

Flu Control at a Theme Park ~ KidZania Japan ~

Introduction of KidZania

KidZania is Japan's first edu-tertainmant(*) town where kid can learn system of society while they challenge the job they like.

*Coined word from Education and Entertainment.

They earn Kizzo (Exclusive currency) from various job like adults, and spend it for shopping and learning inside there.

Parents give high rating, because Kids become interested in jobs from experience of "Earning Kizzo as compensation for labor", and kids corporate each other even those they met there for the first time.

KidZania opened in Mexico 1999, and have 2 parks in Japan, Tokyo and Koshien (Hyogo Pref.) They are very busy on holidays.



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■ "Safety, security and hospitality" to Children

KidZania Koshien shut down operation for one week to thorough disinfect entire facility, when the first new flu patent was recognized in the Kansai region.

Simultaneously, both KidZania Tokyo and Koshien introduced IR thermography and started measuring body temperature of customers. Furthermore, they stockpiled masks for adults and kids, as well as antiseptic solution. Those are distributed free of charge in time of need.

KidZania also takes through anti-flu measures for employees. They must go to work after measuring body temperature everyday. An employee must wait at home, or commute from a hotel when family members were infected with. Employee's awareness is increased from the heightened preventive measures.



■ Mr. Yoshida, Operation Manager, who is in charge of operating thermography



■ Entrance body temperature screening by thermography



Thermography placed at entrance

Thermography is placed at entrance of KidZania. A nurse stand next to the thermography, and she calls a customer who has higher temperature than normal to measure temperature accurately.

They do not stop customers of high temperature from entering the facility. It is individual judgement of each customer whether they enter or not. However, in case customers fall from fever, they are prepared to take those people to first aid room or designated hospital.



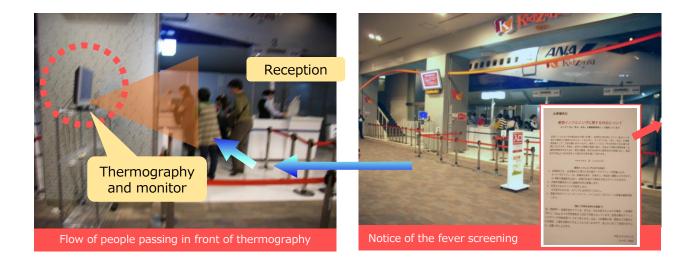
■ Thermography operation at KidZania Tokyo



A visitor captured by the thermography



Thermography at an entrance for group visitors



Recommended Models

We recommend following models for the fever screening application.

- R550 http://www.avio.co.jp/products/infrared/lineup/ir-thermo/r550/
- R450 http://www.avio.co.jp/products/infrared/lineup/ir-thermo/r450/
- F50 http://www.avio.co.jp/products/infrared/lineup/ir-thermo/f50/



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