



More than 40 Americans infected with coronavirus on cruise ship: Fauci

February 17, 2020



Dr. Anthony Fauci, director of the U.S. National Institute on Allergy and Infectious Diseases (NIAID), said on CBS "Face the Nation" that more than 40 Americans, who were quarantined aboard the Diamond Princess cruise liner off Japan for two weeks, tested positive for the coronavirus and were

'not going anywhere'.

DR. ANTHONY FAUCI, NIH, SAYING:

"Well, 40 of them have gotten infected. They are not going to anywhere."

1-1. Dr. Anthony Fauci of the National Institute of Health on Sunday _____

1-2. aboard the quarantined cruise liner in Japan _____

1-3. and would be undergoing health screenings _____

DR. ANTHONY FAUCI, NIH, SAYING:

"They're going to be in hospitals in Japan. People who have symptoms will not be able to get on the evacuation plane.

Others are going to be evacuated starting imminently to Air Force bases in the United States. If people on the plane start to develop symptoms, they'll be segregated within the plane. So there is a very firm plan with this 747 that is going to take these passengers now who have been there. When you come back to the United States, importantly, they're still subjected to a 14 day quarantine."

2-1. His comments came on CBS'S "Face the Nation" _____

2-2. including Americans, finally disembarked the ship at the Japanese port of Yokohama _____

3-1. The Department of Defense said American evacuees _____

3-2. would be flown to either Travis Air Force Base in California or Kelly Field/Lackland Air Force Base in Texas _____

4-1. Seventy new coronavirus cases _____

4-2. bringing the total on the ship to 355, _____

DR. ANTHONY FAUCI, NIH, SAYING:

"...the degree of transmissibility on that cruise ship is essentially akin to being in a hot spot. A lot of transmissibility on that cruise ship."

5-1. Within China, _____

5-2. noting that this was down _____

6. Chinese officials called this proof _____

7. In mainland China, more than 1600 deaths _____

8. Outside China _____

9-1. Last week, an 83-year-old American woman _____

9-2. Holland America's MS Westerdam, which docked in Cambodia, _____

9-3. alarming health experts who feared _____

[Vocabulary]

infected: someone who is infected has a disease that can be spread from one person to another

• *Keep away from anyone who may be infected.*

National Institute of Health: a health agency of the United States Public Health Service, composed of numerous different component institutes and centers, many of which are dedicated to medical research.

quarantine: to place into enforced isolation, as for medical reasons; to keep a person or animal in quarantine; If people or animals are quarantined, they are stopped from having contact with other people or animals. If a place is quarantined, people and animals are prevented from entering or leaving it.

• *Dogs have to be quarantined for six months before they'll let them in.*

cruise liner: a passenger ship used commercially for pleasure cruises

- **positive**: a positive result in a medical test means that the person has the disease or condition that was tested for
 - *The runner was suspended for two years after he tested positive for steroids.*
- **test positive**:
- **undergo**: to experience something, especially something that is unpleasant but necessary
 - *He confirmed he had been undergoing treatment for cancer.*
 - *She underwent emergency surgery for suspected appendicitis.*
- **screening**: tests done to check someone for a particular disease
 - *The lump was discovered during routine breast screening.*
 - *health screening*
- **symptom**: a sign that someone has an illness
 - *How long does it take for symptoms to appear?*
 - *The symptoms include fever and vomiting.*
- **evacuate**: to make people leave a building or other place because it is not safe
 - *We were all evacuated because of a bomb scare.*
- **imminent**: likely or certain to happen very soon
 - *A storm is imminent.*
 - *A flood is imminent as it's raining harder.*
- **imminently**: in an imminent manner
- **segregate**: to separate groups of people or things, especially because of race, sex, or religion. To integrate these groups means to bring them together
 - *The army has decided not to segregate men and women during training.*
- **Face the Nation**: a weekly American news and morning public affairs program airing Sundays on the CBS radio and television network.
- **disembark**: to get off a ship or airplane
 - *I looked towards the plane. Six passengers had already disembarked.*
- **Department of Defense**: the federal department responsible for safeguarding national security of the United States; created in 1947
- **Travis Air Force Base**: a United States Air Force air base under the operational control of the Air Mobility Command (AMC), located three miles (5 km) east of the central business district of Fairfield, in Solano County, California, United States.
- **Kelly Air Force Base**: a United States Air Force facility located in San Antonio, Texas
- **Lackland Air Force Base**: a United States Air Force base located in Bexar County, Texas
- **case**: a person with a disease
 - *He treated several cases of severe sunburn.*
- **cluster**: a small group of people or things that are very close to one another; a series of events of the same type, for example cases of a disease, that all happen in the same place or around the same time
 - *People stood in clusters around the noticeboards.*

□ **transmissible**: capable of being transmitted

- *transmissible diseases*

□ **transmissibility**: the quality of a disease or trait being able to be passed on from one person or organism to another

- *What measures should be taken will depend on the transmissibility of the virus.*

□ **akin to**: similar to something

- *Forcing them to listen to this terrible music is akin to torture.*
- *The political situation here is more akin to dictatorship than democracy.*

□ **hot spot**: a place where there is often a lot of violence or fighting; an area of political, military, or civil unrest usually considered dangerous

- *This part of the country is a hot spot of rebel activity.*

□ **MS Westerdam**: a Vista-class cruise ship owned by Holland America Line. She is the third ship of the class to be operated by the line, as well as being the third ship to bear the name *Westerdam*.

□ **alarm**: to make someone frightened or worried that something unpleasant or dangerous might happen

- *I don't want to alarm you but I think there is a serious problem.*
- *School officials were alarmed by the number of children with the disease.*

□ **expose**: to fail to protect someone or something from something harmful or dangerous

- *Many of the soldiers had been exposed to radiation.*
- *Why do we still sunbathe when we know the dangers of exposing our skin to the sun?*

[参照辞書: Merriam-Webster, Oxford English Dictionary, America Heritage of the English language, Collins English Dictionary, Macmillan Dictionary, the Free Dictionary, Wikipedia]