# Asia Pacific Alliance for Disaster Management Korea

COVID-19 Virus, Help South Korea!

## Summary

COVID-19 virus is spreading all over the world. The total number of confirmed Koreans are 7,382(2020,03.09). Of the total, 6,462 confirmed Koreans(87.5%) were reported in Daegu and North Gyeong-sang Province.

Everyday, the number of confirmed people are increasing rapidly. All the buildings where the confirmed people stayed are closed. Korea is dying slowly. Help, Korea!

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Vulnerable social group is exposed to huge risk. About 5,200 children at 199 local children's centers having a hard time. Public institutions supply only 3 disposable masks and 1 hand sanitizer. Each chidren's center provides 1 meal coupon per child. However, 1 meal coupon is not enough. Children who are in a difficult situation to get masks and groceries can't eat properly. 다.

## Solution

A-PAD Korea is providing meals for children at the Daegu province Children's centers. Almost restaurants in Daegu are closed because of COVID-19 virus. Therefore, we're going to join small self-ownership restaurants. We are planning to contribute to community economic activities by ordering meals for children to local restaurants.

#### Long-term effect

We need to prepare for a long fight with COVID-19 virus. In the future, even worse disaster could happen than COVID-19 virus. Korea should remember the lessons learned from this disaster. We can overcome a disaster together.

