Immediate Guideline for Meeting and Visitors under COVID-19 pandemic 27 March, 2020

AORI will apply the following guidelines for hosting meetings and visitors as a counter measure of COVID-19 pandemic. These guidelines are subjected to change at according to circumstances (e.g., infections occur in AORI, lockdown in Chiba/Tokyo, convergence of the infection).

Meetings: Meetings consisted of 10 individuals or more (including people outside AORI) should be held online, postponed or cancelled. In-house meetings including laboratory seminars and Faculty meetings should be held online or by taking preventive measures. Please use the auditorium/meeting rooms with sufficient space to allow at least 2 m space between attendees. Moreover, the room should be sufficiently ventilated with fresh air. Refrain from any post-meeting party or gathering with food and drinks.

Visitors:

Visitors are prohibited to enter AORI if they possess any symptoms of COVID-19 such as fever or cold. AORI members are responsible to inform the visitors on this guideline in advance.

Event of AORI:

Entrance Guidance will be held online. Internships should be postponed or cancelled. In case the internship is going to start in a few days, preventive measures should be deployed to prevent the spread of infection.

The welcome party hosted by AORI for new students will be cancelled. However, as a part of the follow-ups, video messages including a greeting from the director and introductions of circle activities will be available.