



## SITUATION REPORT 13: COVID 19 IN INDIA

24rd April 2020

### A. GLOBAL SCENARIO

**As on 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2020 (Data as reported by national authorities by 8:00 CET 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2020)**

**Globally:** 2 471 136 confirmed (73 920 new); 169 006 deaths (6058 new)

**Western Pacific Region:** 136 271 confirmed (1765 new); 5793 deaths (108 new)

**European Region:** 1219 486 confirmed (32 302 new); 109 952 deaths (3618 new);

**South-East Asia Region-** 33 912 confirmed (2242 new) 1427 deaths (86 new)

**East Mediterranean Region-** 139 349 confirmed (4879 new) 6326 deaths (141 new)

**Region of the Americas-** 925 291 confirmed (32 172 new) 44 775 deaths (2089 new)

**Africa Region-** 16 115 confirmed (560 new) 720 deaths (16 new)

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

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

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

**India: 21393 including 77 foreign nationals as on 23.04.2020 at 8:00 AM**

Name of State / UT	Total Confirmed cases (Including 70 foreign nationals)	Cured/ Discharged/Migrated	Death
Andhra Pradesh	813	120	24
Andaman and Nicobar Islands	18	11	0
Arunachal Pradesh	1	1	0
Assam	35	19	1
Bihar	143	46	2
Chhattisgarh	36	26	0
Delhi	2248	724	48
Gujarat	2407	179	103
Goa	7	7	0
Haryana	262	140	3
Himachal Pradesh	40	18	1
Jharkhand	49	8	3
Karnataka	427	131	17
Kerala	438	323	3
Madhya Pradesh	1592	148	80
Maharashtra	5652	789	269
Manipur	2	2	0
Meghalaya	12	0	1
Mizoram	1	0	0
Odisha	83	32	1
Puducherry	7	3	0
Punjab	251	49	16
Rajasthan	1890	230	27
Tamil Nadu	1629	662	18
Telangana	945	194	23
Tripura	2	1	0
Chandigarh	27	14	0
Jammu and Kashmir	407	92	5
Ladakh	18	14	0
Uttar Pradesh	1449	173	21
Uttarakhand	46	23	0
West Bengal	456	79	15



<b>Total number of confirmed</b>	<b>21393</b>	<b>4258</b>	<b>681</b>
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Source: <https://www.mohfw.gov.in>

## D. HUMANITARIAN RESPONSE TO THE DISEASE

### Government Response:

- A total of 5,00,542 samples have been tested by 9 a.m. on Thursday, said the Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR), India's leading medical research lab.
- Delhi government orders for strict compliance of its earlier order for landlords to not demand rent from labourers and students for one month. "District Magistrates shall undertake awareness campaign on the issues in areas having high density of labourers/students
- The National Centre for Disease Control has issued a series of guidelines to carry out disinfection in the quarantine facilities where people who have contracted the deadly coronavirus are housed.
- The government has put on hold increase in dearness allowance for its employees as Covid-19 puts strain on the coffers
- Defence Minister Rajnath Singh today inaugurated a mobile lab named Mobile Virology Research and Diagnostics Laboratory developed by DRDO for conducting Covid-19 screening and R&D activities.
- Government passes the ordinance to protect its healthcare workers. The ordinance protects all health workers, including doctors, nurses, paramedics and ASHA workers, across India
- The Epidemic Diseases (Amendment) ordinance, 2020, which carries a minimum jail term of three months, "manifests our commitment to protect each and every healthcare worker who is bravely battling covid-19 on the frontline," said Prime Minister Narendra Modi.

### NGO / Civil Society Response

#### IAGs Kerala:

- IAG Thrissur collaborated with human society international for animal care during the COVID 19 outbreak.
- IAG Thrissur has also created focused programs on Disability, Palliative and Geriatric Care for awareness.
- IAG Kasargod is working on awareness generation among people through classes and demonstration, by methods of hand washing and providing adequate water, soap and hand liquid. They have also created a sector wise taskforce with professionals for the response.
- Kerala Govt. has entered into the micro planning to fight COVID 19. Four hotspot districts have been identified. The administrations are doing the task of containment in each districts identified as hotspot. State IAGs still play the roles in providing food, supplying medicines, interstate transport of medicines and providing psychological support supplementing the government effort.

#### Other State IAGs:

- IAG Nagaland is helping in vehicle sanitization of Police Vehicles at Kiphire. Furthermore, they are also helping in relief measures especially for doctors and nurses and creating awareness that people owning vehicles should mandatorily Sanitize their own vehicles and compounds.
- IAG Manipur in collaboration with Weaker Section's Development Council (WSDC), the women weaver (SHG) will provide homemade cotton mask to local people in the villages - in and around Chandel district areas in Manipur.
- IAG MP is involved in risk communication and community. They started a COVID 19 rapid relief fund network to reach vulnerable and marginalised communities.
- The Chhattisgarh government is making ration cards for households excluded from the PDS and adding the names of excluded family members on their ration card during the lockdown. Under the



Mukhyamantri Suposhan Abhiyan, beneficiaries will receive at home 100 gm of rice, 25 gm pulse and eggs per day till May 3 Dainikbhaskar. IAGs are in contact with urban slums through Mitans. And distributing food to the relief centers. Many migrants. There are also some symptoms of irritability in those confined. Staffs are given awareness on COVID 19.

- IAG West Bengal have conducted 6 series of online training programs for 1000 IAG volunteers. They are trained through initiative of WB state IAG. The module were developed in metalinguistic.
- 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 is inviting other partner agencies working in the state to collaborate with the state govt. to synergize relief measures being provided during the lockdown period, to produce a joint effect greater than individual efforts.
- IAG Maharashtra has developed materials in local language for frontline workers.
- IAG Bihar with its members and local partner's networks are responding in collaboration with respective district administration. Food and dry ration are distributed however malnutrition is on high alert and IAG with its existing capacity is trying their best to respond to such needs.
- IAG UP in collaboration with UPSDMA and CASA is jointly supporting regular feedback mechanism and agenda setting system. CASA is actively involved in mass training of the volunteers.
- IAG Rajasthan has drafted a Joint appeal letter to protect the vulnerable group letter to be send to CM office in order to bring out last mile gaps.
- Various organisation in Bihar is working in collaboration with IAG in providing food packets. Indra Gandhi organisation, UNICEF are all providing food packets through network created by BSDMA.
- IAG Himachal Pradesh is coordinating with Aangawadi workers, Aasha workers and with government in their effort to provide ration to daily wage workers.
- With the support of TDH, IAG Jharkhand has reached to the unreached migrant labourers in 2 boarder district of Jharkhand, Koderma and Giridih.
- In Karnataka Indian Red CROSS have tied up with DIPR (Department of Information and Public Relation) in volunteer mobilisation and participation. Special helpline is opened up by the department for migrant labourers. 16,000 application is received under Cornawarrior campaign. District administration has activated BBMP wardroom in the state.
- IAG Tripura with 4 other organisations are planning to taken up food distribution for the labourers. Request for obtaining the permission for the same has already been sent to the govt.
- IAG Odisha is working in collaboration with 11 IAS officers and health department in countering the cases and spreading awareness. Govt of Odisha is providing cooked food to 80 urban and local bodies covering 90,000 of the population. Shelter camps have already been arranged by the government for migrant laborers.
- 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.
- IAG Utrkhand is directly working with state satellite control room for contact tracing. Further, CASA with the help of IAG is providing dry ration to 100 families.

### **Sphere India and its members**

- International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies is helping with PPE supplies, dissemination and awareness, support to quarantine and isolation facilities, home delivery of essential



items, community surveillance and blood banking

- RedR India is conducting a Learning Needs Assessment for the Humanitarian and development Sector NGOs/CBOs working on the Covid-19 outbreak response, preparedness and recovery actions in India. The findings from this survey will help RedR and the wider humanitarian and development sector agencies to ascertain the capacity building needs of organizations and their partner staff and volunteers in their on-going work in Covid-19 response and for adaptations to their regular practice.
- World Vision India is have stated responding to COVID-19 in almost 21 states in India. They have provided over **110,384** meals for vulnerable people through local administration. Dry rations distributed to over 8021 families. Around 9141 masks distributed and over 1500 medical professionals provided PPE kit. More than 1200 community volunteers trained
- Sphere India organised its plenary session of Interfaith Humanitarian Alliance, “United Hearts and Minds in Covid-19 Response” on 21st of April, 2020 at 11:00 am. The plenary session hosted leaders of various faiths was held on the Zoom Video-conferencing and broadcast online and a joint appeal was drafted post session.
- Sphere India is drafting advocacy notes for all sectors led by respective sector committees which addresses the issues of protection of migrant workers across India sector wise and holistically. Issues have also been raised during nodal coordination with Govt.
- Sphere India two-part series of COVID 19 Academy on Gender Implications and Gender-Based Violence During COVID-19 is scheduled on 23rd and 24th April 2020.
- Furthermore, NDMA has requested Sphere India to collate information of all organisations who are willing to support with their interventions in the current crisis. All organizations can fill their work and role in Unified Response Matrix which can be accessed at [https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1aLrzi55mc5el6TXDFRLMekg5KyANuUOrCMseZqn\\_Uk/edit#gid%3D0](https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1aLrzi55mc5el6TXDFRLMekg5KyANuUOrCMseZqn_Uk/edit#gid%3D0). There is a database of actions of all humanitarian agencies state-wise.
- The information will be shared with NDMA and then NDMA will help facilitate the agencies through authorities at various levels accordingly.

## F. SOURCE OF INFORMATION

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

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