There is an outbreak of Yellow Fever in Angola!

There have been numerous people infected with Yellow Fever in southern Africa, primarily Angola, beginning in December 2015.

Individuals who have **not** been vaccinated. have been bitten by a mosquito during their travels, and are exhibiting symptoms, such as a fever, should speak to a Quarantine Officer.

If you are concerned after your come to Japan, seek guidance at your local health center.

Additionally, if you are exhibiting symptoms, and you seek treatment at a clinic or hospital, it is essential that you report that you have travelled overseas.

What is Yellow Fever?

Yellow Fever is transmitted through the bite of an infected mosquito, and the primary symptoms are fever, headache, chills, muscle pain, back pain, nausea, vomiting. Additionally, some patients may exhibit more severe symptoms, which, if not treated properly, may lead to death.

For more information...

Quarantine Station Website FORTH https://www.forth.go.jp/useful/yellowfever.html





Countries with an outbreak as of May 19, 2016