

# SWINE FLU: WHO, 2 BILLION PEOPLE AT RISK

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(AGI) - Washington, 24 July - The A/H1N1 influenza which to date claimed 800 ascertained victims could infect up to 2 billion people during the next months. Such is the "reasonable prediction" made by World Health Organisation deputy leader Keiji Fukuda reported by the Cbs website. In Fukuda's opinion the virus is still in early stages of development, and during its most acute phase, from autumn onwards, it could infect slightly less than a third of the world's population.

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