



## SITUATION REPORT 17: COVID 19 IN INDIA

12<sup>th</sup> May 2020

### A. GLOBAL SCENARIO

As on 11<sup>th</sup> May 2020 (Data as reported by national authorities by 8:00 CET 11<sup>th</sup> May 2020)

**Globally:** 4 006 257 confirmed (88 891 new); 278 892 deaths (4531 new)

**Western Pacific Region:** 160 910 confirmed (1248 new); 6943 deaths (23 new)

**European Region:** 1 731 606 confirmed (23 660 new); 156 603 deaths (1051 new);

**South-East Asia Region-** 100 881 confirmed (5567 new) 3481 deaths (125 new)

**East Mediterranean Region-** 265 164 confirmed (9436 new) 9013 deaths (135 new)

**Region of the Americas-** 1 702 451 confirmed (47 073 new) 101 874 deaths (3151 new)

**Africa Region-** 44 533 confirmed (1907 new) 1415 deaths (46 new)

**WHO RISK ASSESSMENT:** Global Level: Very High

**Source:** Countries official sites and WHO report

### B. STATE WISE BREAKUP OF CASES IN INDIA:

India: 70756 including 111 foreign nationals as on 12.05.2020 at 8:00 AM

| Name of State / UT          | Total Confirmed cases<br>(Including 70 foreign nationals) | Cured/<br>Discharged/Migrated | Death |
|-----------------------------|---|-------------------------------|-------|
| Andhra Pradesh              | 2018  | 975                           | 45    |
| Andaman and Nicobar Islands | 33  | 33                            | 0     |
| Arunachal Pradesh           | 1   | 1                             | 0     |
| Assam                       | 65  | 34                            | 2     |
| Bihar                       | 747   | 377                           | 6     |
| Chhattisgarh                | 59  | 53                            | 0     |
| Dadar and Nagar Haveli      | 1   | 0                             | 0     |
| Delhi                       | 7233  | 2169                          | 73    |
| Gujarat                     | 8541  | 2780                          | 513   |
| Goa                         | 7   | 7                             | 0     |
| Haryana                     | 730   | 337                           | 10    |
| Himachal Pradesh            | 59  | 39                            | 2     |
| Jharkhand                   | 160   | 78                            | 3     |
| Karnataka                   | 862   | 426                           | 31    |
| Kerala                      | 512   | 489                           | 4     |
| Madhya Pradesh              | 3785  | 1747                          | 221   |
| Maharashtra                 | 23401   | 4786                          | 868   |
| Manipur                     | 2   | 2                             | 0     |
| Meghalaya                   | 13  | 10                            | 1     |
| Mizoram                     | 1   | 0                             | 0     |
| Odisha                      | 414   | 85                            | 3     |
| Puducherry                  | 12  | 6                             | 0     |
| Punjab                      | 1877  | 168                           | 31    |
| Rajasthan                   | 3988  | 2264                          | 113   |
| Tamil Nadu                  | 8002  | 2051                          | 53    |
| Telangana                   | 1275  | 800                           | 30    |
| Tripura                     | 152   | 2                             | 0     |
| Chandigarh                  | 174   | 24                            | 2     |
| Jammu and Kashmir           | 829   | 427                           | 10    |
| Ladakh                      | 42  | 21                            | 0     |
| Uttar Pradesh               | 3573  | 1758                          | 80    |
| Uttarakhand                 | 68  | 46                            | 1     |



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| West Bengal                      | 2063         | 499          | 190         |
| <b>Total number of confirmed</b> | <b>70756</b> | <b>22455</b> | <b>2293</b> |

Source: <https://www.mohfw.gov.in>

## D. HUMANITARIAN RESPONSE TO THE DISEASE

### Government Response:

- Prime Minister Narendra Modi to hold a video conference with all chief ministers at 3.00 pm on May 11. This will be the fifth such interaction since the novel coronavirus pandemic started.
- The National Institute of Virology (NIV) in Pune has developed India's first indigenously made antibody detection kit for COVID-19.
- Plans underway to gradually restart passenger train services from May 12, initially with 15 pairs of trains: Railways
- Ticket booking counters at stations to remain closed; no counter tickets, including platform tickets, will be issued
- Centre announced that recovery rate for COVID-19 crosses 30 per cent in India
- Maharashtra government to bear fare expenses of migrant labourers who are unable to pay to return home
- Kerala Government has revised its home quarantine guidelines for those coming to the state from other parts of the country.
- Air India flight Express IX 683 carrying 177 passengers and 2 infants from Kuala Lumpur landed at Cochin International
- Air India flight AI 926 from Riyadh carrying 139 Indians has landed in Delhi confirmed External Ministry
- Students belonging to Jammu and Kashmir staying in hostels of Jamia Millia Islamia left for their homes by a special bus arranged by the University
- Kerala has flattened the coronavirus curve 100\ days after the first case was confirmed, state Finance Minister Thomas

### Civil Society Response:

#### IAGs Kerala:

- District level IAG emergency meetings were organized towards COVID 19 preparedness to mobilize volunteers and to coordinate NGO activities. The district IAG meetings were chaired by respective district collectors/deputy collectors (Disaster Management). Meeting dates as follows.

#### IAG-Thiruvananthapuram

- Volunteer mobilisation and coordination for communications & data analysis , information management and data collection
- Supply of face mask, sanitizers, and hygiene kits: supplied to district administration, KSDMA, district labour office, DHS etc.
- Digital platform for quarantined patients; the purpose is to track the quarantined people via a GPS enabled mobile application.
- IEC materials produced in multiple languages inspired by the Break the Chain Movement of the Government of Kerala. IEC material access [Click Here](#)



- Volunteers for migrant labor interstate transportation and migrant labor camp management.

## IAG. Kollam

- Volunteer mobilisation and coordination for medical screening, surveillance at state borders , railway stations, bus stations, potential area cleaning, medical supply, chlorination etc
- Volunteer service in camp management and food supply.
- VHF radio support to district medical office.
- Helpline service for psycho social care
- Tele counselling service in association with CHILDLINE.

## IAG Alappuzha

- Volunteer Mobilisation and coordination for emergency medicine supply, over 400 food kit supply to different categories; female sex workers, differently abled, old age and palliative patients
- CSR (Indusland bank) fund mobilization for medical supply
- Face mask production; about 50000 masks supplied. 500 PPE kit supply, Supply of face shield to district medical office.
- Tele counselling service in various Indian languages

## IAG Pathanamthitta

- Resource Mobilisation: Over 200 volunteers were engaged in food production and distribution to Police, district medical office and district collectors camp office. IAG has provided vehicles and drivers for the transportation of health workers
- Grocery kit distribution to migrant labours, food kit distribution to families in self isolation and families of patients under cancer treatment
- Hand washing facilities in public places and community level hand sanitization campaigns.
- Face mask production; more than 13000 masks supplied.
- Tele counselling service in association with CHILDLINE.
- Public awareness through community radio Macfast 90.4 FM

## IAG Kottayam

- Volunteer Mobilisation: Thermal screening in Govt offices; district collectrate, municipal office etc, volunteer service for emergency medicine supply
- Supply of face mask , sanitizers, hygiene kits, Grocery kit distribution to migrant labours,
- Tele counselling service for psycho social care
- Volunteers mobilized for transportation of patients under palliative care and services to differently abled
- Public awareness videos on COVID 19 preparedness and prevention; [Click Here](#)

## IAG Idduki

- COVID 19 pandemic health care training to 156 volunteers in association with Medical College, Idukki. Health volunteers were mobilized at LSGD level.
- Supply of face mask, sanitizers, hygiene kits to hospitals, banks and government departments.
- Tele counseling service for psycho social care



## IAG Ernakulam

- Volunteer mobilization and coordination for medical screening, surveillance at vytila mobility hub, north railway station, south railway station.
- Production and Supply of face mask , sanitizers, hygiene kits to hospitals and government departments.
- food and snacks supply to Police, migrant labors, and those who get sheltered in lodges due to lock down, street dwellers and transgender community.
- Online physician consultation service, volunteers mobilized for transportation of emergency medicines.
- Medical camps for migrant workers.
- Public awareness creation through mobile announcement units in multi Indian languages

## IAG Thrissur

- A helpline for migrant workers has been set up at district Collectorate. The call center handles calls in Hindi, Tamil, Oriya, Bengali, Malayalam, and English: [Click here](#)
- Focused programs on Disability ,Palliative and Geriatric Care , Awareness creation through television show in association with Foundation for International Rehabilitation Research and Empowerment
- Focused programme on Animal care in association with Humane society international
- Awareness creation through FM radio [Click Here](#)
- Volunteers mobilized for health care support , supply of food, support to migrant labors

## IAG Palakkad

- IEC Material: The 'covid boy and covid girl' became an instant hit on social media after the vide circulation. [Click Here](#)
- Thirteen 'break the chain' facilities across the district with the support of youth clubs.
- Ambulance service in association with all Kerala ambulance association Palakkad chapter.
- Production and Supply of face mask , sanitizers, hygiene kits to general public

## IAG Malappuram

- Supply of hygiene kits to PHCs in association with world vision
- Mobilized Volunteers specialized in trauma care for District Medical Office
- 'break the chain' campaign at district collectorate in association with Kondotty taluk disaster response team
- Production and Supply of face mask , sanitizers, hygiene kits
- Online training on 'COVID-19 pandemic ; prevention and preparedness'

## IAG Kozhikode

- Supported health and police in screening people at check points, coordinated through a central console at District Emergency Operation Center.
- Provided training for ambulance drivers in association with ANGELS international and deployed in four taluks and used as and when need arise through a common control room number.
- volunteer mobilisation and coordination for communications & data analysis , information management and data collection ; call canter facility at district collectorate



- Supply of face mask , sanitizers, hygiene kits, 'break the chain' facilities across the district.
- Volunteer mobilization for emergency medicine transportation

## IAG Wayanad

- Mobilized 630 volunteers for action. Volunteers were stationed at nine interstate check posts, public transportation stops, supported health and police in screening people at interstate check points, coordinated through a central console at District Emergency Operation Center
- Hand out flyers prepared in multiple Indian and foreign languages.
- Supply of face mask ,sanitizers, hygiene kits, 'break the chain' facilities across the district. Public sanitization booth and drinking water supply to Covid care homes
- 10000 masks prepared by Self Help Groups. 'Gift a book' campaign to people under quarantine.
- Awareness video footage for migrant workers in association with Sreyas ; [Click Here](#)

## IAG Kannur

- Food kit distribution to migrant workers
- Self-employment training for street vendors
- Supply of face mask, sanitizers, hygiene kits, public sanitization booth and drinking water supply to Covid care homes

## Other State IAGs:

- IAG Nagaland with help of other agencies developed an IEC video in Nagamese with sign language interpretation on the topic: Protecting yourself and others from the spread of COVID-19. Further, DTF Longlegs received Ambulance and Hon'ble Minister H&FW handed over the same on behalf of the GON.
- IAG Chhattisgarh in collaboration with UNICEF is disseminating the rapid needs assessment report undertaken in Chhattisgarh along with partners from SHRC, WVI, Oxfam and other local partners (Action Point Completed), the guidelines for relief camps for migrant workers, humanitarian cores document.
- Further IAG Chhattisgarh also facilitated GO-CSO coordination is weak at the State-level and with the SDMA, and CSOs have addressed a letter to the CMO to request for a state-level coordination mechanism. Ms. Neerja was requested by members to advocate for a better coordination mechanism at the State-level.
- IAG Manipur in collaboration with other agencies working on the state are convening charcha 2020 - bringing together practitioners, thinkers, enablers, community leaders and policymakers across 16 parallel events to take on the challenges ahead with conviction and clarity on range of topics from education, poverty, livelihood, health and more.
- IAG Mizoram in collaboration with Special Police Unit for North Eastern Region (SPUNER) has formed the North East Task Force which endeavors to facilitate and reach out to NE people in dire situation during lockdown.
- IAG Bihar is working closely with BSDMA in bringing back the stranded students and migrant workers. A lot of coordination work is going on.
- IAG MP in coordination with the state government has rolled out IITT strategy- I-Identification of suspected cases, Hotspots and clusters, I-Isolation and Quarantine of suspected cases and containment zone, T- Tracing of contacts and testing of high-risk cases and T- Treatment of suspected and confirmed cases.
- Orientation on infection prevention and control – COVID-19 for IAG MP members and staff has been planned by IAG members of MP.
- IAG Assam was regularly advocating with ASDMA on liaising with stranded migrants to address their needs. As a collective effort of IAG members have reached to 23 districts, more than 2000 villages, 29800 households in the state.
- IAG West Bengal is assisting Gram Panchayats, Block Administration in terms of Relief Distribution and are helping



in awareness generation on hand wash and facilitating the process of maintaining social distancing.

- 98% of the IAG West Bengal members shared the information of “Sneher Parash”, a new scheme introduced for the migrant workers, who are resident of West Bengal and who are stranded in different parts of the country.
- IAG Gujarat is engaged in providing sanitisers, ration and awareness intervention. Accessibility of medicines for the vulnerable are being taken care of with the help of other agencies. Special intervention is being done for migrant workers especially in Surat and a feedback mechanism has also been established.
- IAG Karnataka and Indian Red Cross Society, Karnataka State Branch, Bangalore introduce a perfect opportunity to all those who are willing to do something useful during this lockdown due to the coronavirus outbreak. The Red Cross Red Crescent Learning platform i.e <https://ifrc.csod.com/client/ifrc/default.aspx> is an online learning program developed for the Red Cross volunteers, staffs, and partners including the general public.
- IAG Jharkhand with support of UNICEF India and other agencies has planned a gap analysis of the entire state. Post that state IAG will be involved in filling out those gaps. 3000 volunteers have been identified with the help of IAG for capacity building.
- IAG Maharashtra is helping with overall medical service for the ones in need as adequate medical facilities is not available in the state. Also, coordinating with other agencies for ration distribution in worst hit areas.
- IAG UP have identified district nodal person and are segregating volunteers in different districts for work. State IAG together with UPSDMA are working on mass training of the volunteers and skill upgradation of already trained ones. Regular assessment of such training is also being done.
- IAG Rajasthan had submitted a Joint appeal letter to protect the vulnerable group to CM office in order to bring out last mile gaps. IAG Himachal Pradesh is coordinating with Aangawadi workers, Aasha workers and with government in their effort to provide ration to daily wage workers.
- IAG Tripura with 4 other organisations are planning to take up food distribution for the labourers. Request for obtaining the permission for the same has already been sent to the govt.
- IAG Odisha in helping and coordinating with state govt in rapid testing. We have activated Go-NGO coordination in all 30 districts and meetings are happening following norms of social distancing.
- Govt. has launched a dedicated website where IAG Odisha played crucial role. Presently 600 CSOs have registered and 10330 volunteers have also registered.
- IAG Tamil Nadu in collaboration with districts administration are identifying epicenter of outbreak and screening of the identified hotbeds have already started. IAG is also meeting with advising agencies to not violate the rules of lockdown and work within the permission granted. Message of staff security is also being spread. The Dehra dun district administration announces "Agnes Kunze Society- HOPE Project" the Corona Warriors of the day (26 April 2020) in the civil society category. Distribution of dry ration kits, sanatizers, handwash & masks to needy people and educating them about Corona virus by HIRA team in collaboration with IAG Uttrakhand.

#### CSR response:

- HCL has formed a special task force to monitor the situation proactively and respond to requests coming in from the State machineries as well as their NGO partners.
- HCL is taking tangible steps and has devised a holistic strategy which includes support towards the State Governments in their efforts to contain the spread of the disease as well as helping the marginalized communities:

Training, capacity building, awareness and coordination

- Supporting the Gautam Buddha Nagar district administration with an Integrated Control Center to respond to citizens' queries on COVID-19. The “all-in-one” control center will include processes for following up and reporting of all unconfirmed, suspected, foreign return cases as well as mobile tracking and monitoring for all home quarantine cases basis inputs from official government authorities. It can be reached on toll free number 18004192211. You can read about it [here](#).



- HCL is extending its support to the Relief Commission, Government of Tamil Nadu to setup a state-of-the-art call center for COVID-19 related support, as well as a command and control center for coordination and data analytics
- HCL is setting up an Emergency Call Centre for COVID-19 for State of Karnataka providing telemedicine and referrals for testing
- HCL Foundation, along with WHO and UNICEF, is supporting a COVID-19 Online Academy by Sphere India. This is being used for training of volunteers, health workers and other front-line workers on COVID-19
- Awareness Generation and Information Dissemination of COVID-19 messages approved by Directorate of Health GoUP in Hardoi, Uttar Pradesh. Over 6000 villagers and front-line workers are being sensitized through these messages

#### Complementing healthcare services

- Pledged 500 Ventilators to the Government of Tamil Nadu and two ventilators in the Vijayawada district of Andhra Pradesh

#### Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) for healthcare and frontline workers:

- 1,00,000 PPE kits to the State of Uttar Pradesh,
- 1,600 PPE kits to Madurai Corporation in Tamil Nadu, 100 PPE kits for doctors and paramedical staff at Stanley Government Hospital, Chennai, and 14,500 PPE Kits to City Health Officer, Coimbatore Corporation
- 20,000 3-ply masks to City Health Officer, Coimbatore Corporation, 100 Kits (with masks & gloves) for Police staff and NGO volunteers in Chennai and 15,000 face masks to Noida Authority for sanitation workers in Gautam Buddh Nagar
- Self Help Groups (SHG) women are being trained to stitch masks - 2,100 masks prepared and distributed in Nagpur and 100 khadi masks being distributed daily through UPSRLM in Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh

#### Maintaining food security and supplies

- Supporting with both cooked meals and well as dry ration kits in Gautam Buddh Nagar, Chennai, Nagpur and Pune
- 12,000 hot cooked meal packets daily for the marginalized communities through Gautam Buddh Nagar district administration. Over 1.40 lakh meals have already been served as part of this initiative.
- Dry ration kits for 1500 families in Kannagi Nagar Slum in Chennai and 700 families Nagpur

#### Care for vulnerable groups, including the elderly, women and children

- Medicines, emergency services, caregiver salaries to care for 200 elderly people in SHEOWS Garhmukhteshwar Ashram

#### Animal Welfare:

- Feeding over 3000 animals every day through our NGO partner in Noida and 100 stray animals in Bangalore



## Reliance Foundation

- RIL and Reliance Foundation is leading with a significant effort that encompasses several initiatives. These include:
  - Contribution of Rs. 500 crore to the PM-CARES Fund
  - Contribution of Rs. 5 crore to the Chief Minister's Relief Fund of Maharashtra
  - Contribution of Rs. 5 crore to the Chief Minister's Relief Fund of Gujarat
  - India's first 100 bed exclusive Covid-19 Hospital geared up in just two weeks to handle Covid-19 patients
  - Fifty Lakh free meals in the next 10 days across the nation and scaling up rapidly to more meals and newer areas
  - One Lakh masks daily for health-workers and caregivers
  - Thousands of PPEs daily for health-workers and caregivers
  - Free Fuel across the country to notified emergency response vehicles
  - Jio seamlessly connecting nearly 40 crore individuals and thousands and thousands of organisations daily on its telecom backbone via 'work from home', 'study from home' and 'health from home' initiatives, helping to keep the country going
  - Reliance Retail providing Essential supplies daily for millions of Indians via stores and home deliveries.
- Reliance Industries Ltd. (RIL) has responded to its call-of-duty to be at the service of the nation 24x7 in our collective fight against Covid-19. RIL has already initiated a multi-pronged prevention, mitigation, and ongoing support strategy that is comprehensive, sustainable, and resilient. This approach can be ramped up further to scale as required by the nation.
- RIL has deployed the combined strengths of Reliance Foundation, Reliance Retail, Jio, Reliance Life Sciences, Reliance Industries, and all the 6,00,000 members of the Reliance Family on this action plan against COVID-19.

## Reliance Foundation and RIL Hospitals:

- Isolation Facility at Lodhivali: RIL has built a fully equipped isolation facility in Lodhivali, Reliance Life Sciences is importing additional test kits and consumables for effective testing. Our doctors and researchers are also working overtime to find a cure for this deadly virus.
- Masks and Personnel Protective Suits for Health-workers: RIL is enhancing its production capacities to produce 100,000 facemasks per day and a large number of personal protective equipment's (PPEs), such as suits and garments, for the nation's health workers to equip them further to fight the coronavirus challenge.
- RIL has today announced an initial support of Rs. 5 crores to Maharashtra Chief Minister's Relief Fund
- All 736 grocery stores of Reliance Retail across the country will ensure sufficient supply of essentials, including staples, fruits and vegetables, bread, breakfast cereals and other items of daily use, so that citizens need not stock up.





## Tata trusts

- Tata trust ordered 9, 00,000 PPE equipment's and distributed to hospitals to different locations in response to COVID 19. They further procured 2, 80,000 testing kits.
- In their effort also extended to 1100 plus beds for isolation, quarantine and observation facilities in centre. 1.4 million liters of disinfectants has been distributed. 35,000 plus liters of hand sanitisers dispatched.
- Million meals and 5,00,000 kg of food supplies distributed to medical staff, migrant workers, daily wage earners and the underprivileged in 24 states across states.
- Tata Trusts is airlifting critical supplies for country-wide deployment to support India's Covid-19 interventions. The operation is being done with the support of Tata International Limited: The items being imported comprise Personal Protection Equipment kits (including coveralls, masks, gloves and goggles) N95/KN95 masks and Surgical masks of different grades. The consignment, of about one crore individual units, will arrive in multiple batches and will be deployed where these are most needed across the country through the coming weeks. The total value committed so far to the sourcing of such materials is about Rs 150 crores.
- Tata Trusts has begun a pan-India community outreach to induce adoption of health practices, as promoted by the Government of India, in rural areas to prevent the spread of COVID-19. Beginning 31st March, the exercise is expected to have already reached about 12 million people in 21 states.
  - The campaign '5 Kadam, Corona Mukh Jeevan', ranges from video messages in the country's languages, even dialects, short animation videos and infographics to audio messages, and SMS based messaging.
  - Over 70 celebrities, from all over India, have lent their support with video and audio messages. Among them are Nana Patekar, Sonali Kulkarni, Harbhajan Singh, Ila Arun, Atul Kulkarni, Malini Awasthi, and Sanju Samson for Rajasthan Royals, to name a few.
  - The Trusts have deployed more than 430 master trainers in 21 states who in turn have trained a pool of over 8,700 community resource persons (village volunteers) to deliver the message till the last mile. Through the existing network of the Trusts' programmes, the volunteers, associate organisations of the Trusts, community radios, village-based public address systems, and use of various internet and communication technologies, the programme is expected to have reached out to about 12 million people till date.



## Sphere India and its members

- World Vision India is responding to COVID-19 to contain the spread of the disease as well as helping the marginalized communities with the following objectives:
  1. Promoting preventative measures to stop or slow the spread of COVID-19
    - 701,092 People reached through promotion of preventive behaviours
    - 416,982 IEC materials printed and distributed
    - 24,125 Communities reached through public address system for awareness and BCC
    - 4,058 MVC HHs/ Caregivers provided essential materials
    - 66 Community-level public hand washing stations setup
    - 57,250 Hand washing supplies distributed
  2. Supporting health systems and workers
    - 1,917 Community volunteers trained and supported to provide community based services
    - 12,506 Medical personnel provided PPE kit
    - 85,267 Glove-sets provided to Medical facilities
    - 340,721 Mask provided to health facilities and frontline workers
    - 1,376 People provided transportation support for accessing screening, testing,
    - 18,628 Disinfectant/ sanitation kits provided to Health facilities
  3. Support for children & families through education, child protection, food and livelihoods
    - 208,642 Cooked food packages provided to the vulnerable people
    - 18,980 Families provided Dry ration Families reached through cash and voucher support
    - 3,218 4,746 Children and families reached with Psychosocial support
    - 9,237 Educational materials provided to support remote learning
    - 30,758 Children supported with Child-protection Programming
  4. Collaborate and advocate to ensure vulnerable children are protected (responding to covid-19 crisis)
    - 37 Inter-agency coordination platforms WV attends/ leads
    - 09 Strategic partnerships established with stakeholders by World Vision
    - 12 World Vision reports highlighted/ referenced by stakeholders
- The filled Unified Response Matrix of COVID -19 response by Sphere India members and its partners can be accessed at [https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1aLrzi55mc5el6TXDFRLMekg5KyANuUOrCMseZqn\\_Uk/edit?ts=5e6a1d4b#gid=0](https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1aLrzi55mc5el6TXDFRLMekg5KyANuUOrCMseZqn_Uk/edit?ts=5e6a1d4b#gid=0) . There is database of actions of all humanitarian agencies state-wise. The information will be shared with NDMA and then NDMA will help facilitating the agencies through authorities at various level accordingly.
- Sphere India successfully completed its session on migrant workers, impact and implication during pandemic and post analysis in partnership with International Organization of Migrants. Furthermore, a working committee has also been set up by Sphere India specifically focusing and working towards urban planning and slums.
- Sphere India invites organizations to a working group for adapting the SOP for URS to COVID-19 response context in India.
- Sphere India also invites organizations to share their institutional guidelines in place for protection of personnel so that a standard guideline can be developed and widely disseminated with member organisations and within communities.



- Sphere India in its effort of extending capacity building initiative is scaling up its sessions of COVID-19 Academy has delivered 4 courses in bilingual and further planning to extend in other languages too.

## F. SOURCE OF INFORMATION

- Media, Twitter handle of Government official, Government websites and WHO Situation reports

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