

Facility Use During Heatstroke Alerts (Special Warning / Warning)

To help prevent health damage caused by heatstroke, the following measures will apply to the use of our facilities and the Nijimura Park Ground when a “Heatstroke Special Warning Alert” or “Heatstroke Warning Alert” is issued.

1. Operational Period April 22 (Wed) – October 28 (Wed)

2. What is a **Heatstroke Special Warning Alert**?

A Heatstroke Special Warning Alert is issued when temperatures are expected to become extremely high, creating a serious risk of severe health damage due to heatstroke.

This alert is issued when unprecedented dangerous heat is forecast. In addition to individual preventive actions, support from local communities and government authorities becomes especially important. In Hiroshima Prefecture, the alert is issued around 2:00 p.m. on the previous day when the maximum Wet Bulb Globe Temperature (WBGT) for the following day is forecast to reach 35 or higher at all observation points within the prefecture.

3. Response by the Hiro Community Development Center

[Indoor facilities with broken air-conditioning systems and Nijimura Park]

- * Use of the facilities will generally be suspended.
- * The Center will contact users regarding cancellation or a change of facility.
- * Usage fees will either be transferred to another date or refunded.

4. What is a **Heatstroke Warning Alert**?

A Heatstroke Warning Alert is issued when temperatures are expected to become significantly high, creating a risk of health damage due to heatstroke.

The alert is intended to encourage caution and preventive actions against heatstroke.

In Hiroshima Prefecture, the alert is issued around 5:00 p.m. on the previous day or around 5:00 a.m. on the same day when the maximum WBGT is forecast to reach 33 or higher at any of the 18 observation points in the prefecture.

5. Response by the Hiro Community Development Center

[Indoor facilities with broken air-conditioning systems and Nijimura Park]

- * If possible, rooms with malfunctioning air-conditioning systems will be changed to other available rooms.
- * If a user requests cancellation of facility use, the usage fee will either be transferred to another date or refunded.



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