Disease Prevention Best Practices "the New Normal"

- Optimize telework
- increases productivity in many cases
- Less crowded work environment decreases disease spread
- Make and maintain a Hygiene Kit:
- Disinfectant, hand sanitizer, mask, mask case/pouch
- Preventive Medicine Team evaluations
- Physical walk-through to identify problems
- Review with action team to address threats
- Re-evaluation quarterly
- Make a home/barracks plan
 - Talk about the New Normal with family
 - Reassure children
 - Review emergency contacts/resources



Maintain Hygiene

- Frequent handwashing and hand sanitizer
- Always cough or sneeze into an elbow/clothing
- This includes while you are wearing a mask
- If you do use your hand, immediately use hand sanitizer or wash hands
- Routine cleaning of frequently touched surfaces
 - Date/time on desks/tables etc.
 - Change clothes/disinfect when returning home
 - No footwear in the house

Global Examples of Emerging and Re-Emerging Infectious Diseases











Avoid Close Contacts



- Avoid crowds whenever possible
- Social distancing (6 feet of separation) whenever possible: mask use when not possible
- Stay at least 3 feet apart when 6 feet not possible
- Wear a cloth face covering or mask when unable to do social distancing
 - Buses
 - Subways
 - Other crowded conditions
 - High-risk situations/facilities
 - Hospitals, nursing/care homes
 - Prisons
 - Work with refugees/displaced persons
 - First responders
- · Staggered formations, two arm-lengths apart
- Double social distancing for jogging/running

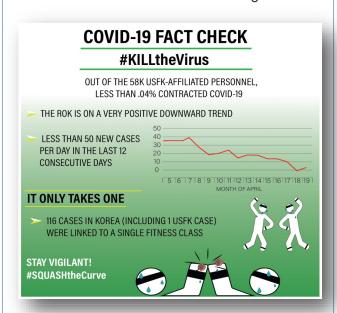
Agencies available to you

- ACS: (315) 757-2363 or 2372
- Behavioral Health (Bldg. 570): 737-5668
- Chaplain Office: 0503-357-3101/3100 or DSN 757-3101/3100
- On-Call Duty Chaplain 010-9496-7445
- BDAACH COVID-19 Hotline (DSN: 737-2556 / Civ: 050-3337-2556)



Good Stories It's only a test

Almost everyone that passes through the Incheon JPPC tested and came back negative





INCHEON JPPC

25th Movement Control BN **Material Support Command -Korea** 19th Expeditionary Sustainment Command **Eight Army United States Forces Korea**



WHAT'S GOING ON?

COVID-19 THREAT IS ON A VERY POSITIVE DOWNWARD TREND WITHIN THE ROK

> COVID COMING FROM OVERSEAS POSES THE GREATEST RISK TO **OUR PROTECTIVE BUBBLES:** IT ONLY TAKES ONE CASE TO POP I

ALL USFK PERSONNEL ARRIVING FROM OFF-PENINSULA MUST COMPLETE A 14 DAY QUARANTINE AND 2 COVID TESTS

WHY EXTEND PHE?

TO ENFORCE INSTALLATION ACCESS POLICIES



REGIONAL AND LOCAL COVID CONDITIONS WILL INFORM

CONTINUE TO STAY VIGILANT PROTECT THE FORCE TO PROTECT THE MISSION

#KILLtheVirus #SquashTheCurve

Message from the USFK CDR



HEADQUARTERS, UNITED STATES FORCES KOREA
UNIT #15237
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24 April 2020

MEMORANDUM FOR ALL U.S. COMMANDS AND UNITS IN THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA

SUBJECT: Renewal of 25 March 2020 Public Health Emergency Declaration on USFK Installations

- 1. Basis and Declaration. Our #1 priority remains the protection of the force. We have made significant progress in our containment efforts of COVID-19. One key to our success has been compliance with our Public Health Guidance. However, now is not the time to relax our guard against this insidious disease; rather, disciplined and deliberate continued action is necessary to ensure the health of our force. After deliberate command and staff assessment and receiving the Public Health Emergency Officer's recommendation: I am renewing my Public Health Emergency (PHE) declaration of 25 March 2020.
- 2. Authority: DoD Instruction (DoDI) 6200.03, "Public Health Emergency Management Within the DoD."
- Applicability: All USFK military commands, installations, family members, DoD and KN civilian
 employees, DoD retirees, contractors, and any other persons with access to USFK installations in ROK.
- Duration: This declaration will automatically terminate 30 days from the date of this memo, unless it is renewed and re-published, or terminated sooner by me.
- 5. Coordinating Instructions:
- a. USFK public health personnel are hereby directed to identify, confirm, and control this public health emergency through all necessary means outlined in DoDI 620.03. USFK will follow DoD's Health Protection Condition framework to identify actions necessary for implementation.
- b. Commanders may issue guidance that affects installation property and personnel, to include the property of the health, close base facilities, restrict movement, or implement quarantine for select individuals.
- c. Commanders will coordinate activities and share information with relevant civil authorities to ensure our response is appropriate for the PHE. Information may include personally identifiable health information only to the extent necessary to protect public health and safety.
- d. Commanders shall familiarize themselves and subordinate uniformed personnel with Article 84 of the Inform Code of Military Justice (UCMJ). All individuals listed in Paragraph 3, deeling to gain and maintain access to USFK installations, must foliow the same Public Health Guidance and HPCON directives as our Service Members. Incidents of noncompliance shall be reported to this headquarters for a determination on whether to be the individuals from USFK installations for a period of two years.

General, U.S. Army Commanding

COVID 19 in South Korea

- Remains in Health Protection Condition Charlie
- Over 100,000 confirmed cases
- Under 300 deaths
- Over 9,400 recovered patients
- Rapid and extensive tests
- Considered one of the largest and bestorganized epidemic control programs in the world
- First US Soldier diagnosed with COVID 19 fully recovered

Do and Don'ts while at the Airport

Restrictions

- 1) Keep your gloves and mask on at all times.
- 2) Stay within the designated area.
- 3) Restaurants and vendors are strictly prohibited.
- 4) Notify USFK personnel to use the restroom.
- 5) Only Authorized mode of transportation is coordinated through this desk.

Failure to comply may result in:

- · Military: UCMJ
- · DoD Dependents: Revocation of command sponsorship, mandatory early return of dependents (EROD) and/or, bar from USFK instillations for no less than 24 months.
- \cdot Contractors, GS, and other DoD affiliated personnel: Bar from USFK Installations for no less than 24 months.

