

# A Message from the Mayor of Izumo City Concerning COVID-19 Cases Confirmed Within the City

-A request for those who have been using 3Q Cut barbershop in YouMe  
Town Izumo-

To the people of Izumo City

On January 14<sup>th</sup>, Shimane Prefecture announced that 3 new cases of novel coronavirus have been confirmed. These are the 229<sup>th</sup>, 230<sup>th</sup> and 231<sup>st</sup> cases within the prefecture. Out of these patients, two (229<sup>th</sup> and 231<sup>st</sup>), are the 40<sup>th</sup> and 41<sup>st</sup> cases in Izumo City.

**These patients are employees of 3Q Cut barbershop at YouMe Town Izumo in Ōtsuka-chō. Persons who have been using the services in this shop in the time period between January 6<sup>th</sup> to January 13<sup>th</sup> and have symptoms, or are concerned that they have been infected, please contact the Shimane Novel Coronavirus Disease Health Consultation Call Center (*shingata corona uirusu kansenshō kenkō sōdan cōru sentā*) (0853-24-7017). This number is for consultation in Japanese only. For support in other languages, please see the attached fliers.**

Izumo City Health Center is currently tracing the movements of the patients and checking the health of people who have been in close contact with these individuals, and new cases are expected to be found.

We ask that all residents be wary of false reports and rumors, and continue to act with composure based on information from reliable sources such as the prefecture and the city. Please refrain from prying into personal information, and slander and libel.

January 14<sup>th</sup>, 2021

Mayor of Izumo City

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