Kitakyushu City

2nd Saturday of each month from 13:00 to 16:00

Procedures for change of status of residence, inviting family members, extension of period of stay, re-entry procedures, naturalization, permanent residence, international marriage, nationality, etc.

Consultant Administrative scrivener

Languages If you need an interpreter, reservation is required.

Human Rights Consultation for Non-Japanese Nationals No Reservations Required

Languages Japanese, English, Chinese *English and Chinese only on the 4th Saturday of the month

Consultation on immigration and residency procedures No Reservations Required

1st Monday of each month 16:30 - 18:30 *Last entry 18:00

4th Saturday of the month: 13:00 - 16:00 *Last entry 15:30

Citizenship, immigration, residency status, bringing in family members, etc.

2nd Saturday of each month from 13:00 to 16:00

Contact Fukuoka Gyoseishoshi Lawyers Association 092-641-4151

Human rights issues related to work, housing, marriage, troubles with neighbors, etc. Consultant Commissioner for the protection of Fundamental Human Rights with lawyer qualifications

Languages Japanese and English

Fukuoka City

Contact Fukuoka Legal Affairs Bureau Civil Liberties Commissioner First Division 092-739-4151

Location Kokusai Hiroba Exchange Room (3F ACROS Fukuoka 1-1-1 Tenjin, Chuo-ku, Fukuoka)

Free Legal Consultation for Non-Japanese Nationals

The 2nd and 4th Fridays of each month from 13:00 to 16:00 *except for holidays.

Consultant Lawyer

Languages (2nd Friday of each month) Japanese, Korean and Chinese

(4th Friday of each month) Japanese, English, Chinese Fukuoka Bar Association Tenjin Attorney's Center

(2F Minami Teniin Bldg., 5-14-12 Watanabe-dori, Chuo-ku, Fukuoka) Fukuoka Bar Association 092-737-7555

General civil, labor, family, immigration, and criminal cases, etc. Reservations are required (phone hours

Closed on holidays [Weekdays] 10:00~16:00(Japanese Only) [2nd Friday of every month]

[Every 4th Friday of each month]

Free consultation on Immigration, Residence and Nationality for non-Japanese

2nd Sunday of every month from 13:00 to 16:00 *Last entry 15:30 No Reservations Required

Residence status and period of stay, inviting family members, permanent residence, naturalization international marriage procedures, etc.

Consultant Administrative scrivener

Languages Japanese, English, Chinese *For other languages, please contact us in advance.

Free Legal Consultation for Non-Japanese Nationals Reservations are required (by phone or at the office)

The 1st Saturday of each month 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. and the 3rd Wednesday of each month 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Legal consultation (45 minutes per person)

Languages Ask for a translator if you need one when you make an appointment.

Free counseling for Non-Japanese Nationals Reservations are required (by phone or at the office)

Mondays 8:45 a,m, to 5:45 p,m, Tuesdays 8:45 a,m, to 11:45 a,m, Thursdays 8:45 a,m, to 12:45 p,m, Interpersonal problems, stress and other psychological issues (60 minutes per person) Content

Consultant clinical psychologistt

Languages Japanese and English

Fukuoka City International Center Meeting Room (Fukuoka City International Center 1F, 4-1, Tenyamachi, Hakata-ku Fukuoka City)

Work Conditions Consulation for Non-Japanese Nationals No Reservations Required

Every Tuesday and the 2nd and 4th Thursday of the month from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. *Except for holidays.

Issues related to working conditions (phone call is acceptable)

Consultant Labor Standards Inspector, Advisor

Languages Japanese and English

Inspection Divison, Fukuoka Labour Union Fukuoka National Government Building ANNEX 4F

(2-11-1 Hakataekihigashi Hakata-ku, Fukuoka)

Fukuoka Labor Bureau Labor Standards Department, Insepection Division 092-411-4862

Work Conditions Consulation for Non-Japanese Nationals No Reservations Required

Every Monday and Thursday 9:00-16:00 *except for holidays

Issues related to working conditions (phone call is acceptable)

Consultant Labor Standards Inspector, Advisor

Languages Japanese, Chinese

Fukuoka Chuo Labor Standard Inspection Office 4F (2-11-1 Nagahama, Chuo -ku, Fukuoka)

Fukuoka Chuo Labor Standard Inspection Office 092 – 761 – 5607

Immigration, Residence and Nationality Procedures Consultation

Legal Consultation Reservations are required *Only available to the first 3 who reserved

4th Saturday of each month from 13:30 to 16:30 Trouble at work, car accidents, housing, marriage, divorce, etc.

Consultant Lawyer

Languages Ask for a translator if you need one when you make an appointment.z

Psychological Counseling Reservations are required

As neede. *Please contact us for dates and times. Content Interpersonal problems, stress and other psychological issues

Consultant clinical psychologist Languages Japanese, English, Chinese

Kitakyushu International Association(Kurosaki 3-15-3, Yahatanishi, Kitakyushu-shi ComCity 3F) Kitakyushu International Association Information Center for Foreigners 093-643-5931

Work Conditions Consulation for Non-Japanese Nationals No Reservations Required

Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:00 to 16:00 *except for holidays

Issues related to working conditions (telephone is acceptable) Consultant Labor Standards Inspector, Advisor

Languages Japanese and Vietnamese

. Kitakyushu Nishi Labor Standard Inspection Office (3F 1-5-10 Kishinoura, Yahatanishi-ku, Kitakyushu-shi)

Kitakyushu Nishi Labor Standard Inspection Office 093-622-6550

Kurume City

Free Consultation for Non-Japanese National Reservations are required (by pho

3rd Saturday of each month from 13:00 to 16:00 Date

International marriage, naturalization, nationality issues, etc. Content

Consultant Administrative scrivener

Languages Japanese, English, Chinese and Korean *Other languages can be interpreted by phone

Kurumeria Mutsumon 6F Minkuru (3-11 Mutsumonmachi, Kurume City) Kurume Bureau of Tourism and International Exchange 0942-31-1717 kokusaikorvu@ktie.or.ip

*After September, the location and reservation requirements are subject to change.

lizuka City

Consultant Administrative scrivener

Administrative Con No Reservations Required

3rd Tuesday of the month, 13:00 - 16:00

Issues such as status of residence, period of stay, bringing in family members, nationality, permanent residence, naturalization, and international marriage

Languages Japanese *For other languages, a three-way phone call to the Fukuoka Multilingual

Assistance and Information Center is possible.

lizuka City Hall 3F Kita Meeting Room (5-5 Shintateiwa, lizuka-shi) lizuka City Economics Department International Policy Divison 0948-22-5521

With the spread of infections of the Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19), sultations may be canceled. Please contact them in advance regardingwhether or not the consultations will be held

Fukuoka Multilingual Assistance and Information Center (Fukuoka MAIC)

The Fukuoka Multilingual Assistance and Information Center (Fukuoka MAIC), provides consultations on marriage, children's education, employment, labor and other problems in daily life, residence status, legal advice, etc. in 19 languages, including Location Kokusai Hiroba entrance(3F ACROS Fukuoka 1-1-1 Tenjin, Chuo-ku, Fukuoka)

10 a.m. to 7 p.m. (except Dec. 29 to Jan. 3) Workduties (1) Direct consultation at the Center's office, by phone or email

O Toll free number: 0120-279-906 O E-mail fukuoka-maic@kokusaihiroba.or.ip

(2) Support for multilingual consultation services for foreign residents of municipalities etc. by utilizing a four-way call and interpretation service

(3) Guidance to specialized organization based on the content of the consultation. and interpretation support via telephone at the destination

(4) Visiting Consultations are held in cities, towns and villages throughout the prefecture

Get the lastest information on events (Japanese, English, Korean, Chinese)

Kokusa International Exchange Foundation Kokusa Holosa Historia

Japanese, English, Chinese, Korean versions are available You can view the other versions on our website www.kokusaihiroba.or.jp/pages/project/magazine/



Supporting International Students who are affected by COVID-19

With the approval from the Minister of Health, Labour, and Welfare, the Fukuoka International Student Support Center which is located in the Fukuoka international exchange foundation offers free employment placement service, since October 1st, 2008.

International students have been laid off from their part-time jobs due to the request of closures of business and self-restraint outings from the effects from the coronavirus (COVID-19). Which is increasing the numbers of international students worried of their livelihood.

So to relieve international student's of their anxiety, we are allowing Japanese language school and vocational school international students to use our service were we introduce part time jobs to international students universities, graduate schools, junior college, and higher vocational schools in the prefecture.

To make sure we can introduce as many part time jobs to international students, we obtain various part time jobs from various fields to prove a safe livelihood to the international students.



How you are matched ·····

* Please check the website below



www.fissc.net/employers/part-time-job-hiring.html





18th September, 2020



Fukuoka International Exchange Foundation

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TEL 092-725-9200 FAX 092-725-9206

Opening hours 10:00-19:00 Closed December 29th - January 3rd

Planning and

Kokusai Hiroba (3F)

TEL 092-725-9204 FAX 092-725-9205 exchange department Opening hours 8:30-17:45 Closed weekends national Holidays, December 29th – January 3rd

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Don't give up international students! Spread the support circle! Receive the support KOKORO!

~We have set up a support project for international students affected by COVID-19~

Fukuoka Prefecture has about 19,000 international students in Japan.

They become valuable bridges that connect Japan and Fukuoka Prefecture with their home countries in the future. These international students are now in various complications due to the infections of the novel coronavirus (COVID-19). In order to support these international students, the International Exchange Foundation decided to work on a support project with the slogan.

"Don't give up International Students!, Spread the support circle!, Send the Kokoro support!".

1st

Food support project

From July 13th, we will start a "food support project" for maintaining their health. In this project, we will collect food donations from prefectrual residents, municipalities, companies, groups, etc., send the food we receive to international students who need the food, and send everyone's thoughts to them with these food donations. We want international students to be healthy.

We hope to have everyone's warm support and for your cooperation.

- ○Food we want donated
 - Rice, dry noodles, retort food, canned foods etc.
- OAcceptance of food and contact
- Fukuoka International Exchange Foundation Planning and Exchange Department







2nd Japanese learning support project

On July 27, we have started a "Japanese Language Learning Project". For this project, we will provide online learning materials created by Japanese teachers to create a learning opportunity to keep international students motivated who were refrain from going out during the corona virus infections (COVID-19) and have lost the place to practice learning Japanese. To facilitate all students, we will provide multiple levels of Japanese language materials to match the needs for each students. This support not only provide learning materials (questions/answers), this project will try to recreate the experience of the Japanese language classes on an online format. Videos of detailed explanation of the answers given by the Japanese instructors will be available on the International exchange foundation's website for a limited time. We hope that this will help students who want to study Japanese.



Prefectural residents



For more information please check the Fukuoka International Exchange Foundation website

Information about Japanese classes, please go to the Fukuoka International Exchange' home page "Information for Foreign Residents" > "Japanese Classes for foreigners". There are Japanese classes that are implementing restrictions to prevent the spreading of COVID-19. Please contact the class directly for more details. www.kokusaihiroba.or.jp/pages/project/information/



"International student news" in a local newspaper

Recently, the number of international residents, including international students, has been increasing, and a multicultural society is beginning because of foreign people reside together in your own neighborhoods.

With the aim of letting the Fukuoka prefectural residents know what kind of lives the international students has, what their problems are, and what they are aiming for, a local newspaper company contacted the Fukuoka International Exchange Foundation, which has led the nation in providing support for international students and is a leader in supporting international students.

The Fukuoka International Foundation sees this as an excellent opportunity for residents of the prefecture to hear the real voices of these international students from the Fukuoka Overseas Student Association. At this center, we consider that it is a great opportunity for the prefectural residents to hear their voices, and students of the "Fukuoka International Student Association (FOSA)" organized by international students in this prefecture and International Exchange Foundation. From April, we have been supporting the serialization of the "International Student Newsletter" by the international students, once a

In this section, students talk honestly. You may find articles from your local international students in this section. Get to know their thoughts and feelings, and look forward to these articles!







Be sure to check out STUDENTS' BLOG of Fukuoka **International Student Support Center, where they** write about their feelings and thoughts about life in Japan! www.fissc.net/articles



Fukuoka Asian Medical Support Center

We will support you when you need help at hospitals.

Medical Interpreter Temp Service (For medical institutions) 77EL 092-734-3035 We provide volunteer medical interpreters via temp service when requested by medical

institutions. Reservation required, free of charge, advance registration required Time Mon-Fri 9:00-18:00 (closed on weekends, national holidays, Obon holidays, and year-end and New Year holidays)

Supported languages English, Chinese, Korean, Thai and Vietnamese

Multilingual Medical Information Service Call Center 77EL 092±286±9595

Telephone interpretation service (for foreigners and medical institutions). Assistance on medical information (for foreigners) (Free of charge, callers are responsible for call charges, no prior registration needed)

Time 24 hours a day. 365 days a year

Supported languages English, Chinese, Korean, Thai, Vietnamese, Indonesian, Tagalog, Nepali, Malay, Spanish, Portuguese, German, French, Italian, Russian, Khmer. Mvanmarese

Fukuoka Asian Medical Support Center TEL 092-734-3035 URL https://asian-msc.jp.

MAMORULKun

A e-mail service that updates you with news and information during disasters

- ★Weather information and evacuation advisories for earthquakes, tsunamis, typhoons, heavy rain, etc
- ★Saftey confirmation e-mails during disasters ★ Evacuation Support Map of Fukuoka Prefecture
- ★Information on community safety
- (suspicious persons, missing persons, air pollution, etc.)

Registration and use of service is FREE

Other helpful is available too!

Registration

www.bousaimobile.pref fukuoka.lg.jp



Disaster Prevention Handbook For Foreigners

The Fukuoka Prefectural Government has made a "Disaster Prevention Handbook For Foreigners" in several languages to help prepare and react when a disaster happens. (Easy Japanese, English, Chinese, Korean, Tagalog, Nepali and Vietnamese) www.pref.fukuoka.lg.jp/contents/bousaihandbook-36.html

