



<b>Actions/Policies on Social Management</b>	
1/22	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Government announced the spread of fake news on epidemic can be fined up to NT\$3 million (USD \$100,000)</li> </ul>
2/2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Government extended school winter break from Feb 15 to Feb 25</li> </ul>
2/5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Public servants given 14-days of unpaid leave to care for children under 12 if reason is due to coronavirus between Feb 11-24</li> </ul>
2/13	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• NT\$60 billion (USD \$2 billion) allocated for businesses affected by the epidemic</li> </ul>
2/19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• CECC coordinated with the Environmental Protection Administration, the Ministry of Education, and local environmental protection departments to disinfect public spaces around schools and school areas open to the public during winter break.</li> <li>• Ministry of Education oversaw commissioning of licensed companies to disinfect universities and colleges.</li> <li>• The Ministry of Education announced student absences due to fever or respiratory symptoms will not count on students' attendance records</li> <li>• Ministry of Transportation and Communications set cleaning standards for school buses, Taiwan High Speed Rail, Taiwan Railways, tour buses, and taxis.</li> </ul>
2/21	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ministry of Education guidelines for suspension of classes due to confirmed coronavirus cases</li> <li>• Ministry of Labor to provide financial assistance to workers furloughed due to COVID19 and receive up to NT\$18,960 a month (USD \$630) in subsidies.</li> </ul>
3/13	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Government announced a NT\$60 billion(US\$200 million) bailout plan to help hard-hit local sectors.</li> </ul>
3/18	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• MOFA Taiwan released the Taiwan-U.S. Joint Statement on pandemic consultation and cooperation</li> </ul>
3/29	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Central Epidemic Command Center plans social distancing regulations and issues related guidelines.</li> </ul>
4/1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• President Tsai announced an economic stimulus to deal with the impact of the coronavirus, which will reach NT\$1.05 trillion (\$35 billion).</li> </ul>

<b>Actions on Border Control, Travel Restrictions, and Case Finding</b>	
12/31	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Officials board and inspect passengers for fever or pneumonia symptoms on direct flights from Wuhan</li> </ul>
1/5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Taiwan CDC notified if passenger from Wuhan has fever and/or URTI (upper respiratory tract infection)</li> </ul>
1/20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Central Epidemic Command Center activated</li> </ul>
1/21	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Taiwan confirmed first case of infection</li> <li>• National Security Council convened to coordinate efforts from the Ministries of Health and Welfare, Transportation, Economics, Labor, Education, Environmental Protection Administration.</li> </ul>
1/23	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Travelers from China required to make health declaration before entering</li> </ul>
1/25	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tours to China suspended until Jan 31</li> </ul>
1/27	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Patients' past 14-day travel history integrated into NHIA database.</li> </ul>
1/28	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• China (except Hong Kong and Macau): Level 3 travel alert</li> </ul>
1/29	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Electronic monitoring of quarantined individuals via government-issued cell phones</li> </ul>
1/30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tours to or transiting in China suspended until Feb 29</li> <li>• NHIA database expands to cover 14-day travel history for patients from China, Hong Kong, and Macau</li> </ul>
1/31	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All of the tour groups from China to depart Taiwan</li> </ul>
2/5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cruise ships with previous dockings in China, Hong Kong, or Macau in past 14 days are banned</li> </ul>
2/6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tours to Hong Kong and Macau suspended until Feb 29</li> <li>• Chinese nationals are banned</li> <li>• All international cruise ships are banned</li> <li>• Contacts traced for Diamond Princess cruise ship passengers who disembarked in Taiwan on Jan 31</li> </ul>
2/7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Foreign nationals with travel to China, Hong Kong, or Macau in the past 14-days are banned.</li> <li>• Foreigners must see an immigration officer and cannot use e-Gate.</li> </ul>
2/8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 128 passengers on SuperStar Aquarius cruise ship(寶瓶星號) tested within one day and all were negative for the coronavirus</li> </ul>
2/10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tours to or transiting in China suspended until Apr 30</li> <li>• Tours to or transiting in Hong Kong or Macau suspended until March 31</li> <li>• Most passenger flights from Taiwan to China suspended until April 29.</li> </ul>
2/11	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Travelers entering Taiwan must complete an accurate health declaration form or be fined up to NT\$150,000 (USD \$5,000)</li> </ul>

2/12	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Government declared that violators of home isolation regulations will be fined up to NT\$300,000 (USD \$10,000); violators of home quarantine regulations will be fined up to NT\$150,000 (USD \$5,000)</li> <li>• Cases of severe influenza that tested negative for influenza since Jan 31 to be retested for COVID-19</li> </ul>
2/16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• NHIA database expanded to cover 30-day travel history for travelers from or transited through China, Singapore, and Thailand</li> <li>• Expanded community-based surveillance measures: Individuals with foreign travel history in the past 14-days and had contact with travelers exhibiting fever or respiratory symptoms with suspected cause from COVID-19.</li> </ul>
2/17	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Travelers arriving with fever or respiratory symptoms will have sample taken</li> </ul>
2/18	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Taiwanese passengers on Diamond Princess cruise ship returning to Taiwan must use charter flight arranged by the CECC and be quarantined</li> <li>• All hospitals, clinics, and pharmacies have access to patients' travel histories</li> </ul>
2/19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tours to or transiting through Hong Kong or Macau suspended until April 30</li> </ul>
2/22	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 19 Taiwanese nationals from cruise ship Diamond Princess return to Taiwan and were quarantined immediately</li> </ul>
2/24	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Travelers with history of travel to China, Hong Kong, and Macau subject to home quarantine for 14 days from arrival date.</li> </ul>
3/19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Foreign nationals are banned</li> </ul>
3/24	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All airline passenger transits are banned</li> </ul>
<b>Actions/Policies on Resource Allocation</b>	
1/22	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Government allocates masks to retailers and sets price limit of 50 masks at NT\$300 (USD \$10)</li> <li>• Ministries of Health and Welfare promote quarantine efforts and setup notification mechanism through travel agents and tour guides</li> <li>• Ministry of Economic Affairs lists daily local mask manufacturing capability at 2.44 million units which surpasses the local demand of 1.3 million per day</li> </ul>
1/24	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Testing of COVID-19 to take place at Taiwan CDC or eight designated hospitals</li> <li>• Export ban on disposable surgical masks until Feb 23</li> <li>• Outbound travelers can only take up to 250 masks</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Violation of the ban results in confiscation and a fine of 3 times the masks' value</li> </ul>
1/30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 4 million masks released daily from local manufacturers.</li> <li>• Only 1-3 masks are allowed per purchase at convenience stores, local pharmacies, and medical supply stores.</li> <li>• Mask prices are currently fixed at NT\$8 apiece (USD \$0.27)</li> <li>• 4 million surgical masks produced per day with 1.4 million allotted to hospitals and medical workers with remaining 2.6 million for consumer sales.</li> </ul>
1/31	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Government requisitions surgical masks from Jan 31 to Feb 15</li> </ul>
2/1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mask prices drop to NT\$6 apiece (USD \$0.20)</li> </ul>
2/2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Government facilities (dorms or spare military camps) used for quarantine. Soldiers mobilized to production lines at local mask factories.</li> <li>• 60 additional surgical mask machines being installed with 10% of capacity reserved for children.</li> </ul>
2/3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• New name-based rationing system announced for purchase of face masks (starts Feb 6)</li> <li>• Engineers with the Digital Minister develop an app for the public to see pharmacies' mask stocks</li> <li>• 500,000 children's masks distributed to private kindergartens for free</li> </ul>
2/4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• NHIA allows foreigners without NHI cards to use passports to purchase masks unless they are on a tourist visa</li> </ul>
2/11	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Government invested NT\$200M (USD \$6.66 million) to purchase equipment and add production lines</li> <li>• 1,800+ Army Reserve troops have aided in mask production across 28 manufacturers</li> </ul>
2/13	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Export ban on face masks extended until April 30</li> <li>• Government requisitioning of surgical masks extended until April 30</li> </ul>
2/17	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Daily testing capacity for COVID-19 is approximately 1,300 samples</li> <li>• Daily mask output rise to 5 million masks</li> </ul>
2/23	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 6.45 million surgical masks distributed to schools and after-school institutions before spring semester starts along with 25,000 forehead thermometers and 84,000 liters of alcohol-based sanitizers.</li> </ul>
3/4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 60 mask production lines were ready. (Normally, it requires 4-6 months to activate but was ready in one month)</li> </ul>
3/9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Daily mask output was boosted to 10 million masks a day</li> </ul>

4/1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Daily mask output was boosted to 13 million masks a day.</li><li>• President Tsai announced that Taiwan will donate 10 million face masks for medical personnel in the countries most affected by the virus.</li></ul>
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