

SITUATION REPORT 14: COVID 19 IN INDIA 28th April 2020

A. GLOBAL SCENARIO

As on 27th April 2020 (Data as reported by national authorities by 8:00 CET 27th April 2020)

Globally: 2 878 196 confirmed (85 530 new); 198 668 deaths (4982 new) **Western Pacific Region**: 144 121 confirmed (1482 new); 5958 deaths (15 new) **European Region**: 1 359 380 confirmed (26 659 new); 124 525 deaths (2307 new); **South-East Asia Region**- 46 060 confirmed (2214 new) 1824 deaths (77 new)

East Mediterranean Region- 165 933 confirmed (5347 new) 6991 deaths (104 new) **Region of the Americas-** 1 140 520 confirmed (45 674 new) 58 492 deaths (2453 new)

Africa Region- 21 470 confirmed (1154 new) 865 deaths (26 new)

WHO RISK ASSESSMENT: Global Level: Very High Source: Countries official sites and WHO report

B. STATE WISE BREAKUP OF CASES ININDIA:

India: 29435 including 111 foreign nationals as on 27.04.2020 at 8:00 AM

Name of State / UT	Total Confirmed cases (Including 70 foreign nationals)	Cured/ Discharged/Migrated	Death
Andhra Pradesh	1183	235	31
Andaman and Nicobar Islands	33	11	0
Arunachal Pradesh	1	1	0
Assam	36	27	1
Bihar	345	57	2
Chhattisgarh	37	32	0
Delhi	3108	877	54
Gujarat	3548	394	162
Goa	7	7	0
Haryana	296	183	3
Himachal Pradesh	40	22	1
Jharkhand	82	13	3
Karnataka	512	193	20
Kerala	481	355	4
Madhya Pradesh	2168	302	110
Maharashtra	8590	1282	369
Manipur	2	2	0
Meghalaya	12	0	1
Mizoram	1	0	0
Odisha	118	37	1
Puducherry	8	3	0
Punjab	313	71	18
Rajasthan	2262	669	46
Tamil Nadu	1937	1101	24
Telengana	1004	321	26
Tripura	2	2	0
Chandigarh	40	17	0
Jammu and Kashmir	546	164	7
Ladakh	20	14	0
Uttar Pradesh	1955	335	31
Uttarakhand	51	33	0
West Bengal	697	109	20



Total number of confirmed	29435	6869	934
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Source: https://www.mohfw.gov.in

D. HUMANITARIAN RESPONSE TO THE DISEASE

Government Response:

- Honorable Prime Minister Narendra Modi held a video conference with the chief ministers today to discuss the road ahead. This was the fourth such meeting between PM and state chief minister since the outbreak emerged.
- Odisha CM suggested Niti Ayog should come up with transformative ideas to keep the economy moving in this grim situation. Even if the national lockdown continues, economic activities within the states should be allowed
- To fight against COVID-19, Bihar has started door to door screening, said Bihar CM Nitish Kumar in a video conference with PM Modi.
- The states are also expected to demand a financial package from the Centre, and an amendment to the Fiscal Responsibility and Budget Management (FRBM) Act.
- To ease liquidity pressures on mutual funds, Reserve Bank of India today announced a special liquidity facility of ₹50,000 crore for mutual funds
- Union health minister Harsh Vardhan said on Sunday there were 300 disease-free districts in the country. Another 297 districts did not have any hotspots or small areas having more than five cases
- State chief ministers demanded during the meeting an arrangement of special trains to transport migrant workers to their home states
- PM Narendra Modi addressed nation on Sunday through his radio program "Man ki Baat" and requested citizens to not lower their guard against COVID 19. He also informed that govt has launched a digital platform covidwarriors.gov.in that has connected voluntary organization in this fight against deadly virus
- Routine immunization is done in Goa even after it is declared COVID free state by MOHFW as a precautionary measure to keep the state and its people safe

NGO / Civil Society Response

IAGs Kerala:

- IAG Trivandrum in collaboration with district administration has built a platform to rehabilitate the NRIs post pandemic. Furthermore 2 to 3 firms in the state have got certification from the govt. to prepare PPE kits. Currently, the capacity of each firm is limited to 20,000.
- 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 in collaboration with District Disable People Organization so called Mokokchung District Disable Forum (MDDF) distributed food grains to PWD.
- IAG Manipur IRMA is reaching out to most vulnerable families with food items in Kangpokpi district. DSSS, Imphal have a provisions of distributing food items, sanitizers and masks worth of Rs. 20 lakhs in the interior villages especially the border areas of 7 districts in Manipur. Caritas India has leveraged 1 lakh to DSSS Imphal.



- 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 MP along with UNICEF, WASH and DRR has organized an orientation program for district IAGs and CSOs on 27th April.
- 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 Dainik bhaskar. IAGs are in contact with urban slums through Mitanins. 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 our 1000 IAG volunteers.
 They are trained through initiative of WB state IAG. We have also planned our module keeping in
 mind the multilinguistic. IAG WB need list of registrants from WB state registering in COVID 19
 Academy.
- 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 and other agencies has planned a gap analysis of the entire state. Post that state IAG will be involved in filling out those gaps. Further, 53 lakh cash have been leveraged for help apart from govt relief package in the state to help needy people. Nodal agencies in few districts have been identified and work of coordination is in progress. 3000 volunteers have been identified with the help of IAG for capacity building.
- IAG Maharashtra has developed training materials in local language for frontline workers. They are figuring out the learning need of all volunteers and workers and on basis of that capacity building training program will be planned.
- 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 it existing capacity is trying their best to respond to such needs.
- 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.
- 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 take 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 govt 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.
- 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.

Sphere India and its members

- Billionlives and team has developed a mobile application for tracking the requirements for relief kits and ration kits to inter-state migrant workers stranded in various parts of the country during the Covid19 extended lockdown period. This is web enabled and trackable with geo coordinates of the locations.
- Habitat for Humanity is providing Hygiene and Family Essentials Kits to 514 daily wage laborers and their family living in Wazirpur Industrial Area, New Delhi. Waste pickers and daily wage earners living in Park Circus slum in Kolkata received Hygiene and Family Essentials Kits. This program has reached out to many thousands of migrant labourers across India.
- Govt. of India in connection with mobilization of CSOs/NGOs at the filed level to supplement the govt efforts against COVID 19 has designated DSSS as nodal NGO for Imphal East district in Manipur.
- Humanitarian Aid International is working on providing cooked food 35,000 people and Dry ration for
 a month provided to 767 families. They are also engaged in distribution of hygiene kits distributed in
 two refugee camps among 210 families. IEC materials developed and awareness program conducted
 in two refugee camps. Delhi police was supported twice by HAI for surveillance through the Drone for
 Humanity platform of HAI. HAI is also working together with Bhubaneswar Municipal Corporation
 assisting them to sanitize public places, surveillance of hotspots and dissemination of information
 through deployment of 5 drones.
- PPEs are being manufactured by a few companies in Kerala whose samples were tested by SITRA and INMAS. These are available in two qualities: one for doctors who are in the ICUs directly handling Covid19 patients and the second quality for nurses, paramedics and hospital staff.
- Sphere India is planning a session on migrant workers, impact and implication during pandemic and post analysis in partnership with International organisation 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 in its attempt to extend COVID 19 Academy training in vernacular language had organized its first session in Hindi on "Basics of COVID 19 on 27th 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__U
 k/edit#gid%3D0. 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.



F. SOURCE OF INFORMATION

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

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