



Ministry of Health and Family Welfare



India's Cumulative COVID-19 Vaccination Coverage exceeds 97.79 Cr

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India's Active Caseload (1,89,694) is lowest in 221 days

Weekly Positivity Rate (1.37%) less than 3% for last 115 days

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With the administration of **12,05,162** vaccine doses in the last 24 hours, India's COVID-19 vaccination coverage has exceeded **97.79 Cr (97,79,47,783)** as per provisional reports till 7 am today. This has been achieved through 96,88,300 sessions.

The break-up of the cumulative figures as per the provisional report till 7 am today include:

HCWs	1 st Dose	1,03,75,864
	2 nd Dose	90,77,901
FLWs	1 st Dose	1,83,61,949
	2 nd Dose	1,55,20,467

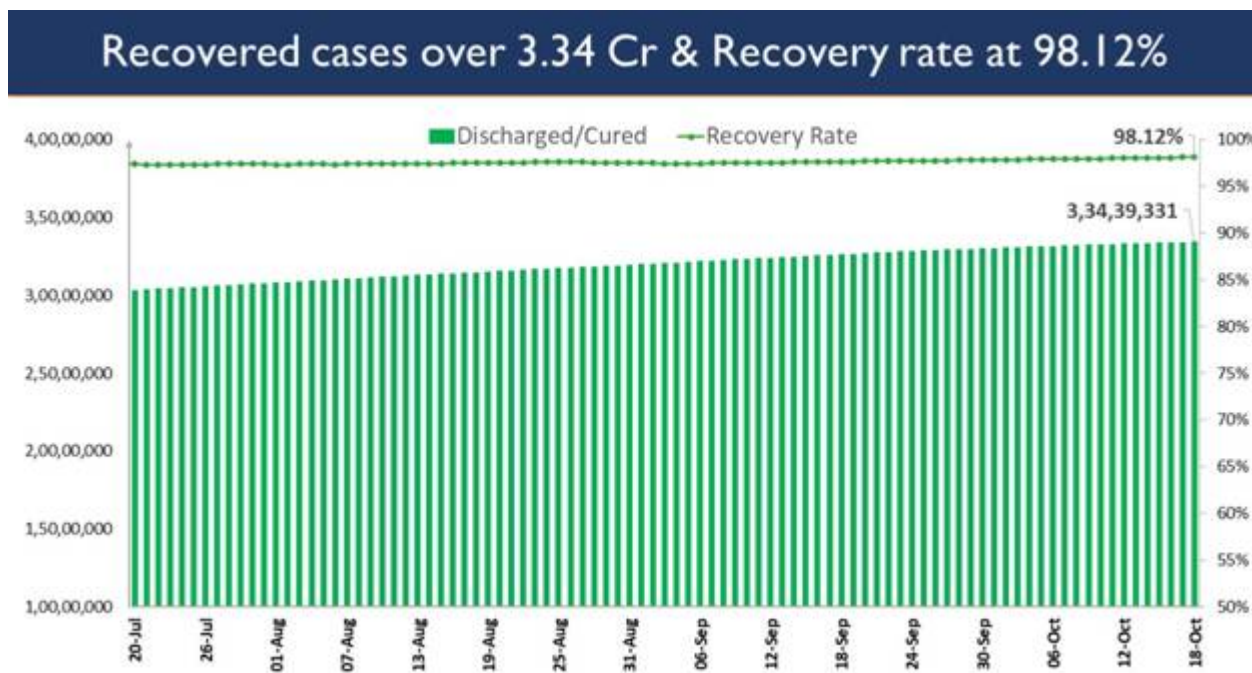




Age Group 18-44 years	1 st Dose	39,31,57,500
	2 nd Dose	11,07,36,109
Age Group 45-59 years	1 st Dose	16,77,59,306
	2 nd Dose	8,60,28,053
Over 60 years	1 st Dose	10,57,36,587
	2 nd Dose	6,11,94,047
Total		97,79,47,783

The recovery of **19,582** patients in the last 24 hours has increased the cumulative tally of recovered patients (since the beginning of the pandemic) to **3,34,39,331**.

Consequently, India’s recovery rate stands at **98.12%**. Recovery Rate is currently at its highest peak since March 2020.



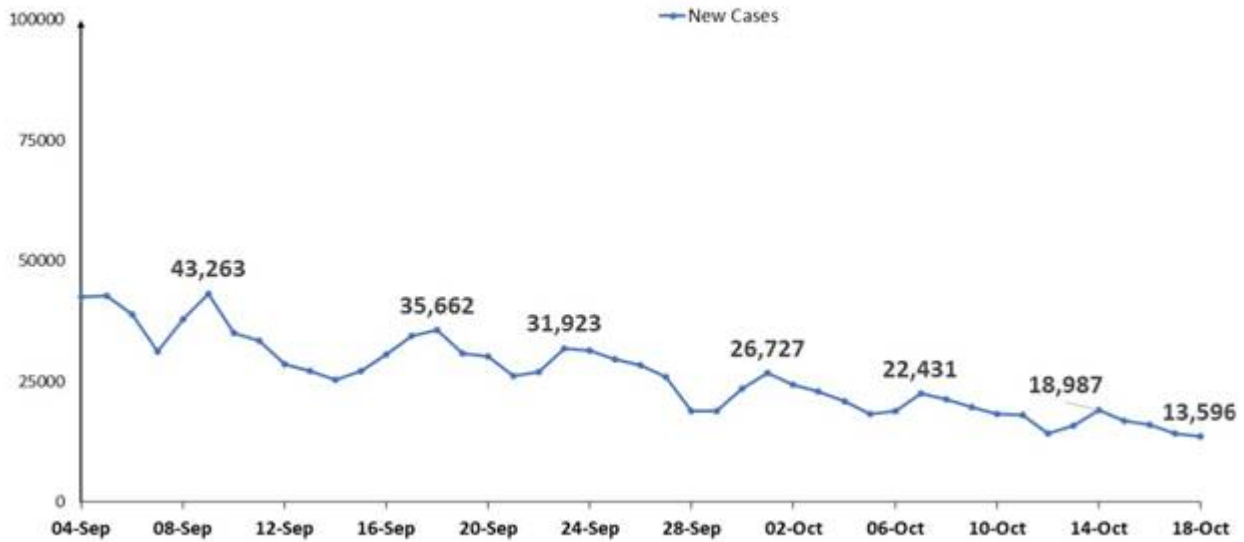
Sustained and collaborative efforts by the Centre and the States/UTs continue the trend of less than 50,000 Daily New Cases that is being reported for 113 consecutive days now.

13,596 new cases were reported in the last 24 hours. Daily New cases reported to be **lowest in 230 days now**.



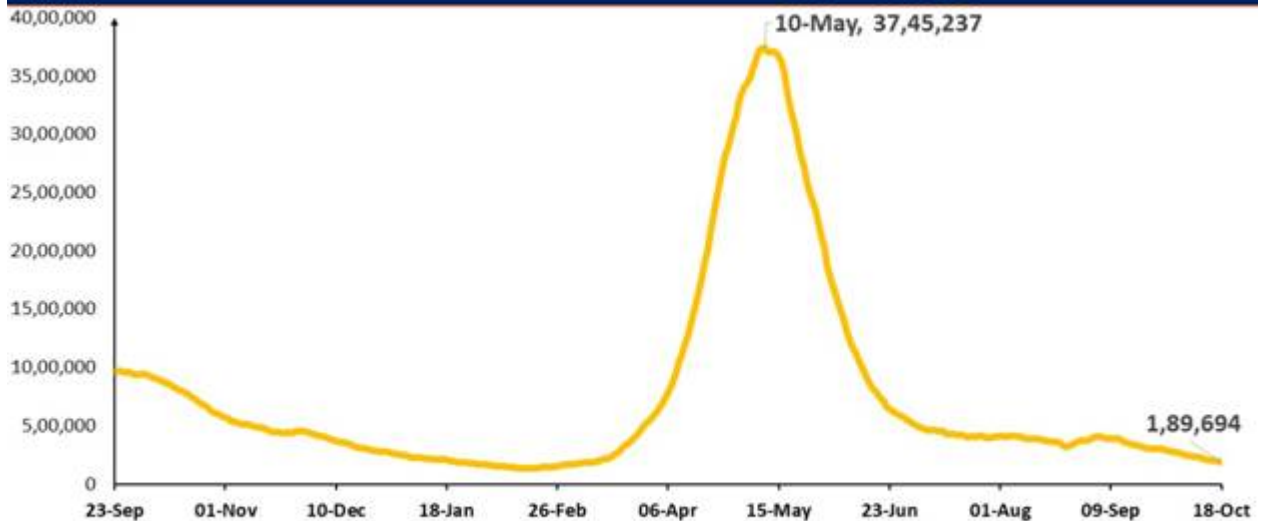


13K New Cases reported in last 24 hrs



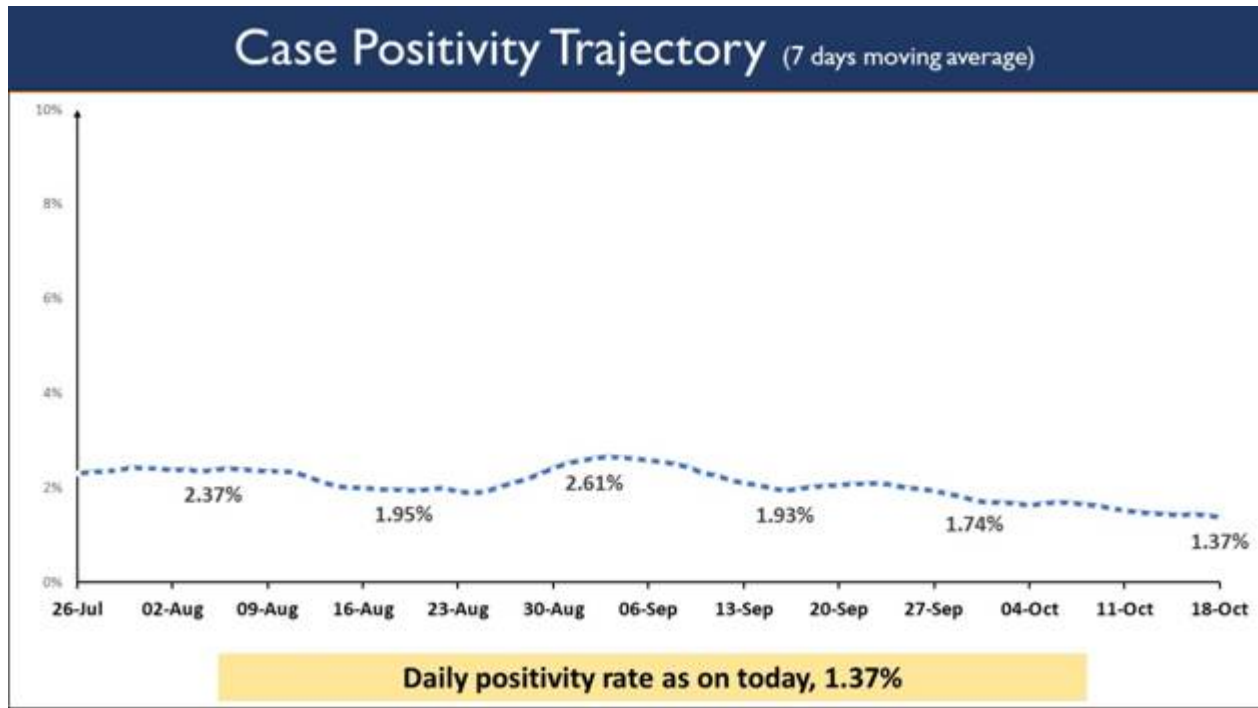
The Active Caseload has fallen below 2 lakh mark and is presently at **1,89,694**, which is **lowest in 221 days**. Active cases presently constitute **0.56%** of the country's total Positive Cases.

India's Active cases Trajectory



The testing capacity across the country continues to be expanded. The last 24 hours saw a total of 9,89,493 tests being conducted. India has so far conducted over **59.19 Cr (59,19,24,874)** cumulative tests. While testing capacity has been enhanced across the country, **Weekly Positivity Rate at 1.37% remains less than 3% for the last 115 days now**. The **Daily Positivity rate reported to be 1.37%**. The daily Positivity rate has remained below 3% for last 49 days and below 5% for 132 consecutive days now.





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