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# **Navigating the Coronavirus Outbreak**

Corporate Incident Response Team March 2020

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# Supporting our customers, colleagues, and communities during public health crisis

# In alignment with our Mission

- Our Mission is to enable our customers to make the world healthier, cleaner and safer
  - We have obligations to ensure the safety of our colleagues, continue supporting our customers, and leverage our capabilities to address the public health concern
- Our approach focuses on four categories to ensure updated information is being used to make critical decisions that support our stakeholders



#### Globally Coordinated Response

Regional incident response teams providing daily updates to global team



#### Comprehensive Site Preparedness

Enhanced cleaning protocols, visitor policies and stringent preventative measures

# Employee Training & Communication

Restricting travel, encouraging remote work, and instituting social hygiene protocols



#### Business Continuity Planning

Robust review of BCPs for all businesses and regional operations

Risk mitigation, responsible preparation and minimization of business impact



## Globally coordinated response

# **Corporate Incident Response Team**

Incident Response Teams in Americas, EMEA, APAC

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#### **Operating Mechanisms:**

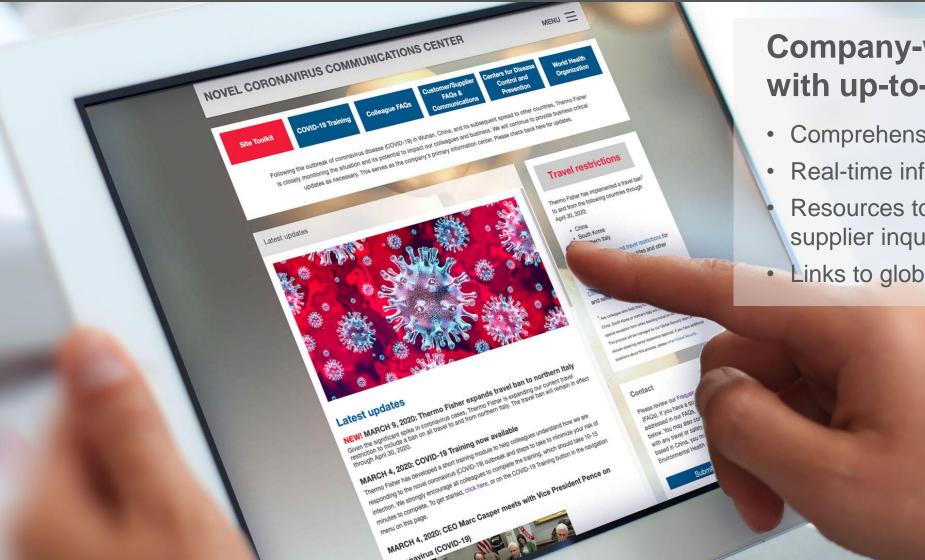
- Corporate Incident Response Team
- Three regional Incident Response Teams
- Daily meeting cadence reviewing new incidents
- Simple process for receiving updates
- Site leader training and communication updates
- Outside panel of medical, health and safety experts

#### **Outcomes Achieved:**

- Best practices used for exposure risk assessments
- Eliminated silos of information
- Consistent decision-making process for policy changes and risk assessments
- Ability to shift resource focus from prevention to containment or recovery as needed
- Confidence at the site level in mitigating and managing risk



## Employee training and communication



# Company-wide intranet site with up-to-date information

- Comprehensive toolkit for site leaders
- Real-time information for employees
- Resources to manage customer and supplier inquires
- Links to global agency guidelines

**Comprehensive communications resources to ensure current information is easily available** 



## Business continuity planning

Business continuity plans in place at all levels – from sites to regions – with daily escalation and tracking

Coordinated working groups and workstreams to assess risks, e.g. site exposure, supplier risk, logistical risk

Weekly company leadership team updates

- Tracking of supplier capacity and mitigation of disruption in focus regions and global pulsing of supplier risks
- Status on PPE supply for customers and production sites
- Tracking and active mitigation of critical logistical routes to customers and from suppliers
- Proactive preparation of sites in accordance with business continuity plans, e.g. hygiene, separation of teams, etc.
- Visitor and travel management

Striving to achieve uninterrupted supply to customers for critical materials



## Best practices for on-site service partners

#### **Guidelines Provided to Customer-Facing Teams:**

- Know and respect visitor requirements for customer sites
- Diligently track any visits to healthcare centers
- Avoid shaking hands
- Stay home if you're sick
- Wash hands frequently

#### Leveraging Capabilities to Support Customers:

- Expansion of digital remote support for instrument service
- Acceleration of augmented reality tools for FSE work
- Prioritization of critical tasks and personnel support
- Rapid expansion of diagnostic system installation capacity



Awareness of customer protocols and focus on social distancing best practices



# COVID-19 response: three successful outcomes



- Thermo Fisher sites lead by example in avoiding contamination
- Rapid adjustments to how we operate as a global company to minimize risk and maintain normal operations

Colleagues

- Employees provided with updated information to avoid exposure and ensure overall health and wellbeing.
- Thermo Fisher employees conduct themselves in ways that minimize transmission

# **Supply Chain**

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- Thermo Fisher businesses continue to meet customer expectations for product supply and availability
- Customers are provided with clear and updated information about the status of their critical items

#### Thermo Fisher is committed to ensuring safety of colleagues, customers and communities



# Thermo Fisher: A history of impact in responding to public health crises

Comprehensive PPE portfolio to protect researchers, **Protection** first responders and healthcare workers Leverage leading genetic and cellular analysis, Analysis immunology and histology tools for categorization Making a difference Rapidly develop, manufacture and distribute Detection diagnostic tests for viral detection • COVID-19 Ebola **H1N1** Support customers with priority production of Production SARS vaccine candidates and clinical trial logistics Zika



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#### Industry-leading scale

- Unparalleled commercial reach
- Expanding global footprint

Unique customer access

#### **Unmatched depth of capabilities**

- Leading innovative technologies
- Deep applications expertise
- Premier productivity partner
- Comprehensive services offering

