Health care for children is parents' responsibility. Let's pay attention to monthly health care information!

## Do you know Health calendar?

Do you know Health Calendar? This is the calendar of health care issued by city/town hall, which gives you information of annual public service program for your health. Here we explain you the revised BCG vaccination procedure for babies and toddlers, effective on April.

The Tuberculosis Prevention Law revised. Procedure of BCG vaccination for babies and toddlers will be changed.

### Direct BCG vaccination without Tuberculin reaction test from April

Followed the revised Tuberculosis Prevention Law, direct BCG vaccination procedure without Tuberculin reaction test will be introduced from April. Children of five-month-old and under are eligible to vaccinate.

As individual vaccination is applied in Fujimishi, those who are eligible should vaccinate at the designated medical institutions.

By the way, children of six-month-old and over will not be able to vaccinate individually from April, so those children should apply group vaccination at the Health Promotion Center by end of March.

(Until March 31<sup>st</sup>, 2005)

Current

: Eligibility: 3-month-old to under 48-month-old

: Vaccination : if Tuberculin reaction test shows negative, vaccinate BCG

: Place : Health Promotion Center



(From April 1, 2005)

Revised

: Eligibilities : less than 6-month-old

: Vaccination : Direct BCG vaccination (without Tuberculin reaction test)

: Place: Medical institutions in Fujimishi



More details, call the following.

\_\_ Fujimishi : Health Promotion Center • • • 049-252-3771

Kamifukuoka: Public Health Center • • • • 049-264-8292

Oimachi : Public Health Center • • • • 049-266-2300

\_\_ Miyoshimachi: Environment & Health · · · · 049-258-0019

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#### INFORMATION

## Why don't you come and join us? **International salon**

Date: March 6<sup>th</sup> (Sun) 2~4 pm

Venue: Mizutanikouminkan

Fee: ¥200(for snack)

Let's enjoy eating foreign snacks and chatting with foreign nationals there. There is a talk show, too.



## Get together & talk to each other!

### Gathering of foreign residents

You may have several opportunities to meet and help each other with the same nationals. But you have seldom a chance to meet and exchange friendship with other nationals who are living in Japan. We are providing an opportunity for a foreign residents' get-together once in a month. Why don't you come and talk mutually to foreign residents.

Place: Fujimino International Cultural

**Exchange Center** 

Date: Every third Monday, 1~3 pm

Next gathering is on February 21<sup>st</sup> (Mon.)

Fee: free of charge.

Tea and confectionery will be served.

Let's come and join us!!

# You don't watch keyboard any more. PC Typing Class

"Touch typing" is skill of inputting data (letter or symbol) into a computer watching display instead of keyboard.

Using 10 fingers freely like playing musical instrument, you can fill the display.

Foreign nationals can learn touch-typing with free of charge.

Place: Fujimino International Cultural

**Exchange Center** 

Date: Every Sunday (4 times) in March,

10~12 am

Fee: ¥4,000 for Japanese



### Leave your problem in my hand

You may have a problem, but you don't have any one to talk with it. It depresses you and keep by your self. Foreign residents advisory center (FICEC), which is a representative of Fujimishi, Kamifukuokashi, Oimachi, and Miyoshimachi, offers you an opportunity to give you an appropriate advice. If you have any problem, please do not hesitate to ask us. Call

### 049-253-7744 Consultation is free of charge.

**Apology and correction** • • • We found a mistake in "FICEC December issue, in which you can use one registered card to borrow books in every library of two cities and two towns. It must be corrected as follows. You need to get registered card in each city or town.