

COVID-19 AND VETERINARY EDUCATION IN THAILAND



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COVID-19 in Thailand

- First COVID-19 case was reported outside China on 13 January 2020.
- 1st outbreak during March – May 2020

Related with travelers from aboard

- 2nd outbreak has started from December 2020 – present

Related with immigrant workers from neighbor country

COVID-19 OUTBREAK

Last updated: Jan 24, 2021 at 12:28 hrs.

THAILAND SITUATION

Total cases:
13,500

Recovered:
10,567

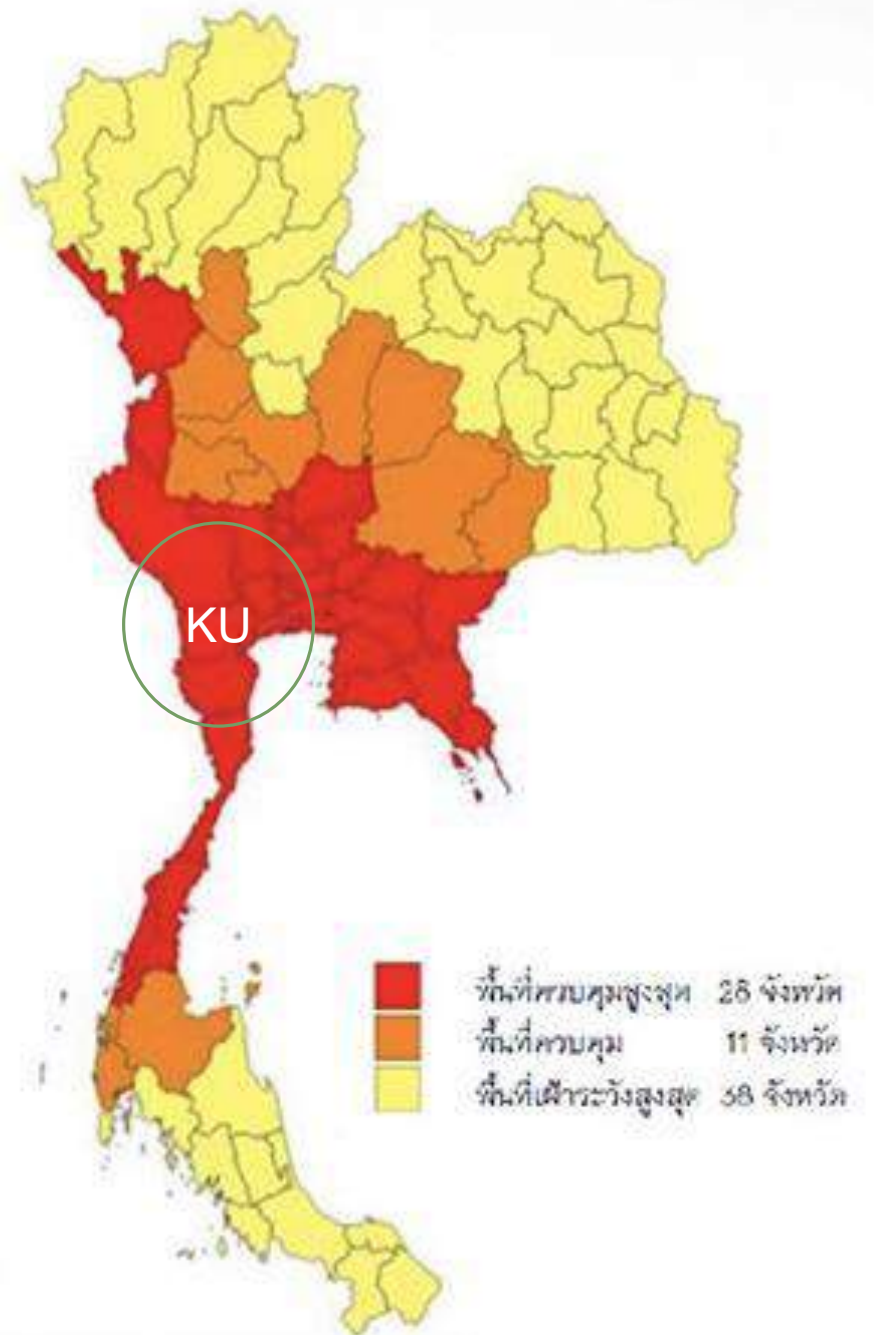
Daily New Cases:
198

Deaths:
73

Rank:
126

On 24th January 2021 (picture from Bangkok Post)

Covid-19 control measure level across country (2nd outbreak)



Vet.KU. Action

- ❖ Social distancing e.g WFH, online learning
- ❖ High level viral protection: D M H T
- ❖ Set up war room for online learning and examination
- ❖ Increasing communication and collaboration among lecturers, students and student's family
- ❖ Student support projects
- ❖ Continuing services of veterinary teaching hospital and diagnostic center

1st – 5th year veterinary students

Lecture base —> **online**

Laboratories —> **postpone/ online demonstration**
practice at home

Assessment —> **assignment/ online examination**

Outside school practices —> **postpone**

6th year veterinary students

Clinical rotation in campus → **onsite**

- Veterinary Teaching Hospital
- Diagnostic Center

Clinical rotation outside campus →
onsite/ practice in campus + online

- Livestock farms
- Zoo & Wildlife Center



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E-learning community for
Vet.KU.students

- All courses in semester for all lecturers and students
- Communication gateway between lecturers and students
- Learning materials e.g documents, powerpoint and VDO link



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COMMUNITY

สังคมออนไลน์บนระบบ E-learning
ซึ่งไม่ได้มีเพียงแค่นเนื้อหา บทเรียน
VDO หรือสื่อต่าง ๆ ที่สามารถเข้า
ศึกษาได้แล้ว แต่ยังมีระบบ

ผู้เรียนสาร
คำร้องต่าง
Student :



ผศ.นสพ.ดร.คงศักดิ์ เทียงธรรม



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👤 Participants

🛡️ Badges

☑️ Competencies

📅 Grades

📁 General

📁 Class 1 : Female and male reproductive hormone regulation and Principle of estrous cycle in domestic animals (16/7/63)

📁 วันที่ 23 กรกฎาคม 2563



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เกษตรศาสตร์
คณะสัตวแพทยศาสตร์
E-learning

Home

All Courses

My Courses

Undergrad

Postgrad

Student ▾

Teacher ▾

Contact

English (en) ▾

01511425 Principles of Veterinary Obstetrics and Andrology



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วันที่ 30 กรกฎาคม 2563 เวลา 10:00-11:00 น. จะมีการเข้ามาพูดคุยและตอบข้อ

war room for online examination

- Integrated lecturers from all departments and IT staffs
- Managed all online examination subjects
- Technical support for students before and during examination time
- Evaluation after online examination



High level protection

- Everybody have to wear mask including inside building and outdoor public area.
- Alcohol spray pockets were set in many areas in all buildings.
- Temperature check point were set in every entrances of all buildings.
- Keep social distancing



Temperature
check

&

Alcohol
spray



VET. TEACHING HOSPITAL

Student support

- Support internet package to all students
- Provided Covid-19 insurance to all staffs and students
- Special loan without interest for students to buy IT devices
- 10% reduction of tuition fee in academic year 2020
- Special wages for students who partially work for faculty



Impact of COVID-19

Advantage

- ❖ **Increase digital literacy among students, lectures and administrative staffs
—> Flipped Classroom**

- ❖ **Recovery of nature**

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Disadvantage

- **Declining of student social activities → soft skill, communication skill**
- **Learning loss in veterinary competency ?**
- **Economic effect on student family**

What should we do?

- Students should be allowed to go back to class as normal as soon as possible.
- Fulfill learning gap in veterinary competency

Thank you