

PANDEMIC

PUZZLES

"Local Planning"

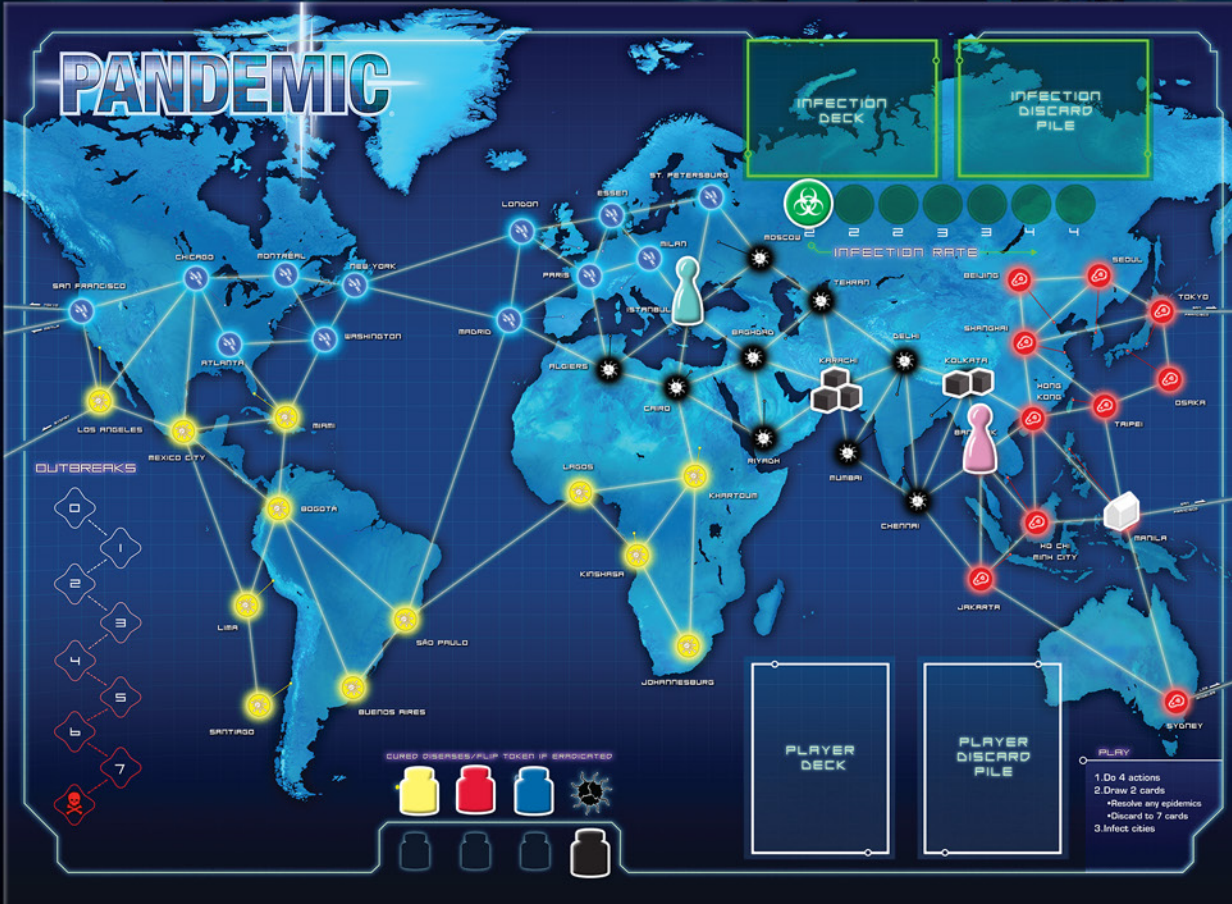
Using standard Pandemic® rules, how can you complete the following scenario?

GOAL: Cure and eradicate BLACK by the end of the Contingency Planner's turn.

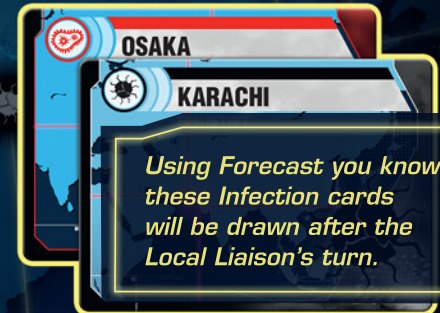
SET-UP:
 Infection Rate: 2
 Outbreaks: N/A
 Cures Found: N/A

INFECTED CITIES:
 Karachi: 3 black cubes
 Kolkata: 2 black cubes

STARTING LOCATIONS:
 Local Liaison: Bangkok
 Contingency Planner: Istanbul



It is the Local Liaison's turn...



Enlarged cards for reference.

LOCAL LIAISON



• Once during *your* turn, as an action, you may give a City card that matches the *color* of the city you are in to a player in any city of the same color.

○ **Lab Challenge:** once per turn, at a research station, you may either Characterize a Disease or Test a Cure as a free bonus action.

CONTINGENCY PLANNER



• As an action, take *any* discarded Event card and *store* it on this card.

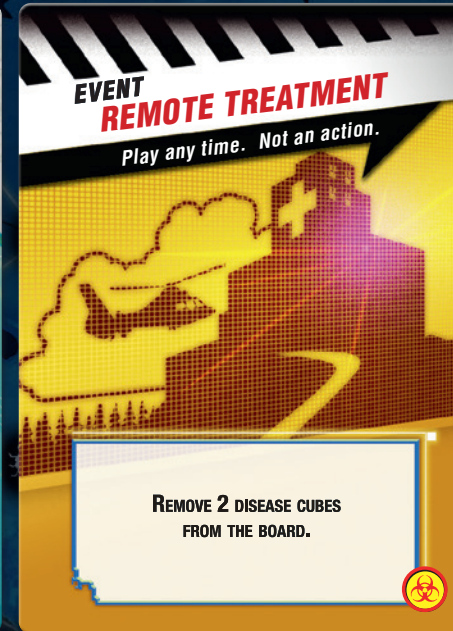
• When you play the stored Event card, *remove it* from the game.

Limit: 1 Event card on this card at a time, which is not part of your hand.

EVENT


REMOTE TREATMENT


Play any time. Not an action.





REMOVE 2 DISEASE CUBES FROM THE BOARD.


ACTIONS


 **DRIVE / FERRY**
Move to a city connected by a white line.


 **DIRECT FLIGHT**
Discard a City card to move to the city named on the card.


 **CHARTER FLIGHT**
Discard the City card that matches the city you are in to move to *any* city.

 **SHUTTLE FLIGHT**
Move from a city with a research station to any other city that has a research station.

 **BUILD A RESEARCH STATION**
Discard the City card that matches the city you are in to place a research station there.

 **TREAT DISEASE**
Remove 1 disease cube from the city you are in. If this color is *cured*, remove all cubes of *that color* from the city.

 **SHARE KNOWLEDGE**
Either: *give* the card that matches the city you are in to another player, or *take* that card from another player. The other player must also be in the city with you.

 **DISCOVER A CURE**
At *any* research station, discard 5 City cards of the same disease color to cure that disease.



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SOLUTION

THE LOCAL LIAISON'S TURN:

1. Drive/Ferry to Kolkata.
 2. Using the Local Liaison's special ability, give the Mumbai card to the Contingency Planner.
 3. Treat disease in Kolkata to remove 1 cube.
 4. Treat disease in Kolkata to remove 1 cube. (Kolkata now has 0 cubes.)
- Play the Remote Treatment event card to treat 2 disease cubes in Karachi. (Karachi now has 1 disease cube.)

INFECTION PHASE

- Add 1 black cube to Karachi. (Karachi now has 2 cubes)
- Add one red cube to Osaka. (Osaka now has 1 cube)

THE CONTINGENCY PLANNER'S TURN:

1. Fly to Hong Kong using the Direct Flight action and discard the Hong Kong card.
 2. Drive/Ferry to Manila.
 3. At the research station in Manila, discover the cure for BLACK by discarding the 5 black cards in your hand.
 4. Using the Contingency Planner's special ability, you take the Remote Treatment card out of the player discard pile and store it on the role card. *
- Play the Remote Treatment card to treat the 2 disease cubes in Karachi. The BLACK disease is now eradicated.

**this can be done at any time during the Contingency Planner's turn.*