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Population and No. of
Households in Urayasu

Population: 171,435
Male: 83,000
Female: 88,435
Households: 86,359
Foreign Residents: 4,848
(As of July 31, 2024)

Emergency Medical Services Day

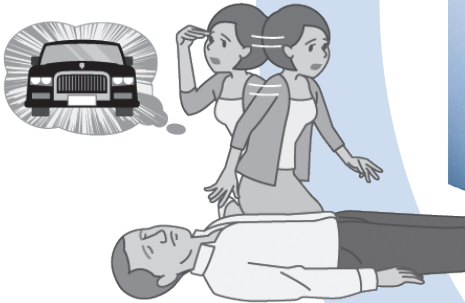


If you encounter an unconscious person

If you find an unconscious person, providing first aid until the ambulance arrives can help prevent the illness or injury from getting worse. Providing prompt and appropriate first aid will assist the EMS team in helping the person(s).

1. Secure safety

If you find an unconscious person, check your surroundings and ensure your own safety before administering first aid. Be aware that traffic accidents and the like can cause a fire.



4. Use an AED

An audio guide will start playing when the AED is turned on. Follow the guide to apply the electrode pad and perform the procedure.



2. Check for consciousness

If the person is not responding to your voice, call for help and gather people who are willing to assist. Have them call 119 and bring an AED while you stay with the person.



September 9 is Emergency Medical Services day. By learning about the duties of the EMS team and how to perform first aid, you may be able to help someone in a medical emergency.

3. Check breathing

If the person is not breathing, perform cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) immediately. Place both hands on top of each other and apply strong, unceasing compressions to the middle of the chest at a rate of 100 to 120 compressions per minute.



Points to note when calling 119

When you call 119, the operator will ask you a series of questions necessary to dispatch an ambulance or fire truck. While it is natural to panic in the face of an accident or medical emergency, it is important to answer the questions calmly.

Below are the general questions that the operator will ask you.

Is it a medical emergency or fire?

Location to dispatch

Provide the address or nearby landmarks such as buildings and intersections. If the emergency is inside an apartment or other large building, also provide the name of the building, floor, room number, and any other information you may have.

Ex: "The third floor of Urayasu City Hall, which is at 1-1-1 Nekozone, Urayasu City," "Intersection in front of Hinode Public Hall."

Current situation

Provide the condition of the injured or ill person. For accidents, also provide the cause of accident, number of injured persons, etc.

Caller's name and telephone number

The operator may call you back to check the location and other information. Make sure you are able to answer your phone until the ambulance arrives.

If you are not sure whether to call an ambulance

EMS Telephone Consultation: #7119

Monday to Saturday (excluding national holidays and the year-end/New Year's holidays): 6 p.m. to 8 a.m. of the following day
Sundays, national holidays and the year-end/New Year's holidays: 9 a.m. to 8 a.m. of the following day
Use this service when you feel sick and are not sure whether to visit a medical institution or call an ambulance. In principle, a nurse will be available for consultation.

Children's Emergency Medical Consultation: #8000

7 p.m. to 8 a.m. of the following day
Consultation is available in the event of a child's sudden illness, such as a sudden fever.

Playing with fire is not a game

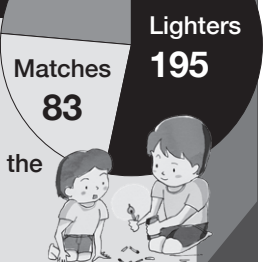
Many summer activities use fire, such as fireworks and barbecues. While these activities are fun, they can also lead to accidents such as fires and burns if rules are not followed and fire is handled inappropriately. To protect your loved ones and precious items, discuss with your family about the proper way to handle fire.

Do not let children play with fire!

In 2023, there were 363 fires caused by activities involving fire in Japan. Many of these cases occurred because children were playing with fire without supervision, leading to delayed detection and spread of fires. Lighters and matches were the cause of 195 and 83 cases, respectively.

To prevent fires caused by activities involving fire, adults must teach children the proper way to handle fire.

Note: The numbers above are preliminary figures. Source: *Shobo no Ugoki* (Firefighting Trends) Vol. 639 by the Fire and Disaster Management Agency



Expansion of Child Allowance Program

The Child Allowance Program will expand from the October payment (paid in December). For more information about eligibility and application procedures, visit the city website.

Inquiries: Child Services Section, Tel: 712-6424

Details of Expansion

| Point | Before expansion (until September 2024) | After expansion (from October 2024) |
|--|--|---|
| Eligibility | Until the first March 31 after the child's 15th birthday | Until the first March 31 after the child's 18th birthday |
| Income limit | Yes | No |
| Allowance amount | Under 3 years of age: Flat rate of 15,000 yen 3 years of age until graduation from elementary school: 1st and 2nd child: 10,000 yen 3rd and subsequent children: 15,000 yen Junior high school students: Flat rate of 10,000 yen Special benefits: Flat rate of 5,000 yen | Under 3 years of age: 1st and 2nd child: 15,000 yen 3rd and subsequent children: 30,000 yen 3 years of age until the first March 31 after the child's 18th birthday: 1st and 2nd child: 10,000 yen 3rd and subsequent children: 30,000 yen |
| Age limit of children who count towards the special benefit for three or more children | Until the first March 31 after the child's 18th birthday | Until the first March 31 after the child's 22nd birthday |
| Payment schedule | 3 times a year (Feb., Jun., Oct.) | 6 times a year (Feb., Apr., Jun., Aug., Oct., Dec.) |

A Stroll with a View of the Sea and the Sunset

Date and time: September 28 (Sat.), 3:50 to 6 p.m. (cancelled in the event of rain)

Location: Sports Park

Eligibility: 100 Urayasu city residents, on first-come-first-served basis (elementary school children and younger must be accompanied by a parent/guardian)

Application: Apply through the Chiba Electronic Application Service (<https://apply.e-tumo.jp/city-urayasu-chiba-u/>) from 9 a.m. on Monday, September 2.

Inquiries: Urayasu Office of the Liaison Council of the Sports Promotion Committee (within the Sports Section), Tel: 712-6819

Collection Day for Used Kitchen Oil and Used Clothes/Rags

Date and time: September 11 (Wed.), 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Location: Urayasu City Hall 1F (Civic Hall)

Note: Please wash all used clothes and rags, and place the dry items in a transparent bag.

Inquiries: Garbage-Free Section, Tel: 712-6485

Workshops for Using the Sports Park Gymnasium and Chuo Martial Arts Gymnasium Training Rooms



Eligibility: Those aged 15 and older (excluding junior high school students).
Note: If the number of participants does not reach the capacity, participation on the day of the event is possible. For more information about

the schedule, visit the city website.

Inquiries: Bardral Urayasu Arena, Tel: 355-1110; Chuo Martial Arts Gymnasium, Tel: 380-2100

20th Anniversary Safety Concert



Date and time: October 5 (Sat.), 1:30 to 4:30 p.m. (venue opens at 1 p.m. [exhibition booth opens at noon])

Location: Culture Hall

Capacity: 1,000 people on first-come-first-served basis on the day of the event

Performance: Chiba Prefectural Police Band, Urayasu City Fire Department Band, Tomioka Junior High School Brass

Band, Japan Ground Self-Defense Force Music Corps

Inquiries: NPO Urayasu Crime Prevention Network, Tel: 090-8508-1740 (Citizens Safety Measures Section)

Potluck Concert

Date and time: October 7 (Mon.), 3 to 3:30 p.m.

Location: Culture Hall

Capacity: 56 people on first-come-first-served basis on the day of the event

Inquiries: Culture Hall, Tel: 353-1121 (Lifelong Learning Section)

Follow the Rules for Garbage Disposal

A warning sticker will be attached to garbage that is not appropriately sorted according to the city rules. Make sure to follow the rules to ensure safe collection and avoid delays.

Wrong Days, Inappropriate Sorting

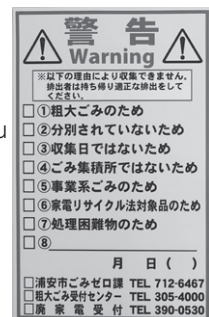
The reason why your garbage was not collected will be written on the

warning sticker. If you let inappropriately disposed garbage accumulate, it will cause trouble with neighbors and interfere with collection. Make sure to take back your garbage and dispose of it appropriately.

If You Do Not Know the Rules for Sorting Check the Garbage and Recyclable Resources Sorting and Disposal Rulebook (in Japanese). We have also prepared a handy pamphlet in English) or download the garbage sorting app Kuru-Navi to learn the rules for sorting.

Note: The Garbage and Recyclable Resources Sorting and Disposal Rulebook and pamphlets are available at the Garbage-Free Section (City Hall 6F), local public halls, City Service Centers, the Clean Center, and Venous Plaza.

Inquiries: Garbage-Free Section, Tel: 712-6485



A Stroll with the Mayor

Etsushi Uchida, Mayor of Urayasu City

The School Ingrained in the Community

The extreme heat is continuing. If a heatstroke alert is issued, make sure to take thorough prevention measures such as staying in a cool environment and frequent rehydration.

The environment surrounding children is changing drastically. To improve the educational environment for children, who are the bearers of the future, the city has been implementing so-called "community school" on a trial basis since 2023 at two schools, Akemi Elementary School and Hinode Junior High School. "Community school" is a program in which schools, parents/guardians, and local communities cooperate and collaborate in school management. Starting this academic year, we have expanded the program to all municipal elementary and junior high schools.

The core organization for cooperation and collaboration in this effort is the School Community Collaboration Management Council. The council is

composed of school staff, parents/guardians, local residents, and others. In the council meetings, the principal of the school explains the basic policy of school management, and council members offer various opinions regarding school management and educational activities. This allows the members to approve various issues.

The purpose of this program is to allow the school and community to share issues, information, and goals, which will also promote efforts by the community to support the school. The knowledge and experience of the community will be shared with the students through these efforts, which will enhance educational and experience-based activities.

With the community looking over the children, crime and disaster prevention measures will also be improved. It will also nurture the love the children have for their community and make them more aware



of their role as community leaders.

Creating a community network around schools is beneficial not only for the education and healthy development of children, but also for the revitalization of the community and its aging population. With community schools as the gateway, we will continue to promote various initiatives to develop communities.

Recyclable Waste Disposal Schedule

| Collection Area | Bottles/Cans/ PET plastic bottles | Newspapers/ Magazines |
|---|--------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Nekozane, Kitazakae, Todaijima | Every Tue. | Every Mon. |
| Horie, Higashino, Fujimi, Maihama, Tekkadori 3-chome | Every Wed. | Every Sat. |
| Kairaku, Mihama, Irifune, Hinode, Akemi | Every Thu. | Every Mon. |
| Tomioka, Imagawa, Benten, Takasu, Minato, Tekkadori 1- and 2-chome, Chidori | Every Fri. | Every Sat. |

* Please put out your garbage between 7 a.m. and 8 a.m. It is against the rules to put it out earlier or later than this designated time as it could become a nuisance in your neighborhood.

* Bulky items will be collected separately on request by phone. Call the Bulky Items Reception Center ☎ 305-4000. For inquiries, contact the Garbage-Free Section ☎ 712-6467.

FOREIGN RESIDENTS' ASSISTANCE DESK

Urayasu City provides consultation services concerning daily life such as medical, educational or job-related matters.

HOURS: 10 a.m. - 12 noon, 1 - 4 p.m. weekdays

LANGUAGES: English, French, Chinese, Polish, Russian and Japanese

PHONE NUMBER & LOCATION: 712-6910

Urayasu City Hall Local Activities Promotion Section

Foreign Residents Advisory Corner

Hours: Every Monday to Friday, 9 a.m. to 9 p.m., every Saturday and Sunday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Languages: English and Japanese

Phone Number & Location: 306-5181, International Center