

## Purpose of the Act

The institute for health security will be established by unifying National Institute of Infectious Diseases and National Center for Global Health and Medicine for carrying out investigation and research, providing medical treatment, international cooperation, staff training with respect to infectious and other diseases, and for strengthening the organization which is capable of providing scientific information by comprehensively conducting initial epidemiological studies through clinical research at the time of outbreak and spreading of infectious diseases, which may give a serious impact on people's lives and health.

## Outline of the Act

### Establishment of the institute for health security

#### (1) Organization of the institute (form of the corporation, officers and personnel, services)

1. The institute is a corporation established by a special law (special corporation) fully funded by the government.
2. The institute has a president, a vice president, directors, and an inspector, and the president and the inspector are appointed by the Minister while the vice president and the directors are appointed by the president upon the Minister's approval.
3. Regarding the salaries, etc. for officers and personnel involved in research, study, analysis, and technological development, provisions to be considered are to be provided for the necessity of securing talent with internationally distinguished abilities.
4. Regarding the officers and personnel of the institute, a mission statement of the services, duty of loyalty, and duty to submit a loyalty oath are to be provided as well as disciplinary rules in case of any violation thereof.

#### (2) Duties of the institute

1. The institute carries out the following duties.
  - Conducts research, study, analysis, technological development along with medical treatment closely associated therewith in regard to prevention and medical treatment of infectious and other diseases.
  - Conducts research, study, analysis, and technological development in regard to international cooperation associated with prevention and medical treatment, in addition to training domestic as well as international talent and improving quality.
  - Conducts collection of information, organizing, analyzing, offering services related to detection of the causes, etc. of infectious diseases, etc. and scientific information on prevention and medical treatment.
  - Conducts collection of pathogens, etc., testing, safekeeping in addition to undertaking technological development and dissemination necessary to carry out those activities as well as providing support such as training to local health institutions.
  - Report scientific information to the Prime Minister (Cabinet Agency for Infectious Disease Crisis Management) and the Minister of Health, Labour and Welfare (Department of Infectious Disease Prevention and Control).
  - In addition to the above, take over and conduct the duties of National Institute of Infectious Diseases and National Center for Global Health and Medicine.
2. The Minister of Health, Labour and Welfare conducts hearing of opinions of councils concerning Headquarters for Healthcare Policy, the Committee on the System of Evaluating Incorporated Administrative Agencies, and councils on research and development, and establishes a mid-term goal (6 years), and the institute makes a mid-term plan based on the mid-term goal and obtain the Minister's approval thereof.
3. The Minister of Health, Labour and Welfare evaluates the institute's performance at the end of each fiscal year, and at that time, must listen to the council's opinion on its research and development and, at the same time, report the result of evaluation to Headquarters for Healthcare Policy and the Committee on the System of Evaluating Incorporated Administrative Agencies.

#### (3) Supervising the institute

The Minister of Health, Labour and Welfare may collect reports and conduct walk-in inspection, and if deemed necessary, may order as needed based on the supervision.

#### (4) Miscellaneous

Undertake transitional measures concerning the personnel of National Institute of Infectious Diseases as well as measures in connection with the dissolution of National Center for Global Health and Medicine, and revise the rules, etc. concerning the preparation for establishing the institute.

## Effective Date

The date to be determined by Cabinet Order within 3 years of the promulgation date (provided that the date corresponding to the preparation for the establishment of the institute under (4) is the date of the promulgation)

# 国立健康危機管理研究機構法の概要

## 法の趣旨

感染症その他の疾患に関し、調査研究、医療の提供、国際協力、人材の養成等を行うとともに、国民の生命及び健康に重大な影響を与えるおそれがある感染症の発生及びまん延時において疫学調査から臨床研究までを総合的に実施し科学的知見を提供できる体制の強化を図るため、国立感染症研究所と国立研究開発法人国立国際医療研究センターを統合し、国立健康危機管理研究機構を設立する。

## 法の概要

### ○国立健康危機管理研究機構（以下「機構」という。）の創設

#### （１）機構の組織（法人形態、役職員、サービス）

- ① 機構は特別の法律により設立される法人（特殊法人）とし、政府の全額出資によるものとする。
- ② 機構に理事長・副理事長・理事・監事を置き、理事長・監事については大臣が任命し、副理事長・理事については、理事長が大臣の認可を受けて任命するものとする。
- ③ 調査・研究・分析・技術の開発に従事する役員及び職員の給与等について、国際的に卓越した能力を有する人材を確保する必要性等の考慮規定を設ける。
- ④ 機構の役員及び職員について、サービスの本旨・職務忠実義務・誓約書提出義務を設け、違反した場合の制裁規程を設ける。

#### （２）機構の業務

- ① 機構は以下の業務を行う。
  - ・ 感染症その他の疾患に係る予防・医療に関し、調査・研究・分析・技術の開発を行うとともに、これに密接に関連する医療を提供する。
  - ・ 予防・医療に係る国際協力に関し、調査・研究・分析・技術の開発を行う。また、国内外の人材の養成及び資質の向上を行う。
  - ・ 感染症等の病原等の検索及び予防・医療に係る科学的知見に関する情報の収集・整理・分析・提供を行う。
  - ・ 病原体等の収集・検査・保管及びその実施に必要な技術開発・普及等を行うほか、地方衛生研究所等に対し研修等の支援を行う。
  - ・ 科学的知見を内閣総理大臣（内閣感染症危機管理統括庁）及び厚生労働大臣（感染症対策部）に報告する。
  - ・ 上記のほか、国立感染症研究所、国立国際医療研究センターの業務を引き継いで実施する。
- ② 厚生労働大臣は、健康・医療戦略推進本部、独立行政法人評価制度委員会及び研究開発に関する審議会の意見聴取を行った上で、中期目標（６年）を定め、機構は中期目標に基づき中期計画を作成し、厚生労働大臣の認可を受ける。
- ③ 厚生労働大臣は、毎事業年度の終了後、機構の業務の実績評価を行う。その際、研究開発に関する審議会の意見を聴くとともに、健康・医療戦略推進本部及び独立行政法人評価制度委員会に評価結果を通知しなければならない。

#### （３）機構の監督

厚生労働大臣は、報告徴収・立入検査を行うことができる。また、必要があると認めるときは、監督上必要な命令をすることができる。

#### （４）その他

国立感染症研究所の職員に関する経過措置、国立国際医療研究センターの解散に伴う措置、機構の設立準備に係る規定の整備等を行う。

## 施行期日

公布の日から起算して３年を超えない範囲内において政令で定める日（ただし、（４）のうち機構の設立準備に係る規定等は公布の日）