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Request concerning the confirmed case of COVID-19 on Yakushima

On May 13, one more new case of COVID-19 on Yakushima has been confirmed.

Kagoshima Prefectural Office is tracing its movements and close contacts.

Yakushima Town Office is in cooperation with organizations dealing with COVID-19 and we will inform you as soon as we receive an update from them. I strongly request that you do not make any inquiries to the hospitals or related organizations because it will get in the way of their work.

The outdoor and indoor municipal facilities will be closed to May 16 due to the COVID-19 situation.

We greatly appreciate everyone's understanding and cooperation in preventing the spread of COVID-19.

May 13th, 2021

Koji Araki, Mayor of Yakushima Town