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☐ As of 0:00, 7 August 2020, the total number of confirmed cases is 14,519 (including 2,531 imported cases), of which 13,543 cases have been discharged from isolation. There are 9 new local cases, 11 new imported cases, and 1 new death.

[Overall case and test status, as of 0:00, 7 August (cumulative since 3 January 2020)]

Period			Tested positi	ve (PCR)		Testing in	Tested negative	
(since 3 Jan)	Total	Confirmed	Discharged from isolation	Under isolation	Deceased	progress	(PCR)	
As of 0:00 6 August (Thu)	1,606,487	14,499	13,501	696	302	18,031	1,573,957	
As of 0:00 7 August (Fri)	1,613,652	14,519	13,543	673	303	17,068	1,582,065	
Difference	(+)7,165	(+)20	(+)42	(-)23	1	(-)963	(+)8,108	

^{*} Based on case data reported to the KCDC

- ☐ The current state* of major local clusters as of today (as of 12:00, 7 August) are as follows:
 - * The specific figures below may differ from the daily reported statistics (which are based on figures as of 0:00 today) or figures disclosed by local municipalities due to factors such as report timing and differences in the time period considered
- Related to a coffee shop in Gangnam-gu, Seoul City, and a restaurant in Yangjae-dong, Seoul City, 1
 additional cases were confirmed while in quarantine. The new case is a family member of a
 previously confirmed case (restaurant owner). In total, 16* cases have been confirmed.
 - * Seoul = 3 (+1), Gyeonggi = 10 (Including 2 reported as Gyeongbuk), Gyeongbuk = 3
- Related to the Rejoice (Gippeum) 153 Church in Goyang City, Gyeonggi Province, 7 (2 in quarantine, 5 through contact tracing) additional cases were confirmed. In total, 15* cases have been confirmed.
 - * Index case and family members = 5, church members = 3 (+1), coworkers = 6 (+5), acquaintance = 1 (+1) Risk factors: basement floor did not have windows or ventilation system, shared meal after worship service
- Related to the Banseok Church in Pung-dong, Goyang City, Gyeonggi Province, contact tracing (18 individuals) after the confirmation of the index case (5 August) revealed 7 additional confirmed cases (1 family member, 5 church members, 1 family member of church member). In total, 8 cases have been confirmed.
 - * Risk factors: church members shared a meal after service
- ☐ As of 0:00, 7 August, there were 11 imported cases, of which, 5 were confirmed at the point of entry, and 6 were confirmed in the community while in mandatory self-quarantine after arrival. 5 were Korean nationals and 6 foreign nationals.
- The (presumed) location of infection acquisition of the 11 new imported cases are: Americas (4) (US
 4), Africa (1) (Ethiopia 1), and Asia excluding China (6) (Irag 3, Kazakhstan 1, Russia 1, Hong Kong 1).



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	bι	ılk carrier,	total	of 20) sailoi	rs) that h	as beer	n d	ocked	at Ind	cheon	Harbo	r, si	nce i	it en	tered	the	harbo
	or	n 26 July.	In tota	al, 2 ((1 case	confirme	ed on 2	26 J	uly) c	ases h	ave b	een co	onfire	ned.				

- ☐ KCDC analyzed COVID-19 transmission risk factors based on report made through to the Safety Sinmungo* e-Report, and stressed the importance of keeping COVID-19 prevention guidelines in the upcoming weekend.
 - * Reports related to COVID-19 guidelines can be made through the Sinmungo app (Android, iOS) or at www.safetyreport.go.kr
- 1,779 reports have been made during the month of July. Reports related to COVID-19 prevention guideline infractions at PC cafes (61.9%) and restaurants/cafes (11.1%) accounted for the majority of the reports.
- With the start of summer vacation and the holiday season, reports related to PC cafes* and restaurant/cafes** have increased in the second half of July.
- * PC cafes, July reports: 1st week = 149, 2nd week = 264, 3rd week = 160, 4th week = 207, 5th week = 321
- ** restaurants/cafes, July reports: 1st week = 25, 2nd week = 51, 3rd week = 28, 4th week = 41, 5th week = 53

GUIDELINES FOR HEALTHY AND SAFE SCHOOL BREAKS

- 3 do's:

- ▲ Wear a mask when indoors or using public transportation, including in academies (hagwons)
- * Completely cover your mouth and nose, do not touch the surface of your mask, wash your hands before and after putting on a mask
- ▲ Use hand sanitizers or wash your hands often with soap and running water for more than 30 seconds
- ▲ Maintain a 2m distance (1m minimum) from others

- 3 don'ts:

- ▲ Do not go out if you feel sick, including when you have a fever or a cough
- ▲ Do not visit closed, crowded, and close-contact settings (3C's), such as PC cafes and singing rooms
- ▲ Do not touch your eyes, nose, or mouth with unwashed hands
- ☐ In light of the recent damage and flooding caused by heavy rain, KCDC stressed the importance of safe water and food, handwashing, and personal hygiene to prevent infectious diseases.
- Flooded areas are prone to outbreaks of waterborne or foodborne infectious diseases, such as bacterial dysentery, typhoid fever, and enterohemorrhagic E. coli, while increasing the risk of food poisoning.
- Only consume safe food and water (packaged water or boiled water), do not keep cooked food for a long time, and always maintain personal hygiene. Make sure that meals are cooked and prepared with the abovementioned quidelines in mind.

^{**} Figures subject to correction based on findings from epidemiological investigations



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- O Flooded areas are also prone to outbreaks of contagious eye diseases (keratoconjunctivitis, acute hemorrhagic conjunctivitis) and skin diseases.
- Wear long boots and waterproof garments when working in flooded areas, as contact with flood water may cause skin diseases.
- Wash parts of your skin that made contact with flood water with clean water. For those engaged in disaster recovery work, make sure to sufficiently hydrate and take breaks while working.
- O If working around standing water that is left after a typhoon or a flood, there is risk of contracting leptospirosis, which is transmitted through the infected urine of animals.
- While doing rice re-planting work, make sure to wear garments, boots, and rubber gloves that can protect your skin. If you experience symptoms (including fever) after working near standing water, visit your local hospital to see a doctor.
- O Mosquitos can quickly multiply in the rainy season, due to standing water and humid weather. Caution is advised against mosquito-borne infectious diseases (malaria, Japanese encephalitis).
- Standing water and other mosquito-friendly habitats should be removed. Refrain from going outdoors in the evening, take care not to get bitten by mosquitos, and visit your local hospital to see a doctor when you show symptoms (including fever).
- In addition, those using temporary shelters for displaced people are advised to follow the COVID-19
 prevention guidelines, including wearing a mask, washing your hands, and keeping a 2m distance
 from others.

Health Guidelines for the Rainy Season

- The most important rule to follow is thoroughly washing your hands, as most waterborne infectious diseases and contagious eye diseases can be prevented by handwashing.
- Safely preparing food is very important. Make sure to thoroughly heat food before consumption.
- Cooked food should not be stored for a long time.
- People with open wounds on their hands or diarrhea should not prepare food.
- ♦ Wear protective garments, boots, and rubber gloves while re-planting rice.
- Remove mosquito habitats and puddles around your house. Refrain from going outdoors at night, wear bright long-sleeve shirts and pants, use mosquito repellents, and take care not to get bitten by mosquitos.
- ♦ If you have symptoms such as fever and diarrhea, it is highly important to see a doctor.



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☐ In light of the increased COVID-19 transmission occurring in weekend religious events, small-group meetings, and other religious activities, KCDC asked the public for extra caution during the upcoming weekend.

GUIDANCE FOR RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES

- Cancel weekend religious events, summer retreats, and other summer religious events that risk mass transmission, or conduct them in a non-face-to-face manner.
- If hosting such religious events, make sure to minimize attendees, maintain a 2m distance, replace singing with instrumental music, and ensure mask wearing.
- Avoid shared meals or small group meetings before and after a religious event.



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REGIONAL DISTRIBUTION AND EPIDEMIOLOGICAL LINKS OF CONFIRMED CASES

					Cluste	rs				
Region	Total	Imported cases	total checonii		Other local clusters	local confirmed		Other*	New cases	Other major clusters
Seoul	1,645	354	1,038	8	959	71	85	168	9	Nightclubs, Richway, Guro-gu call center, Yangcheon-gu sport facility, Seongsim Day Care Center, SMR newly planted churches group, Wangsung church, Gangseo Central Daycare Center, Coupang, Songpa Love Church, Gangnam-gu office (V Building, Hanhwa Life), Gwanak-gu office, Gangnam-gu financial institution, Sinmyeong Investment, Gangnam office (Yoohwan DnC), Songpa-gu acquaintance meeting, Gangnam-gu coffee shop / Yangjae-dong restaurant etc.
Busan	177	42	85	12	61	12	29	21	0	Onchun Church, Suyeong-gu kindergarten , Nightclubs, Bucheon Harbor (Yeongjin 607), etc.
Daegu	6,943	62	5,215	4,512	699	4	926	740	0	Second Mi-Ju Hospital, Hansarang Convalescent Hospital, Daesil Convalescent Hospital, Fatima Hospital, Daegu Acting Academy, Nightclubs, etc.
Incheon	386	81	281	2	271	8	10	14	0	Coupang, SMR newly planted churches group, Nightclubs, Richway, Guro-gu call center, SMR door-to-door sales gathering, Gangseo Central Daycare Center, etc.
Gwangju	208	28	175	9	160	6	1	4	0	Gwangju door-to-door sales, Gwanak-gu office, Gwangju family, etc.
Daejeon	166	19	103	2	101	0	26	18	0	Door-to-door sales in Daejeon, The Joeun Clinic, etc.
Ulsan	59	25	24	16	4	4	8	2	0	



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Sejong	50	5	41	1	40	0	3	1	0	Ministry of Oceans and Fisheries, gym facilities
Gyeonggi	1,593	430	971	29	876	66	95	97	5	Coupang, Nightclubs, Richway, Uijeongbu St. Mary's Hospital, Guro-gu call center-Bucheon, SMR door-to-door sales, Yangcheon-gu sport facility, SMR Newly planted churches group, Lord Glory Church, Uijeongbu Apartment, Pocheon military garrison, Lotte Confectionery logistics center, Wangsung Church, Gangnam office (Yoohwan DnC), Goyang Rejoice Church, Hongcheon camping, Gangnam-gu coffee shop / Yangjae-dong restaurant, Gwangmyeong Soo Clinic, Gwanak-gu office, Songpa-gu acquaintance meeting, Songpa Love Church, etc.
Gangwon	77	24	46	17	28	1	3	4	0	Uijeongbu St. Mary's Hospital, Richway, etc.
Chung- buk	81	19	42	6	34	2	8	12	0	Nightclubs, Guro-gu call center, etc.
Chung- nam	192	32	143	0	142	1	7	10	0	Gym facilities in Cheonan, Daejeon door-to-door sales, Richway, etc.
Jeonbuk	39	21	13	1	12	0	4	1	0	Daejeon door-to-door sales, Nightclubs
Jeonnam	41	23	13	1	11	1	3	2	0	Gwangju door-to-door sales, etc.
Gyeong- buk	1,410	36	1,051	566	485	0	193	130	1	Cheongdo Daenam Hospital, Bonghwa Pureun Nursing Home, Gyeongsan Seo Convalescent Hospital, pilgrimage to Israel, Yecheon-gun, Gumi Elim Church, Gangnam-gu coffee shop / Yangjae-dong restaurant, etc.
Gyeong- nam	166	55	85	32	51	2	13	13	0	Geochang Church, Nightclubs, etc.
Jeju	26	15	7	0	6	1	4	0	0	Gwanak-gu office related, etc.
Ports of Entry	1,260	1,260	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	
Total	14,519	2,531	9,333	5,214	3,940	179	1,418	1,237	20	
TOtal	(%)	(17.4)	(64.3)	(35.9)	(27.1)	(1.2)	(9.8)	(8.5)	20	I

Not classified into a cluster or under investigation



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



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	[Age distribution of severe cases]														
	7.25	7.26	7.27	7.28	7.29	7.30	7.31	8.1	8.2	8.3	8.4	8.5	8.6	8.7	
Total	15	15	14	12	12	13	12	13	13	13	13	14	18	18	
Severe	4	4	4	4	3	5	4	9	9	9	9	8	11	11	
Very severe	11	11	10	R	q	8	8	4	4	4	4	6	7	7	

	Total	Severe	(%)	Very severe	(%)
Total	18	11	(100)	7	(100)
80 and above	3	1	(9.1)	2	(28.6)
70-79	6	4	(36.4)	2	(28.6	,
60-69	6	4	(36.4)		,	28.6	,
50-59	3	2	`	18.2)		(14.3)
40-49	0	0	(0.0)	0	(0.0)
30-39	0	0	(0.0)	0	(0.0)
20-29	0	0	(0.0)	0	(0.0)
10-19	0	0	(0.0)	0	(0.0)
0-9	0	0	(0.0)	0	(0.0)

IMPORTED CONFIRMED CASES



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NEW CASES (LAST 2 WEEKS) BY CHAIN OF TRANSMISSION

