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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
BENGALURU



NOVEL CORONA VIRUS (COVID-19)

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Evening Report

World Health Organization has declared the recent Novel Corona Virus, COVID-19 as **Public Health Emergency of International Concern (PHEIC)** which has affected **216 Countries / Territories including** India till date. WHO has characterized COVID-19 as a **Pandemic** on 11th March 2020.

In this context, Karnataka State has strengthened all Surveillance and containment measures against the spread of infection and prevent morbidity and mortality.

1	New Cases Reported (from 15/5/2020, 5:00 PM to 5:00 PM today)	36
2	Total Active Cases	559
3	Total Discharges	496
4	Total Covid Deaths	36
5	Death of Covid +ve patient due to Non-Covid cause	01
6	Total Positive Cases	1092
7	Admitted in ICU (among total active cases)	13

Particulars		Today	Cumulative
A	Total Passengers screened at Air Ports and Sea Ports	106*	142962
B	Total number of contacts under observation		
	Primary	5977	
	Secondary	13711	
C	Total under observation	19688	
D	Persons In Isolation At Health Facilities	215	1791
E	Total Samples Tested	6300	140024
F	Total Samples reported as Negative	6142	138216**
Total Samples Positive for COVID-19		36	1092

*Mangaluru Sea Port – 106.

**Data reconciled with Labs.

Details of new COVID-19 positive cases reported today:

Sl. No.	Case Numbers	Age (Years)	Sex	District	History	Isolated at
1	P-1057	40	Male	Mandya	Inter-District travel history Kolara and Bengaluru	Designated Hospital, Bengaluru Urban
2	P-1058	50	Male	Hassan	Inter-State travel history Mumbai, Maharashtra	Designated Hospital, Hassan
3	P-1059	01	Female	Udupi	International travel history from Dubai	Designated Hospital, Udupi
4	P-1060	34	Male	Dharwad	Inter-State travel history Mumbai, Maharashtra	Designated Hospital, Hubli, Dharwad
5	P-1061	65	Female	Davanagere	Secondary Contact of P-533	Designated Hospital, Davanagere
6	P-1062	46	Male	Ballari	Inter-State travel history Ahmedabad, Gujarat	Designated Hospital, Ballari
7	P-1063	33	Male	Bagalakote	Inter-State travel history Mumbai, Maharashtra	Designated Hospital, Bagalakote
8	P-1064	27	Male	Bengaluru Urban	Secondary Contact of P-653	Designated Hospital, Bengaluru Urban
9	P-1065	25	Male	Bengaluru Urban	Secondary Contact of P-653	Designated Hospital, Bengaluru Urban
10	P-1066	20	Male	Bengaluru Urban	Secondary Contact of P-653	Designated Hospital, Bengaluru Urban
11	P-1067	50	Male	Bengaluru Urban	Secondary Contact of P-653	Designated Hospital, Bengaluru Urban
12	P-1068	20	Male	Bengaluru Urban	Secondary Contact of P-653	Designated Hospital, Bengaluru Urban
13	P-1069	27	Male	Bengaluru Urban	Secondary Contact of P-653	Designated Hospital, Bengaluru Urban
14	P-1070	24	Male	Bengaluru Urban	Secondary Contact of P-653	Designated Hospital, Bengaluru Urban
15	P-1071	23	Male	Bengaluru Urban	Secondary Contact of P-653	Designated Hospital, Bengaluru Urban
16	P-1072	24	Male	Bengaluru Urban	Secondary Contact of P-653	Designated Hospital, Bengaluru Urban
17	P-1073	26	Male	Bengaluru Urban	Secondary Contact of P-653	Designated Hospital, Bengaluru Urban
18	P-1074	33	Male	Bengaluru Urban	Secondary Contact of P-653	Designated Hospital, Bengaluru Urban

19	P-1075	17	Male	Bengaluru Urban	Secondary Contact of P-653	Designated Hospital, Bengaluru Urban
20	P-1076	18	Male	Bengaluru Urban	Secondary Contact of P-653	Designated Hospital, Bengaluru Urban
21	P-1077	19	Male	Bengaluru Urban	Secondary Contact of P-653	Designated Hospital, Bengaluru Urban
22	P-1078	63	Male	Hassan	Inter-State travel history Mumbai, Maharashtra	Designated Hospital, Hassan
23	P-1079	21	Female	Hassan	Inter-State travel history Mumbai, Maharashtra	Designated Hospital, Hassan
24	P-1080	33	Female	Kalaburgi	Contact of P-848	Designated Hospital, Kalaburgi
25	P-1081	15	Female	Kalaburgi	Contact of P-848	Designated Hospital, Kalaburgi
26	P-1082	14	Female	Kalaburgi	Contact of P-848	Designated Hospital, Kalaburgi
27	P-1083	55	Male	Kalaburgi	Contact of P-848	Designated Hospital, Kalaburgi
28	P-1084	30	Female	Kalaburgi	Inter-State travel history Mumbai, Maharashtra	Designated Hospital, Kalaburgi
29	P-1085	50	Female	Kalaburgi	Contact of P-927	Designated Hospital, Kalaburgi
30	P-1086	60	Male	Kalaburgi	Contact of P-848	Designated Hospital, Kalaburgi
31	P-1087	10	Female	Kalaburgi	Contact of P-848	Designated Hospital, Kalaburgi
32	P-1088	38	Female	Shivamogga	Inter-State travel history Mumbai, Maharashtra	Designated Hospital, Shivamogga
33	P-1089	42	Male	Shivamogga	Inter-State travel history Mumbai, Maharashtra	Designated Hospital, Shivamogga
34	P-1090	04	Female	Shivamogga	Inter-State travel history Mumbai, Maharashtra	Designated Hospital, Shivamogga
35	P-1091	04	Female	Vijayapura	Contact of P-594	Designated Hospital, Vijayapura
36	P-1092	18	Male	Hassan	Inter-State travel history Mumbai, Maharashtra	Designated Hospital, Hassan

District wise Abstract of COVID-19

Sl. No.	District Name	Today's Positives	Total Positives	Today's Discharges	Total Discharges	Total Active Cases	Deaths
1	Bengaluru Urban	14	216	14	115	93	7
2	Belagavi	0	114	0	54	59	1
3	Kalaburgi	8	94	1	47	40	7
4	Davanagere	1	89	0	2	83	4
5	Mysuru	0	88	0	88	0	0
6	Bagalakote	1	71	0	27	43	1
7	Bidar	0	55	0	14	39	2
8	Vijayapura	1	53	1	37	13	3
9	Mandya	1	50	0	19	31	0
10	Dakshina Kannada	0	43	0	10	28	5
11	Uttara Kannada	0	41	0	11	30	0
12	Chikkaballapura	0	24	0	16	6	2
13	Dharwad	1	22	0	7	15	0
14	Hassan	3	19	0	0	19	0
15	Ballari	1	18	0	13	5	0
16	Shivamogga	3	12	0	0	12	0
17	Gadag	0	12	0	4	7	1
18	Tumakuru	0	11	0	2	7	2
19	Chitradurga	0	9	0	1	8	0
20	Udupi	1	9	0	3	6	0
21	Bengaluru Rural	0	6	0	6	0	0
22	Kolara	0	6	0	0	6	0
23	Haveri	0	3	0	0	3	0
24	Yadagiri	0	2	0	0	2	0
25	Kodagu	0	1	0	1	0	0
26	Others*	1**	24	0	19	4	1
Total		36	1092	16	496	559	36

*Others include Cases of other States and International Quarantined Passengers.

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• **Total Covid Deaths (36):**

P-6	P-53	P-60	P-125	P-166	P-177	P-195	P-205	P-219
P-250	P-252	P-257	P-279	P-281	P-374	P-390	P-414	P-432
P-409	P-422	P-465	P-535	P-556	P-557	P-587	P-590	P-640
P-651	P-662	P-694	P-846	P-927	P-536	P-507	P-796	P-1041

Today's Discharges (16)

Sl. No.	District Name	Patient Number
1	Bengaluru Urban (14)	P-434, P-435, P-452, P-454, P-459, P-460, P-469, P-470, P-473, P-474, P-477, P-478, P-480 & P-490
2	Kalaburgi (01)	P-529
3	Vijayapura (01)	P-278

Note: Out of **1092** cases detected and confirmed in Karnataka so far, **9** cases are transit passengers of Kerala who have landed in our Airports and being treated in Karnataka.

Details of suspected Isolated Persons in the Designated Hospitals				
Sl. No.	Name of the District	Today's New Admissions	Today's Discharges	Total Isolated
1	Bagalakote	1	1	46
2	Ballari	1	0	5
3	Belagavi	0	1	59
4	Bengaluru Rural	5	0	23
5	Bengaluru Urban (Identified Hospitals)	34	49	236
6	Bidar	19	6	223
7	Chamarajanagara	0	0	2
8	Chikkaballapura	14	0	23
9	Chikkamagaluru	5	0	17
10	Chitradurga	2	0	8
11	Dakshina Kannada	7	9	99
12	Davanagere	5	0	182
13	Dharwad	0	0	15
14	Gadag	0	3	17
15	Hassan	0	32	132
16	Haveri	1	1	5
17	Kalaburagi	29	0	106
18	Kodagu	0	17	34
19	Kolar	38	0	128
20	Koppal	0	4	23
21	Mandya	13	0	30
22	Mysuru	0	0	0
23	Raichur	0	0	10
24	Ramanagara	2	10	7
25	Shivamogga	7	0	18
26	Tumakuru	12	11	79
27	Udupi	13	12	66
28	Uttara Kannada	7	4	84
29	Vijayapura	0	5	40
30	Yadgiri	0	0	4
31	Bengaluru Urban (RGICD)	0	0	25
32	BBMP	0	0	45
Total		215	165	1791

Programmatic Updates

1	<p>Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Directorate General of Health Services (EMR Division) has issued Letter regarding “Advisory for managing Health care workers working in COVID and Non-COVID areas of the hospital”.</p> <p>(Dated: 15-05-2020).</p>
2	<p>Home Secretary Govt. of India has issued Letter regarding faster movement of stranded migrant workers through buses and ‘Shramik’ special trains in continuation to D.O. letter of even number dated 11-05-2020.</p> <p>(Ref. No. D.O. 40-10/2020-DM-I (A) Dated: 15-05-2020).</p>
3	<p>Chief Secretary Govt. of Karnataka has issued Circular regarding “Assigning responsibility of managing essential logistics and human resources activities related to Covid-19 in Borders Districts to Regional Commissioners.</p> <p>(Ref. No. SSU/Covid-19/07/2020-21. Dated: 16-05-2020).</p>
4	<p>Commissioner Health and Family Welfare Services has issued Circular regarding Inter-District movement of passengers returned from abroad and also</p> <p>(Ref. No. SSU/COVID-19/Qua-Pat-Trans/04/2020-21. Dated: 15-05-2020).</p>
5	<p>On 15.05.2020:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 31 Fever Clinics of BBMP, in the day 158 people and till date 8504 people have been screened. • 532 Fever Clinics of State, in the day 13948 people and till date 397473 people have been screened. • 104 Fever Clinics of Private Hospital and Medical Colleges were operationalized and the day 2180 people and till date 35694 people have been screened.
4	<p>Home Quarantine Enforcement Squad have quarantined 196 persons in Institutions on 15.05.2020 based on the complaints received from public & totally till date 1905 have been shifted from home Quarantine to institutional quarantine for violation of directions.</p>
5	<p>The positive cases and suspects hospitalized in the designated hospitals and quarantined persons will be staying there for a minimum period of 14 days or till the successive samples of the positive case are proved negative or as per the treating physicians advice. This long duration of stay in isolation requires a mental booster for keeping oneself calm & quiet. Foreseeing this Department has arranged for Mental Health Counseling of such patients and contacts. 1570 sessions were held on 15.05.2020 and so far 87295 numbers of counseling sessions have been held.</p>
6	<p>To spread Awareness and Effective Communication on COVID-19, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Govt. of India has lunched “Aarogya Setu” Mobile App on 09.04.2020. Application can be downloaded from Google Play store and App store (Apple).</p>
7	<p>Any person who has attended Tablighi Jamaat Congregation at Nizamuddin Markaz Masjid in New Delhi, kindly Contact 080-29711171 Arogya Sahayavaani.</p>

8	Minority Welfare, Waqf and Hajj Department , Govt. of Karnataka has issued Order for suspension of congregational prayers (Salat) and guidelines for Ramadan in The Masjids/Darghs due to COVID-19 upto 03-05-2020. (No. MWD/2/MDS/2020, Dtd: 16-04-20).
9	Appeal to Doctors has been issued by Hon'ble Chief Minister to give missed call to 080-47192219 or signup at https://forms.gle/TPbU7eZgazdxG9gS9 to volunteer for COVID-19 Tele-Medicine facility and to help the Government.
10	"Corona Watch" Mobile App can be downloaded from https://covid19.karnataka.gov.in . In this app you can see the spots visited by positive patients up to 14 days prior to testing positive. Also it shows the nearest First Respondent Hospitals and Helpline numbers.
11	During the COVID-19 lockdown period, for assisting public on fever, cold, cough & respiratory problems a unique helpline Number 14410 called "Apthamitra" has been started by Government of Karnataka .

210 lines have been reserved for receiving calls of COVID-19. On **15.05.2020**, **6904** calls have been received.

Appeal to Public: Any person who has returned from COVID-19 affected Country or has been in personal contact with such person must remain in Home Isolation for 14 days from arrival in India irrespective of having any symptoms or not. **Also, should self-notify to nearest Government Hospital or free call "Aptamitra" Helpline 14410. Maintain personal hygiene, use tissue paper/handkerchief while coughing or sneezing, frequently wash hands with soap and water or use hand sanitizer and avoid attending mass social gatherings.**

Help us to Help you<----->Stay Home, Be Safe
Let us fight COVID-19 together
 Helpline numbers **9745697456, 080 - 46848600, 080 – 66692000 & 14410 "Aptamitra" helpline**

All the Guidelines and Advisories are available at State Health and Family Welfare Department Website:

<https://karunadu.karnataka.gov.in/hfw/kannada/Pages/covid-19.aspx>

Govt. of Karnataka Official COVID-19 Information Website:

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