

# North Korea

**17.5** Index Score

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**PREVENT**



**DETECT**



**RESPOND**



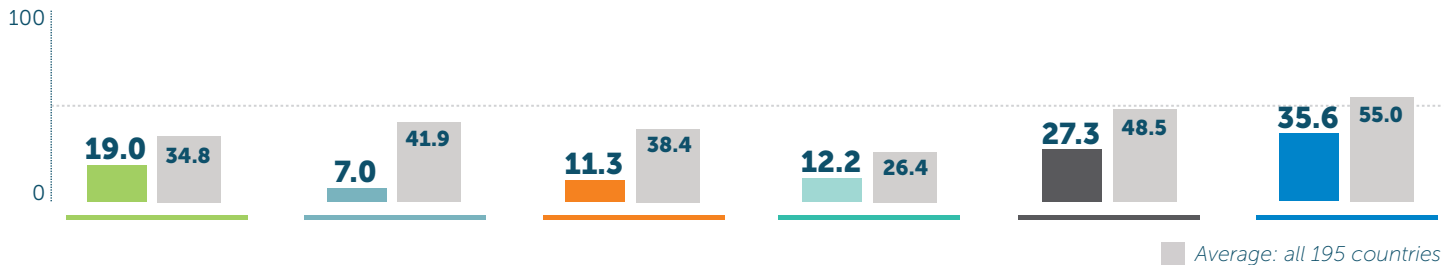
**HEALTH**



**NORMS**



**RISK**



■ Average: all 195 countries

	COUNTRY SCORE	AVERAGE SCORE*
<b>PREVENTION</b>	<b>19.0</b>	<b>34.8</b>
Antimicrobial resistance (AMR)	50	42.4
Zoonotic disease	6.7	27.1
Biosecurity	0	16.0
Biosafety	0	22.8
Dual-use research and culture of responsible science	0	1.7
Immunization	50	85.0
<b>DETECTION AND REPORTING</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>41.9</b>
Laboratory systems	16.7	54.4
Real-time surveillance and reporting	10	39.1
Epidemiology workforce	0	42.3
Data integration between human/animal/environmental health sectors	0	29.7
<b>RAPID RESPONSE</b>	<b>11.3</b>	<b>38.4</b>
Emergency preparedness and response planning	0	16.9
Exercising response plans	0	16.2
Emergency response operation	0	23.6
Linking public health and security authorities	0	22.6
Risk communication	0	39.4
Access to communications infrastructure	0.8	72.7
Trade and travel restrictions	100	97.4

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<b>HEALTH SYSTEM</b>	<b>12.2</b>	<b>26.4</b>
Health capacity in clinics, hospitals and community care centers	34.9	24.4
Medical countermeasures and personnel deployment	0	21.2
Healthcare access	33.3	38.4
Communications with healthcare workers during a public health emergency	0	15.1
Infection control practices and availability of equipment	0	20.8
Capacity to test and approve new medical countermeasures	0	42.2
<b>COMPLIANCE WITH INTERNATIONAL NORMS</b>	<b>27.3</b>	<b>48.5</b>
IHR reporting compliance and disaster risk reduction	50	62.3
Cross-border agreements on public and animal health emergency response	50	54.4
International commitments	12.5	53.4
JEE and PVS	0	17.7
Financing	16.7	36.4
Commitment to sharing of genetic & biological data & specimens	33.3	68.1
<b>RISK ENVIRONMENT</b>	<b>35.6</b>	<b>55.0</b>
Political and security risks	35.7	60.4
Socio-economic resilience	14.1	66.1
Infrastructure adequacy	41.7	49.0
Environmental risks	40	52.9
Public health vulnerabilities	45.3	46.9

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Scores are normalized (0–100, where 100 = most favorable)