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Annaka City MONTHLY BULLETIN

Issued by: Citizen Division, Citizen Cooperation Section

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Useful information for Foreigners living in Gunma.

Five rules for safe bicycle riding

Sources: Cabinet Office, National Police Agency, Metropolitan Police Department

Bicycles are classified under the Road Traffic Act as "light road vehicles" and are a type of vehicle. There are traffic rules that riders must obey just like vehicle users. There are five rules for safe bicycle riding as follows, have decided upon by the Traffic Safety Measures Headquarters of the National Council for Traffic Safety Measures on November 1, 2022. Please follow the five rules for your safety.





In principle use roadways and ride on the left; only in exceptional cases may sidewalks be used, but give pedestrians right-of-way.

Bicycles must in principle use roadways where there is a distinction between sidewalks and roadways. Riders must keep to the left when riding along roadways.

Penal Provisions: Imprisonment for not more than three months or a fine of not more than 50,000 yen.





At intersections, obey traffic signals, be sure to come to a stop, and check safety.

In places where road signs or markings indicate that you must come to a stop, be sure to do so, and check safety.

Penal Provisions: Imprisonment for not more than three months or a fine of not more than 50,000 yen, etc.





Use your bicycle front light at night.

In order to check safety in the front direction and make your presence known to pedestrians and vehicles, do not fail to put on your front light at night.

Penal Provisions: A fine of not more than 50,000 yen.





Do not ride under the influence of alcohol!

As bicycles are a type of vehicle, riding under the influence of alcohol is prohibited. You must not ride a bicycle if you have been drinking alcohol.

Penal Provisions: Imprisonment for not more than five years or a fine of not more than 1,000,000 yen.



Wear a bicycle helmet.

All bicycle users should wear a bicycle helmet in order to reduce the damage caused by bicycle accidents. People responsible for the protection of infants and small children should make them wear bicycle helmets when carrying them on their bicycles.



Free

HEALTH CHECK-UP FOR CHILDREN in December 2023

(Place: Annaka Health Center Time: 13:00-14:00)

Category	Birthday (Month/Year)	Date & Time (Month/Day)	Things to Bring			
4 Months Old Health Checkup	Aug. 2023	12/26 (Tue.)	☐ Maternal and Child Health Handbook☐ Bath Towel			
8 Months Old Health Checkup	Mar. 2023	12/19 (Tue.)	☐ Medical questionnaires☐ Child Rearing Support Sheet			
1 Year Old Child-rearing Consultation	Nov. 2022	12/25 (Mon.)	 ☐ Health Check Sheet ☐ Healthy Parents and Children 21 (for 4 months, 18 months, 3 years old children) ☐ Toothbrush (for 1 year, 18 months, 2 years, 3 years old children) 			
18 Months Old Health Checkup	May 2022	12/13 (Wed.)				
2 Years Old Dental Checkup	Oct. 2021	12/27 (Wed.)	☐ Urine sample (for 3 years old children) ○○○For inquiries:○○○ Annaka City Health Center Tel: 027 382 1111 (Ext. 1174)			
30 Months Old Dental Checkup	Apr. 2021	12/21 (Thu.)				
3 Years Old Health Checkup	Oct. 2020	12/7 (Thu.)	Matsuida Health Center Tel: 027 382 1111 (Ext. 2151)			

Citizen's Division holiday counter (Dec. 10, 2023 to Jan. 15, 2024)

Service content:

Issuance of various certificates handled by the Citizen's Division. Inquiries:

Annaka City Hall, Citizen's Division Tel: 027-382-1111 (Ext. 1104)

Service

Dec. 17, 2023 (Sun) 8:30 -12:00

Jan. 7, 2024 (Sun) 8:30 -12:00



Holiday duty doctor (Dec. 10, 2023 to Jan. 15, 2024)

Date	Internal medicine		General surgery	
12/10 (Sun)	Shoda Hospital, Tel: 027-382-1123		Shoda Hospital, Tel: 027-382-1123	\sim
12/17 (Sun)	▼9:00 am-6:00 pm Saruya Clinic, Tel: 027-384-3681	▼From 6:00 pm Suto Hospital, Tel: 027-382-3131	Suto Hospital, Tel: 027-382-3131	$\bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc$
12/24 (Sun)	Usui Public Hospital, Tel: 027-385-8221		Usui Public Hospital, Tel: 027-385-8221	<i>P</i> 9
12/30 (Sat) *holiday	Shoda Hospital, Tel: 027-382-1123	&	Shoda Hospital, Tel: 027-382-1123	
12/31 (Sun)	Matsuida Hospital, Tel: 027-393-1301	00 000	Matsuida Hospital, Tel: 027-393-1301	
1/1 (Mon) *holiday	Usui Public Hospital, Tel: 027-385-8221	高 高	Usui Public Hospital, Tel: 027-385-8221	
1/2 (Tue) *holiday	Suto Hospital, Tel: 027-382-3131		Suto Hospital, / Tel: 027-382-3131	/ / 🔲
1/3 (Wed) *holiday	▼9:00 am-6:00 pm Honda Hospital, Tel: 027-382-1255	▼From 6:00 pm Shoda Hospital, Tel: 027-382-1123	▼9:00 am-6:00 pm Honda Hospital, Tel: 027-382-1255	▼From 6:00 pm Shoda Hospital, Tel: 027-382-1123
1/7 (Sun)	▼9:00 am-6:00 pm Ayakomagokoro Clinic, Tel: 027-388-1180	▼From 6:00 pm Shoda Hospital, Tel: 027-382-1123	Shoda Hospital, Tel: 027-382-1123	
1/8 (Mon) *holiday	Usui Public Hospital, Tel: 027-385-8221		Usui Public Hospital, Tel: 027-385-8221	
1/14 (Sun)	▼9:00 am-6:00 pm Iwai Central Clinic, Tel: 027-381-2201	▼From 6:00 pm Suto Hospital, Tel: 027-382-3131	▼9:00 am-6:00 pm Inoue Clinic, Tel: 027-380-1717	▼From 6:00 pm Suto Hospital, Tel: 027-382-3131