

○ Message from Yakushima

-Request to Potential Visitors to Yakushima- (April 24, 2021)

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The novel coronavirus (COVID-19) outbreaks have been increasing again throughout Japan. Kagoshima Prefecture including some of its surrounding islands has confirmed new cases of COVID-19.

If a similar situation were to occur in Yakushima, our regional medical care facilities would be overwhelmed making medical care difficult.

In order to prevent the spread of COVID-19, we would like for all potential visitors during Golden Week holidays to cooperate with the following requests.

- ▶ Please make sure to wear masks, use hand sanitizers, and keep your distances from one another.
- ▶ Please keep a record of your movements (before and after your visit), as much as possible, in case you get infected.
- ▶ If you don't feel well, please postpone or cancel your visit.

Because many elderly people live on Yakushima, it is not hard to imagine that COVID-19 infections will possibly have a life-threatening issue for them.

In order not to contract COVID-19 and infect other people, we are requesting people to adhere to the "New Norm of Lifestyle".

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- Inquiry -

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