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If you have any questions about ward office procedures, financial support for raising children, etc.

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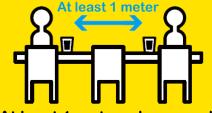
Important Covid-19 Safety Measures

Wear a mask at all times



Do not remove your mask during conversations

Physical distance when eating



At least 1 meter when speaking



COVID-19 Vaccination Information

When can I get vaccinated?

From August 31, everyone aged 12 years or over can schedule their vaccination appointment. 12 to 15-year-olds were mailed their vaccination vouchers on August 30. (11-year-olds will receive their vouchers the month following their 12th birthday.)

We recommend 12 to 15-year-olds to schedule their vaccinations with their primary care physician. In principle, they must be accompanied by their parent or guardian. (Please schedule by phone.)

How do I schedule my vaccination?

If you do not have a primary care physician, you can also schedule your vaccination online or by phone. (078-277-3320)

Tap here for Tap here for online reservations multilingual manuals



Where can I get vaccinated?

Vaccination venues are listed on the vaccination schedule page. \rightarrow



The vaccine brand used will be either **Pfizer** or **Moderna**, depending on which venue you choose.

Hospitalization Fees Free for High School Students!

Kobe City subsidizes most out-of-pocket hospital costs under the Children's Medical Fees Subsidy system. And from October, hospitalization (inpatient) fees for high school students will also be free.



Out-of-Pocket Medical Costs

	Outpatient	Inpatient
0-2 y.o.	None (free)	None (free)
3 y.o 3rd year JHS	Per hospital/ clinic/pharmacy: •No more than 400 yen per day •Free from the 3rd charge each month	None (free)
l st-3rd year SHS	30% (No subsidy)	From Oct: None (free)

Application required. Tap here for details & instructions! (Japanese)



Transformation of Kobe

Renovation of Kobe Port Tower

Port Tower will be closed long-term after Sunday, September 26 for renovations.

The popular landmark is scheduled to reopen in 2023, which is the tower's 60th anniversary. You will be able to go up to the roof, which will feature an observation promenade with a 360° view of the Kobe waterfront. There will also be a terrace on the 4th floor with a view of the Port of Kobe.



Renovation of Sankita Amore Hiroba

Nicknamed "Paiyama" this meetup spot will reopen in early October 2021 and become a new memorable place for the citizens of Kobe.



Brand New! Myodani Library

This shiny new library has 50,000 books in stock, as well as Wi-Fi-ready seating areas and a "Talking Room" ideal for parents with young children.



See art on Mt. Rokko! **Rokko Meets Art**



A variety of art pieces are on display all over Mt. Rokko. On this art walk, the whole family can appreciate the beautiful mountain views, visit different facilities on Mt. Rokko, and enjoy the experience of seeing art displayed outdoors in a casual hiking atmosphere.

Period: Sep. 11 (Sat.) - Nov. 23 (Tue./Nat. Hol.)

Fee: Adult 2,500 yen Child 1,000 yen

Tap here for details about daily events! \rightarrow





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