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[1] Information from Meguro City

You are advised of information from Meguro City and organizations therein.

1. Measures for the new corona vaccine in Meguro City

- (1) COVID-19 Vaccination Inquiry Chatbot

https://obot-ai.com/bot/covid_meguro/

You could make an inquiry about COVID-19 Vaccination via character/voice input of key words.

- (2) Preparing for vaccination against new coronavirus infection **[Japanese]◆**
https://www.city.meguro.tokyo.jp/kurashi/hoken_eisei/shinryo/yobosesshu/covid19/covid19_vaccine.html

- (3) New Corona Vaccination Call Center **[Japanese]◆**

https://www.city.meguro.tokyo.jp/kurashi/hoken_eisei/shinryo/yobosesshu/covid19/callcenter.html

Tel: 0570-058-050 / **Fax:** 03-5722-7048

Reception hours: Monday to Saturday 8:30 to 17:00 *excluding Sundays, national holidays, and Year-end / New Year holidays.

2. Meguro City Sightseeing and Disaster Prevention Portal

<https://home.meguro.kokosil.net/en/>

Information regarding attractive tourism and sightseeing as well as responses in the event of a disaster is available for residents in Meguro City.

3. MIFA Japanese Conversation Salon

https://mifa.jp/en/japanese_conversation_salon/

Enjoy Japanese conversation on any topic with a volunteering native Japanese.

Time : Wed. 10:00-11:00/13:30-14:30

1st & 3rd Thurs. 19:30-20:30 (except

national holidays)

Apply : Fill in forms on the above URL.

4. Foreign Residents Information Desk at Meguro City Office

<https://mifa.jp/en/for-internationals/foreign-informationdesk/>

TEL:

03-5722-9187[**English**] Mon.- Sat. 9:00 - 12:00/13:00-17:00

03-5722-9194[**Chinese**] Mon.- Wed., Fri. 10:00 - 12:00/13:00-17:00

03-5722-9194[**Korean**] 1st and 3rd Thurs. 10:00 - 12:00/13:00-17:00

03-5722-9194[**Filipino**] 2nd and 4th Thurs. 10:00 - 12:00/13:00-17:00

[2] Information from Tokyo

You are kindly advised of information from Tokyo and organizations.

1. "Notice from the Tokyo Foundation "Tsunagari"

○ Consultation Service for Evacuees from Ukraine

<https://tabunka.tokyo-tsunagari.or.jp/english/info/2022/03/post-86.html>

Tel: 03-6258-1227

Time: 10:00-16:00 on Mon.-Fri (except national holidays)

○ The Mar. 2023 issue of ""L'ESPACE" has been released.

<https://tabunka.tokyo-tsunagari.or.jp/english/lespace/index.html>

2. Tokyo Multilingual Counseling Navigation" Free Consultation for Status of Residence" <TMC Navi>

<https://tabunka.tokyo-tsunagari.or.jp/info/2022/05/220512-tagengosodan.html>

Tel : 03-6258-1227

Hours Weekdays 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. (not available on weekends, holidays, and the New Year holiday period)

3. Tokyo Fire Department Ikebukuro Citizens' Disaster Prevention Education Center (Ikebukuro Life Safety Learning Center)

○ First half of FY2023 Held an easy-to-understand disaster prevention experience tour in Japanese

Details: <https://tabunka.tokyo-tsunagari.or.jp/info/2023/03/post-134.html>

Application: <https://tokyo-bskan.jp/mypage.html>

* Please make a reservation by registering on My Page in "Application for use".

4. Free Consultation for Foreign Residents

https://tabunka.tokyo-tsunagari.or.jp/english/relay_soudan/index.html

You may consult with experts, including lawyers, on any concerns or problems you face in Japan. Interpreters will be available in multiple languages. Free of charge. Confidentiality assured.

[3] Nationwide Information

You are kindly advised of information from other entities.

1. Multilingual Emergency Updates (NHK-World)

<https://www.nhk.or.jp/nhkworld-blog/en/>

Check the website for disaster and coronavirus updates.

2. Novel Coronavirus Vaccines (Prime Minister's Office)

<https://japan.kantei.go.jp/ongoingtopics/vaccine.html>

This website explains vaccination of COVID-19 and Government's responses to it.

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