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As of 19 February, 2020

- As of 19 February, 2020, there have been 15 new confirmed cases of COVID-19 out of total 46 confirmed cases. 34 cases are currently in isolation, and 9,335 turned out to be negative, and 1,030 currently being tested.

(as of 09:00, Feb.19)

Period	Total	Confirmed cases		Suspected cases		
		isolated	discharged	Sub-total	being tested	tested negative
As of 09:00, 19 Feb.	10,411	34	12	10,365	1,030	9,335
As of 09:00, 18 Feb.	9,265	21	10	9,234	957	8,277
Differences	+1,146	+13	+2	+1,131	+73	+1,058

- New confirmed case 32th, Korean female, who born in 2009 is a daughter of 15th case, and the contact of 15th case and 20th case. While she has been in self-quarantine from February 2, the onset of symptom was developed and tested positive on February 8. She is currently in isolation at the national designated isolation hospital.
- From the 33th to 46th cases except 40th case have been confirmed at Daegu-city and Gyeongbuk province. The central government(MOH, KCDC) was dispatched a special task force in Daegu-city to implement disease control measure with local government.
- 11 new cases have epidemiological link with 31th confirmed case; 10 attended same Korean cult(called, Shincheonji) as the 31th case, while 1 had contact with the confirmed case at a hospital. 2 cases are under investigation.
- The 40th case, Korean male who born in 1943 visited hospital with identified pneumonia and tested positive on February 19. He is currently in isolation at the national designated isolation hospital. The case has no overseas travel history since Dec,2019. Epidemiological investigation is currently underway.

[New cases Information]

Case No.	Sex	Age	Region	Case classification
33	F	1980	Daegu-city	Contact of 31th case (Staff at oriental clinic)
34	M	1996	Daegu-city	Same cluster (Shincheonji*) of 31th confirmed case
35	F	1994	Daegu-city	Same cluster (Shincheonji*) of 31th confirmed case
36	F	1972	Daegu-city	Same cluster (Shincheonji*) of 31th confirmed case
37	M	1973	Gyeongbuk	Same cluster (Shincheonji*) of 31th confirmed case



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			province	
38	F	1963	Daegu-city	Under investigation
39	F	1959	Gyeongbuk province	Same cluster (Shincheonji*) of 31th confirmed case
41	F	1951	Gyeongbuk province	Same cluster (Shincheonji*) of 31th confirmed case
42	F	1991	Daegu-city	Same cluster (Shincheonji*) of 31th confirmed case
43	F	1962	Daegu-city	Same cluster (Shincheonji*) of 31th confirmed case
44	F	1974	Daegu-city	Same cluster (Shincheonji*) of 31th confirmed case
45	여	66	Daegu-city	Same cluster (Shincheonji*) of 31th confirmed case
46	남	92	Daegu-city	Under investigation

*Korean cult

- The 31th case, Korean male who born in 1959 has 166 contacts, and they are in self-quarantine. The case was hospitalized at Korean oriental clinic 10 days from February 7th, and 128 contacts are identified. He developed chill on February 7th and visited health facility, church, and hotel for 1 days before the onset of symptoms. Places and contacts are under investigation.
- Meanwhile, the 6th, 10th, 16th confirmed cases were tested negative twice in a row, and they will be released today. A total of 16 cases have been discharged so far.
- According to the clinical and epidemiological characteristics of confirmed cases, COVID-19 is less fatality rate than SARS or MERS, but it is more contagious.
- The guideline(6th rev.) including case definition is updated and will be applied on February 20. Suspected cases regardless of travel history by medical staff's decision will get test. And those who are hospitalized with unknown pneumonia will take the COVID-19 test at negative pressure-room or single ward. Even though contacts of case has no symptoms, if necessary, they will be released when the test get negative at 13th day of isolation.

[Case Summary in Republic of Korea, as of 09:00, 19 February]

Case No.	Date of laboratory confirmation	Gender	Birth year	Nationality	Travel history in Wuhan	Current status	Contact persons
1	2020-01-20	F	'84	China	O	Discharged	45
2	2020-01-24	M	'64	Korea	O	Discharged	75
3	2020-01-26	M	'66	Korea	O	Discharged	16
4	2020-01-27	M	'64	Korea	O	Discharged	95
5	2020-01-30	M	'87	Korea	O	Hospitalized	31
6	2020-01-30	M	'64	Korea	X	Hospitalized	17
7	2020-01-30	M	'91	Korea	O	Discharged	9



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8	2020-01-31	F	'57	Korea	O	Discharged	113
9	2020-01-31	F	'92	Korea	X	Hospitalized	2
10	2020-01-31	F	'66	Korea	X	Hospitalized	43
11	2020-01-31	M	'95	Korea	X	Discharged	0
12	2020-02-01	M	'71	China	X	Hospitalized	422
13	2020-02-02	M	'92	Korea	O	Hospitalized	0
14	2020-02-02	F	'80	China	X	Hospitalized	3
15	2020-02-02	M	'77	Korea	O	Hospitalized	15
16	2020-02-04	F	'77	Korea	X	Hospitalized	450
17	2020-02-05	M	'82	Korea	X	Discharged	290
18	2020-02-05	F	'99	Korea	X	Hospitalized	8
19	2020-02-05	M	'83	Korea	X	Hospitalized	68
20	2020-02-05	F	'78	Korea	X	Hospitalized	2
21	2020-02-05	F	'60	Korea	X	Hospitalized	6
22	2020-02-06	M	'73	Korea	X	Discharged	1
23	2020-02-06	F	'62	China	O	Hospitalized	23
24	2020-02-06	M	'92	Korea	O	Hospitalized	0
25	2020-02-09	F	'46	Korea	X	Hospitalized	12
26	2020-02-09	M	'68	Korea	X	Hospitalized	0
27	2020-02-09	F	'82	China	X	Hospitalized	39
28	2020-02-10	F	'89	China	O	Discharged	1
29	2020-02-16	M	'38	Korea	X	Hospitalized	115
30	2020-02-16	F	'52	Korea	X	Hospitalized	20
31	2020-02-18	F	'59	Korea	X	Hospitalized	Under investigation
32	2020-02-18	F	'09	Korea	Investigation	Hospitalized	Investigation
33	2020-02-18	F	'80	Korea	nvestigation	Hospitalized	Investigation
34	2020-02-18	M	'96	Korea	nvestigation	Hospitalized	Investigation
35	2020-02-18	F	'94	Korea	nvestigation	Hospitalized	Investigation
36	2020-02-18	F	'72	Korea	nvestigation	Hospitalized	Investigation
37	2020-02-18	M	'73	Korea	nvestigation	Hospitalized	Investigation
38	2020-02-18	F	'63	Korea	nvestigation	Hospitalized	Investigation
39	2020-02-18	F	'59	Korea	nvestigation	Hospitalized	Investigation
40	2020-02-19	M	'43	Korea	nvestigation	Hospitalized	Investigation
41	2020-02-19	F	'51	Korea	nvestigation	Hospitalized	Investigation
42	2020-02-19	F	'91	Korea	nvestigation	Hospitalized	Investigation
43	2020-02-19	F	'62	Korea	nvestigation	Hospitalized	Investigation



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44	2020-02-19	F	'74	Korea	Investigation	Hospitalized	Investigation
45	2020-02-19	F	'66	Korea	Investigation	Hospitalized	Investigation
46	2020-02-19	M	'92	Korea	Investigation	Hospitalized	Investigation