Special Message

COVID-19 guidance note
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INFORMATION TO ALL PERMANENT MISSIONS TO THE UNITED NATIONS (VIENNA)

Please find attached a guidance note for meeting participants issued by the Vienna International Centre (VIC) Medical Service on measures to be taken with regard to COVID-19.

Please also be informed that the VIC Medical Service, in collaboration with the Security and Safety Service of the United Nations Office at Vienna (UNOV), has already implemented the relevant COVID-19 response protocol for the VIC. The VIC in-house response is aligned with the relevant requirements and regulations of the host country.

Hand sanitizers and hand washing instructions are available in washrooms as well as in high traffic areas in the VIC.

In addition, COVID-19 preventive health advice will be provided through:
- a brief presentation by the VIC Medical Service at the beginning of the opening session of the 63rd session of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs, starting at 10 AM on Monday 2 March, in the plenary hall of the M building
- posters
- digital signage in the VIC rotunda informing passers-by about measures to protect themselves from COVID-19.

How to stay informed:
Find the latest information from WHO on where COVID-19 is spreading:
https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019/situation-reports/
Advice and guidance from WHO on COVID-19
https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019
https://www.epi-win.com/

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