|              | Total        | Seoul      | Busan     | Daegu        | Incheon   | Gwangju   | Daejeon      | Ulsan      | Sejong    |
| isolated     | 7,407        | 156        | 76        | 5,649        | 22        | 12        | 16           | 23         | 10        |
| discharged   | 288          | 37         | 21        | 102          | 3         | 3         | 2            | 2          | 0         |
| deceased     | 60           | 0          | 1         | 43           | 0         | 0         | 0            | 0          | 0         |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>7,755</b> | <b>193</b> | <b>98</b> | <b>5,794</b> | <b>25</b> | <b>15</b> | <b>18</b>    | <b>25</b>  | <b>10</b> |
|              | Province     |            |           |              |           |           |              |            |           |
|              | Gyeonggi     | Gangwon    | Chung-buk | Chung-nam    | Jeon-buk  | Jeon-nam  | Gyeong-buk   | Gyeong-nam | Jeju      |
| isolated     | 149          | 22         | 24        | 111          | 5         | 3         | 1,052        | 74         | 3         |
| discharged   | 25           | 6          | 3         | 1            | 2         | 1         | 69           | 10         | 1         |
| deceased     | 1            | 1          | 0         | 0            | 0         | 0         | 14           | 0          | 0         |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>175</b>   | <b>29</b>  | <b>27</b> | <b>112</b>   | <b>7</b>  | <b>4</b>  | <b>1,135</b> | <b>84</b>  | <b>4</b>  |

○ 80.1% of the total cases have epidemiological links and 19.9% are either under investigation or sporadic cases. More details on the epidemiological links within each region or city are shown in the Table 1 next page. Distribution of the cases by sex and age groups are as indicated in Table 2.

○ There have been 90 cases confirmed at the call center located in Guro-gu, Seoul since 8 March. The epidemiological investigation and contact tracing are underway. 77 cases were known to work on the 11<sup>th</sup> floor. 553 other employees of the same company are currently under self-quarantine even though they work on different floors. Diagnostic test will be conducted as well if necessary.

○ Since the contact with the confirmed cases in a closed place increases the possibility of transmission, it is recommended to work at home or adjust desk locations so as to keep a certain distance among people in the office. More detailed guidelines for local governments and high-risk working environment will be distributed soon.

○ Considering the increasing trend of global transmission, Central Disease Control Headquarters additionally designated Italy and Iran as the quarantine inspection required areas. Therefore, anyone with suspected symptoms should submit a health questionnaire at the point of entry, pass the special entry procedure, and install self-diagnosis application on their cell phone. They could be quarantined at the quarantine station and get tested for COVID-19 when necessary.



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[Table 1. Regional distribution and epidemiological links of the confirmed cases]

| Regions      | sub-total    | Epidemiological links |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | Others*             | Newly confirmed |
|--------------|--------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|-----------------|
|              |              | n(%)                  | Details                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |                     |                 |
| Seoul        | 193          | 149(77.2%)            | Guro-gu Call Center(53), Eunpyeong St. Mary's Hospital(14), Seongdong-gu APT(13), Jongno-gu(10), Jung-gu fashion company(7), Shincheonji(5), Dong-an Church(4) etc.                                                                        | 44(22.8%)           | 52              |
| Busan        | 98           | 70(71.4%)             | Onchun Church(34), Sbincheonji(11), Suyeong-gu Kindergarten(6), Haeundae-gu Catholic Church(6), Jin-gu Academy(4), Daenam Hospital(1), etc.                                                                                                | 28(28.6%)           | 2               |
| Daegu        | 5,794        | 4,755(82.1%)          | Shincheonji(4,096), contacts of the confirmed caces(657), Daenam Hospital(2), etc.                                                                                                                                                         | 1,039(17.9%)        | 131             |
| Incheon      | 25           | 20(80.0%)             | Guro-gu Call Center(14), Shincheonji(2), contacts of the confirmed cases(3), the existing imported cases(1)                                                                                                                                | 5(20.0%)            | 12              |
| Gwangju      | 15           | 10(66.7%)             | Shincheonji(9), the existing imported cases(1)                                                                                                                                                                                             | 5(33.3%)            | 0               |
| Daejeon      | 18           | 10(55.6%)             | Contacts of the confirmed cases(8), Shincheonji(2)                                                                                                                                                                                         | 8(44.4%)            | 0               |
| Ulsan        | 25           | 16(64.0%)             | Related to Shincheonji(13), contacts of the confirmed cases(3)                                                                                                                                                                             | 9(36.0%)            | 1               |
| Sejong       | 10           | 9(90.0%)              | Related to the gym(8), Shincheonji(1)                                                                                                                                                                                                      | 1(10.0%)            | 2               |
| Gyeonggi     | 175          | 136(77.7%)            | Shincheonji(26), Suwon Saeng Myeong Saem Church(10), Bundang Jesaeng Hospital(13), Guro-gu Call Center(13), the existing imported cases(6), etc.                                                                                           | 39(22.3%)           | 12              |
| Gangwon      | 29           | 18(62.1%)             | Related to Shincheonji(15), contacts of the confirmed cases(3)                                                                                                                                                                             | 11(37.9%)           | 1               |
| Chungbuk     | 27           | 25(92.6%)             | Related to Shincheonji(10), Goesan-gun Jangyeon-myeon(11), contacts of the confirmed cases(4)                                                                                                                                              | 2(7.4%)             | 2               |
| Chungnam     | 112          | 105(93.8%)            | The gym in Cheonan(99), Seosan research center(6)                                                                                                                                                                                          | 7(6.3%)             | 8               |
| Jeonbuk      | 7            | 4(57.1%)              | Contacts of the confirmed cases(2), Related to the existing imported cases(1), Shincheonji(1)                                                                                                                                              | 3(42.9%)            | 0               |
| Jeonnam      | 4            | 3(75.0%)              | Shincheonji(1), the existing imported cases(1), contacts of the confirmed cases(1)                                                                                                                                                         | 1(25.0%)            | 0               |
| Gyeongbuk    | 1,135        | 820(72.2%)            | Shincheonji(502), Daenam Hospital (119), Bonghwa Pureun Nursing Home(54), Pilgrimage to Israel(49), Milal Shelter(25), Gyeongsan Seonrin Nursing Home(21), Gyeongsan Jeil Silver Town(17), Gyeongsan Cham Joeun Community Center(15), etc. | 315(27.8%)          | 18              |
| Gyeongnam    | 84           | 63(75.0%)             | Shincheonji(29), Geochang Church(10), Geochang Woongyang-myeon(8), Geochang Hanmaeum Changwon Hospital(7), Changnyeong Coin Karaoke(7), Busan Onchun Church(2)                                                                             | 21(25.0%)           | 1               |
| Jeju         | 4            | -                     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | 4(100.0%)           | 0               |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>7,755</b> | <b>6,213(80.1%)</b>   | <b>4,723 (60.9%) cases are related to Shincheonji</b>                                                                                                                                                                                      | <b>1,542(19.9%)</b> | <b>242</b>      |

\* Not classified into a cluster or under investigation

※ The interim classification is based on the reporting location, which may change depending on further epidemiological investigation.



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[Table 2. Distribution of the cases by sex and age groups]

|               |          | Confirmed cases<br>n(%) |                | Death<br>n(%) |                | Fatality rate<br>% |
|---------------|----------|-------------------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|--------------------|
| <b>Total</b>  |          | <b>7,755</b>            | <b>(100.0)</b> | <b>60</b>     | <b>(100.0)</b> | <b>0.77</b>        |
| Sex           | Male     | 2,947                   | (38.0)         | 35            | (64.8)         | 1.19               |
|               | Female   | 4,808                   | (62.0)         | 25            | (46.3)         | 0.52               |
| Age<br>Groups | Above 80 | 236                     | (3.0)          | 17            | (28.3)         | 7.20               |
|               | 70-79    | 483                     | (6.2)          | 21            | (35.0)         | 4.35               |
|               | 60-69    | 960                     | (12.4)         | 14            | (23.3)         | 1.46               |
|               | 50-59    | 1,472                   | (19.0)         | 6             | (10.0)         | 0.41               |
|               | 40-49    | 1,082                   | (14.0)         | 1             | (1.7)          | 0.09               |
|               | 30-39    | 804                     | (10.4)         | 1             | (1.7)          | 0.12               |
|               | 20-29    | 2,238                   | (28.9)         | 0             | (0.0)          | -                  |
|               | 10-19    | 405                     | (5.2)          | 0             | (0.0)          | -                  |
|               | 0-9      | 75                      | (1.0)          | 0             | (0.0)          | -                  |