

In recent years, antimicrobial-resistant bacteria have been increasing worldwide, posing a serious threat to healthcare and public health. In light of this situation, the TMG has started awareness-raising activities from this fiscal year to increase awareness of Antimicrobial Resistance (AMR) and promote the proper use of antimicrobial agents, in conjunction with World AMR Awareness Week\*.

### <World Antimicrobial Resistance (AMR) Awareness Week>

WHO has designated November 18-24 each year as "World Antimicrobial Resistance (AMR) Awareness Week" and conducts campaigns to raise awareness and promote understanding of AMR

### <Initiatives during the period>

#### ▪ **Poster exhibitions, distribution of goods, etc.**

In cooperation with the Japan Institute for Health Security (JIHS), awareness-raising posters and other materials are exhibited in the central artwork area on the first floor of the Tokyo Metropolitan Government Building No. 1.

➤ Period: Thursday, November 20 - Friday, November 21

#### ▪ **Illumination of light-up of Sumida River Bridges**

Ten bridges spanning the Sumida River are illuminated in blue

➤ Date and Time: 15 minutes after sunset to 11:00 p.m., Thursday, November 20

#### ▪ **Announcement of AMR prevention website**

New information has been posted to promote understanding among Tokyo residents

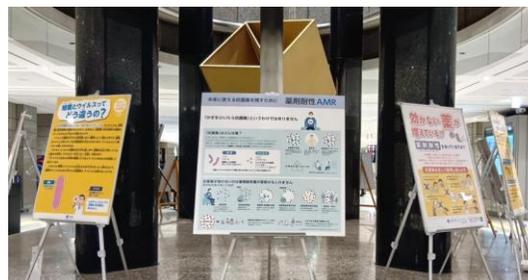


#### <Main Contents>

- What is antimicrobial resistance? / Infectious diseases and bacteria, viruses, etc.
- To prevent the increase of antimicrobial-resistant bacteria
- Q&A, etc.

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#### [Poster Exhibition]



#### [Light-up Image]



#### [Exhibition Posters and Distributed Awareness Materials]



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