

Revised Guidelines for Events Organized by the City of Hiroshima and Temporary Closures (etc) of Municipal Facilities based on the Early Intensive COVID-19 Infection Prevention Measures Under Semi-State of Emergency

On August 17, 2021, the Prefectural Government made the decision to implement the Early Intensive COVID-19 Infection Prevention Measures Under Semi-State of Emergency. Based on this, as of August 20, 2021, we have revised these guidelines as follows and will continue their implementation to September 12, 2021.

1. Events and Gatherings Organized by the City of Hiroshima* (No change)

Events and gatherings organized by the City of Hiroshima will be cancelled or postponed. However, events and gatherings that must be held during this period and that are difficult to reschedule will comply with *Requirements for Holding Events in Hiroshima Prefecture*, and will also be held in strict adherence to the infection prevention measures described in the *Standard Guidelines for Events and Gatherings Organized by the City of Hiroshima* (revised 7/8/2021).

We ask that all citizens and private entities organizing events and gatherings adhere to these guidelines as well.

*Including events held by Hiroshima public interest corporations.

2. Temporary Closures (etc) of Municipal Facilities in Hiroshima City

(1) Indoor facilities will, as a rule, be closed as soon as possible. However, those who have prior permission to use facilities during this period and for whom cancellation is difficult will be permitted to do so.

(2) Excluding those facilities temporarily closed as per (1), facilities whose normal operating hours end after 8 pm will reduce their hours to end by 8 pm. However, those who have prior permission to use facilities later than 8 pm and for whom cancellation is difficult will be permitted to do so.