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HIGHLIGHTS

- NITI Aayog launches report on best practices in the performance of district hospitals made in collaboration with MoHFW and WHO India (Link)
- New package related to black fungus added to the revised health benefit package of Ayushman Bharat PM-JAY (<u>Link</u>)
- Union Minister for Health and Family Welfare launches i-Drone, ICMR's drone-based vaccine delivery model (Link)
- Hon'ble Prime Minister to dedicate to the nation PSA Oxygen Plants established under PM CARES on 7th October (Link)

WHO Situation Update

India

33,853,048 Confirmed Cases 449,260 Total Deaths

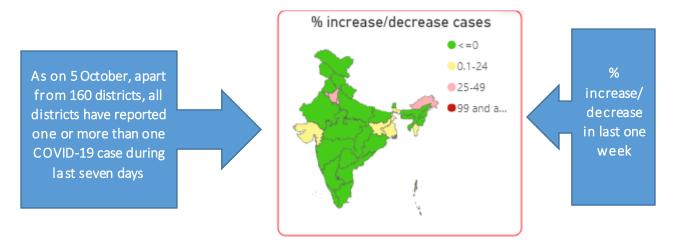
South East Asia Region 43,224,293 Confirmed Cases 679,577 Total Deaths

World

235,175,106 Confirmed Cases 4,806,841 Deaths

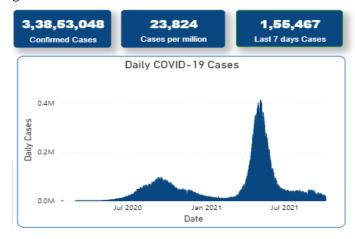
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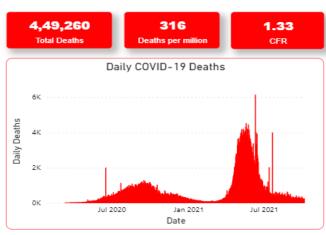
• India reported a total of 33,853,048 confirmed cases. In the past 24 hours, 18,346 confirmed cases have been reported. Cases per million is 23,824 (7DMA). Top five states, namely, Maharashtra, Kerala, Karnataka, Tamil Nadu, and Andhra Pradesh are contributing 56% of total cases.



COVID-19: STATUS ACROSS STATES

In the past week (29 Sept. – 5 Oct.), as compared to previous week (22-28 Sept.), eight states have shown an increase in cases while twenty-seven states have shown a decline in cases. Higher decline has been reported from A&N Islands (-74%), Rajasthan (-51%), Bihar (-48%) and Tripura (-41%). Trend of new cases & deaths is given below:





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- In **Haryana**, 20 per cent of facilities like ICU, oxygen beds, etc. have been mandated to be reserved for children.
- In **Uttarakhand**, special precautions are being taken for "Char Dham Yatra" including strict compliance to IPC and limiting the number of travelers allowed for pilgrimage in a day.
- In Uttar Pradesh, special COVID-19 booths have been established especially for parents.

WHO GLOBAL UPDATE

- To help countries plan for the year ahead, WHO had hosted a meeting in August 2021 where countries discussed ongoing obstacles and opportunities to pandemic influenza preparedness, shared their practical experience and expertise and developed risk-mitigation plans and strategies to secure core capacity building even in the face of COVID-19, details here
- WHO HQ and the WHO Regional Office for Africa (AFRO) has designed a survey tool tailored to Africa, to make
 it easier for countries to collect and understand context-specific social and behavioural data related to COVID19. The objective of this tool is to inform the COVID-19 response at the country level while also allowing regional
 comparisons, details here
- WHO, with support of the Strategic Advisory Group of Experts (SAGE) on Immunization and its COVID-19
 Vaccines Working Group, has issued interim statement on booster dose for the currently available COVID-19
 vaccines which have received Emergency Use Listing (EUL), details here
- WHO, the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) and the World Trade Organization (WTO) jointly organized a <u>Workshop on Innovation in, and Access to, COVID-19 Technologies</u>. The workshop focused on intellectual property licensing, technology transfer, and sharing of know-how and clinical trial information. It aimed at strengthening the capacity of policymakers and experts coming from WHO, WIPO and WTO members to address the COVID-19, details <u>here</u>

WHO COUNTRY UPDATE

Coordination

- WCO is monitoring the COVID 19 epidemiological trends using a warning level dashboard with predefined indicators and thresholds and sharing the information with NCDC and states/UTs health authorities.
- WCO continues to provide technical support to MoHFW, NCDC, ICMR and NDMA at the national level and through task force/control rooms at the state and district level in **Andhra Pradesh**, **Karnataka**, **Kerala**, **Tamil Nadu**, **Telangana**, and **Puducherry**
- WCO is guiding **Mizoram** to develop revised testing strategy for the State; to install ICU facilities in far-away southern districts; and is supporting plans for RCCE intensification starting with Mask-for-All campaign.

COVID-19 vaccination

- Technical oversight during vaccination is provided by WHO teams at district and state levels.
- WCO is supporting monitoring of vaccination sessions across the country and continues to provide surge support for training, microplanning and monitoring.

Surveillance, Contact Tracing and Containment

Country office continues to provide technical support for COVID-19 containment activities in Uttar Pradesh;
 also provided supportive supervision to monitor contact tracing; identify containment zones and sharing regular feedback with government health officials on regular basis.

Training and Operations Research

Continuing to support training of Medical Officers on Routine Immunization in Telangana.



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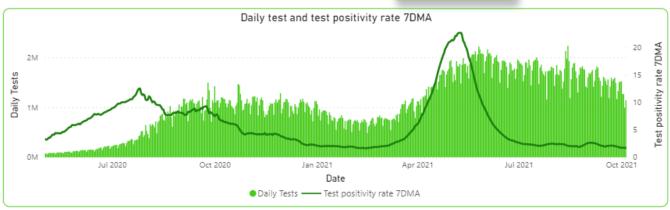
Essential Services

- Support extended to strengthen VPD surveillance and immunization are underway in **Andhra Pradesh**, **Karnataka**, **Kerala**, **Lakshadweep**, **Puducherry**, **Tamil Nadu**, and **Telangana**.
- Supporting **Karnataka**, **Puducherry**, **Telangana and Nagaland** in strengthening and streamlining AEFI surveillance.

As of 6 October 2021, India has tested more than 560 million samples. Tests include both, RTPCR and Rapid Antigen. India's current test positivity rate (7DMA) is 1.7%.

Testing - National Level





India continued to drive COVID-19 vaccinations among various age group with preconditions, details here.

Cumulative Coverage Report of COVID-19 vaccination (as on 6 October 2021, 07:00 AM)

VACCINATION	Beneficiaries vaccinated			
	1 st Dose	2 nd Dose	Total Doses	
	66,72,46,479	25,45,18,926	92,17,65,405	
	32,32,655 in last 24 Hours	27,15,705 in last 24 hours	59,48,360 in last 24 Hours	

IMPORTANT GUIDELINES/TECHNICAL PUBLICATIONS

- COVID-19 disease in children and adolescents: Scientific brief (LINK)
- Neurology and COVID-19: Scientific brief (LINK)
- A clinical case definition of post COVID-19 condition by a Delphi consensus (LINK)
- National Guidelines for Safe Dental Practice During Covid-19 pandemic-MoHFW (LINK)
- Guidelines on operationalization of maternal health services during Covid-19 pandemic- MoHFW (LINK)

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HIGHLIGHTS

- Union Health Minister reviews progress of COVID-19 vaccination with 19 States (Link)
- Prime Minister lauds everyone involved in vaccination drive (Link)
- Prime Minister dedicates 35 PSA Oxygen Plants across 35 States/ UTs to the nation (Link)
- Quantitative restriction on export of syringes put in place (<u>Link</u>)
- 'AllMS in every State' and 'Medical College in every District' aim of Government, asserts Prime Minister (<u>Link</u>)

WHO Situation Update

India

33,985,920 Confirmed Cases 450,963 Total Deaths

South East Asia Region 43,416,050 Confirmed Cases 682,244 Total Deaths

World

237,655,302 Confirmed Cases 4,846,981 Deaths

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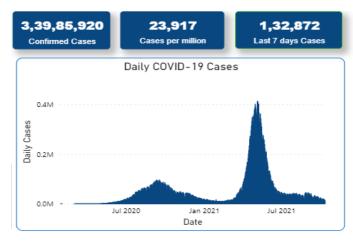
• Overall the coronavirus situation is stabilizing in India with steady decline in daily cases and is currently reporting 23,917 cases per million (7DMA). As of 12 October 2021, India reported a total of 33,985,920 confirmed cases and 450,963 deaths.

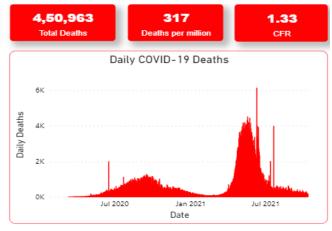
In comparison to previous week (29 Sept. – 5 Oct.), less than 30% of districts have shown an increase in new cases during last week (6-12 Oct.). Additionally, amongst the top ten districts reporting highest number of cases during last week nine have shown decrease in number of cases. District Gr. Mumbai has shown a rise in cases last week

District	Last 7 days Cases	Last 8- 14 days Cases	% increase/ decrease
ERNAKULAM	10,399	11,356	-8
THIRUVANANTHAP URAM	9,244	10,078	-8
THRISSUR	8,433	10,761	-22
KOZHIKODE	6,545	8,255	-21
KOTTAYAM	5,194	6,291	-17
MALAPPURAM	5,040	6,631	-24
KOLLAM	5,018	6,799	-26
AIZAWAL WEST	4,782	5,749	-17
PALAKKAD	4,305	5,369	-20
GR. MUMBAI	4,248	3,152	35

COVID-19: STATUS ACROSS STATES

In the past week (6-12 Oct.), as compared to previous week (29 Sept. – 5 Oct.), nine states have shown an increase in cases while twenty-five states have shown a decline in cases. Higher decline has been reported from Arunachal Pradesh (-52%), Sikkim (-43%), Meghalaya (-35%) and Karnataka (-29%). National level trend of new cases & deaths is given below:





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- In Jammu & Kashmir, cinema halls and multiplexes have been allowed to function with 25% capacity.
- In **Haryana**, districts have been directed to accelerate the pace of vaccination and administer first dose to all eligible beneficiaries.
- In **Maharashtra**, 'Kavach Kundal Initiative' for COVID-19 vaccination has been announced wherein the state is targeting administration of 1.5 million doses per day.

WHO GLOBAL UPDATE

- WHO, UN set out steps to meet world COVID vaccination targets; to this effect, WHO has launched the <u>Strategy to Achieve Global Covid-19 Vaccination by mid-2022</u> to help bring an end to the pandemic. The new strategy outlines a plan for achieving WHO's targets to vaccinate 40% of the population of every country by the end of this year and 70% by mid-2022, details <u>here</u>
- Health and Education Ministers, heads of partner agencies commit to health promoting schools for all in WHO
 South-East Asia Region. The Health Promoting School approach aims at advancing health, nutrition, mental
 health and the overall wellbeing of school-age children and adolescents, teachers and other staff members,
 details here
- WHO's 10 calls for climate action to assure sustained recovery from COVID-19 in the Special Report on Climate Change and Health. It spells out the global health community's prescription for climate action based on a growing body of research that establishes the many and inseparable links between climate and health, details here

WHO COUNTRY UPDATE

Coordination

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- WCO continues to provide technical support to MoHFW, NCDC, ICMR and NDMA at the national level and through task force/control rooms at the state and district level in Andhra Pradesh, Karnataka, Kerala, Tamil Nadu, Telangana, and Puducherry
- WCO officials of various States continue to participate in meetings on current response, third wave preparations, vaccination; chaired by Chief Ministers, Health Ministers, Chief and/or Health Secretaries, MDs-NHM, etc
- Facilitated routine immunization deep dive exercise in 8 selected districts of **Madhya Pradesh**; data analysis is in process.

COVID-19 vaccination

- Technical oversight during vaccination is provided by WHO teams at district and state levels
- WCO is supporting monitoring of vaccination sessions across the country and continues to provide surge support for training, microplanning and monitoring.

Surveillance, Contact Tracing and Containment

• Country office continues to provide technical support for COVID-19 containment activities in **UttarPradesh**; also provided supportive supervision to monitor contact tracing; identify containment zones and sharing regular feedback with government health officials on regular basis.

Training and Operations Research

- Supported development of SOPs for puja mandaps in Assam where only vaccinated people will be allowed to attend public gathering during offerings.
- Supported training of staff of 15 mobile vaccination vans which have been launched in **Manipur**



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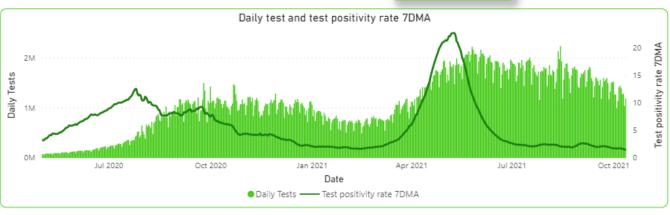
Support in ensuring delivery of Essential Health Services

- Continues to strengthen VPD surveillance and immunization in **Delhi**
- Supporting urban area microplanning for essential immunization in high risk areas in Delhi
- Supporting **Delhi** for Sub National Immunization Days

As of 12 October 2021, India has tested more than 569 million samples. Tests include both, RTPCR and Rapid Antigen. India's current test positivity rate (7DMA) is 1.5%.

Testing - National Level





India continued to drive COVID-19 vaccinations among various age group with preconditions, details here.

Cumulative Coverage Report of COVID-19 vaccination (as on 12 October 2021, 07:00 AM)

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(@ 🔫)	1 st Dose	2 nd Dose	Total Doses	
VACCINATION	68,65,80,570	27,23,97,479	95,89,78,049	
	33,63,303 in last 24 Hours	32,22,789 in last 24 hours	65,86,092 in last 24 Hours	

IMPORTANT GUIDELINES/TECHNICAL PUBLICATIONS

- Antigen-detection in the diagnosis of SARS-CoV-2 infection: Interim guidance (LINK)
- WHO COVID-19 Excess Mortality Estimation Methodology (<u>LINK</u>)
- WHO SPRP 2021 Mid-term Report WHO Strategic Action Against COVID-19 (LINK)
- Landscape of observational studies on the effectiveness of COVID-19 vaccination (LINK)
- COVID-19 vaccine tracker and landscape (LINK)
- Video on the use of Pulse Oximeter-MoHFW (LINK)

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HIGHLIGHTS

- The Ministry of Health & Family Welfare reviews status and progress of COVID-19 vaccination with States/UTs (Link)
- Prime Minister congratulates people of *Devbhoomi* for 100% coverage of first dose of COVID-19 vaccination (<u>Link</u>)
- Country's first 'One Health' consortium launched by Department of Biotechnology, Ministry of Science and Technology (Link)
- Union Minister of Health virtually lays the foundation for the new building of ICMR School of Public Health at ICMR-NIE, Chennai (<u>Link</u>)

WHO Situation Update

India

34,094,373 Confirmed Cases 452,454 Total Deaths

South East Asia Region 43,664,119 Confirmed Cases 685,654 Total Deaths

World

240,940,937 Confirmed Cases 4,903,911 Deaths

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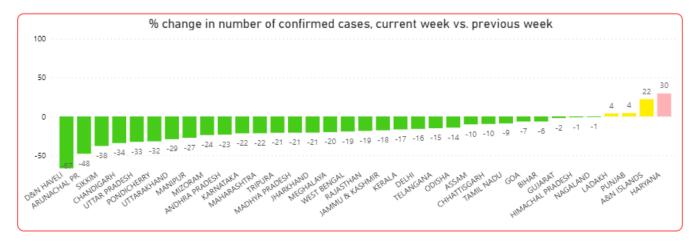
In India, cases are declining steadily. Maharashtra is still leading with highest number of cases (more than six million); Kerala has reported more than four million cases, followed by Karnataka, Tamil Nadu and Andhra Pradesh (more than two million cases each). Top five states, namely, Maharashtra, Kerala, Karnataka, Tamil Nadu, and Andhra Pradesh are contributing 56% of total cases.

Less than 30% of districts have shown an increase in new cases for the week (13-19 October), in comparison to previous week (6-12 October), Additionally, top ten districts reporting highest number of cases have all shown a decrease in number of cases in during the last week.

District	Last 7 days Cases ▼	Last 8- 14 days Cases	% increase/ decrease
ERNAKULAM	8,888	10,399	-15
THIRUVANANTHAP URAM	7,485	9,244	-19
THRISSUR	6,967	8,433	-17
KOZHIKODE	5,643	6,545	-14
KOTTAYAM	4,528	5,194	-13
KOLLAM	4,013	5,018	-20
AIZAWAL WEST	3,858	4,782	-19
KANNUR	3,468	4,215	-18
MALAPPURAM	3,303	5,040	-34
IDUKKI	3,094	3,594	-14

COVID-19: STATUS ACROSS STATES

In the week (13-19 October), as compared to previous week (6-12 October), four states have shown an increase in cases while thirty-one states have shown a decline in cases.



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- In **Delhi**, the government is scaling up oxygen supply including storage capacity and installation of new oxygen plants
- In **Haryana**, Vaccination camps were set up during Dusshera/ Navratri festival at Devi Temples and Ram leela pandals and COVID-19 vaccine program continues to be State priority.

WHO GLOBAL UPDATE

- WHO has announced proposed members of the WHO Scientific Advisory Group for the Origins of Novel <u>Pathogens (SAGO)</u>. The SAGO will advise WHO on the development of a global framework to define and guide studies into the origins of emerging and re-emerging pathogens of epidemic and pandemic potential, including SARS-CoV-2, details here
- WHO published the <u>World Health Organization's 2021 Global TB report</u> which highlighted the impact of COVID-19 on TB elimination efforts. The report impressed upon that the pandemic has reversed years of global progress in tackling tuberculosis and for the first time in over a decade, TB deaths have increased, details here
- WHO's 7 policy recommendations on building resilient health systems. This position paper on building health systems resilience towards UHC and health security during COVID-19 and beyond aimed to reinforce the urgent need for renewed and heightened national and global commitment to make countries better prepared and health systems resilient against all forms of public health threats, details here
- WHO and Psyon Games have joined hands to launch a new tower defense game called the Antidote COVID -19
 to turn complex, scientific information into a fun learning experience. During the course of the game, players
 will learn about their immune system, pathogens, vaccines and how to protect themselves from COVID -19.,
 details here

WHO COUNTRY UPDATE

Coordination

- Continuous monitoring by WHO is ongoing for COVID-19 epidemiological trends using a warning level dashboard with predefined indicators and thresholds and sharing the information with NCDC and states/UTs health authorities.
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- WHO officials of various States continue to participate in meetings on current response, third wave preparations, vaccination; chaired by Chief Ministers, Health Ministers, Chief and/or Health Secretaries, MDs-NHM, etc
- Providing support in implementation of "Mask for All" campaign in **Mizoram**.

COVID-19 vaccination

- Technical oversight during vaccination is provided by WHO teams at district and state levels.
- WCO is supporting monitoring of vaccination sessions across the country and continues to provide surge support for training, microplanning and monitoring.
- Supported **Assam** state with "Pre-Puja" mega COVID-19 vaccination drive.

Surveillance, Contact Tracing and Containment

• Country office continues to provide technical support for COVID-19 containment activities in **Uttar Pradesh**; also provided supportive supervision to monitor contact tracing; identify containment zones and sharing regular feedback with government health officials on regular basis.



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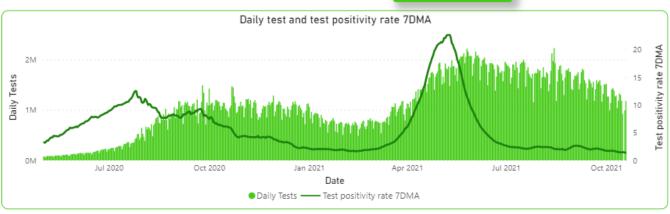
Support in ensuring delivery of Essential Health Services

- Providing technical support to strengthen VPD surveillance and immunization are underway in Jammu & Kashmir.
- Supporting launch of JE vaccine in Assam

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Testing - National Level





India continued to drive COVID-19 vaccinations among various age group with preconditions, details here.

Cumulative Coverage Report of COVID-19 vaccination (as on 20 October 2021, 07:00 AM)



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1 st Dose	2 nd Dose	Total Doses	
70,11,44,631	29,01,37,652	99,12,82,283	
18,62,421 in last 24 Hours	22,73,721 in last 24 hours	41,36,142 in last 24 Hours	

IMPORTANT GUIDELINES/TECHNICAL PUBLICATIONS

- Building health systems resilience for universal health coverage and health security during the COVID-19 pandemic and beyond: WHO position paper (LINK); A brief on the WHO position (LINK)
- An overview of infodemic management during COVID-19, January 2020—May 2021 (LINK)

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HIGHLIGHTS

- Prime Minister inaugurates 9 Medical Colleges in Uttar Pradesh (<u>Link</u>)
- Centre rushes multi-disciplinary team to Kanpur, Uttar Pradesh to investigate a case of Zika Virus Disease. (Link)
- Union Minister for Minority Affairs asserts that selection process of Haj
 pilgrims will be done in accordance with guidelines and criteria decided by
 Indian and Saudi Arabia Governments and keeping in view COVID-19
 protocols (Link)
- India achieves the major milestone of 'one billion' vaccinations (<u>Link</u>)

WHO Situation Update
India

34,202,202 Confirmed Cases 455,068 Total Deaths

South East Asia Region 43,854,907 Confirmed Cases 689,697 Total Deaths

World

243,857,028 Confirmed Cases 4,953,246 Deaths

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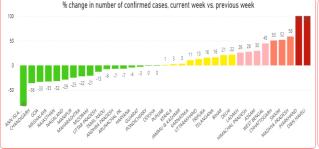
• As of 26 October 2021, India reported a total of 3,42,02,202 confirmed cases. In the past 24 hours, 12,428 confirmed cases have been reported, this is lowest cases on a single day after the second wave. Top five states, namely, Maharashtra, Kerala, Karnataka, Tamil Nadu, and Andhra Pradesh contribute 56% of total cases.

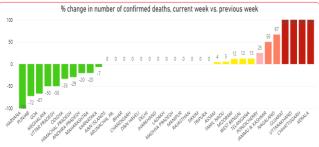
In comparison to previous week (13-19 October), less than 30% of districts have shown an increase in new cases during last week (20-26 October). Additionally, amongst the top ten districts reporting highest number of cases during last week six have shown increase in number of cases

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ERNAKULAM	9,697	8,888	9
THIRUVANANTHAP URAM	8,319	7,485	11
THRISSUR	6,643	6,967	-5
KOZHIKODE	5,364	5,643	-5
KOLLAM	4,786	4,013	19
KOTTAYAM	4,712	4,528	4
IDUKKI	3,467	3,094	12
MALAPPURAM	3,287	3,303	0
PATHANAMTHITTA	3,168	2,749	15
KANNUR	3,155	3,468	-9

COVID-19: STATUS ACROSS STATES

In the last week (20-27 October), as compared to previous week (13-19 October), 18 States/ UTs have recorded rise in number new cases while 12 States/UTs have reported increase in number of deaths.





- The 'State AEFI Technical Collaboration Centre' in **Delhi**, was inaugurated by the Directorate of Family Welfare, GNCT Delhi and Maulana Azad Medical College in the presence of all stakeholders from National AEFI technical Team and WHO-NPSP Delhi.
- In Uttar Pradesh, CM released a study conducted by IIT Kanpur on effective COVID 19 management module.



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Estimation of warning levels (as on 25 Oct. 2021):

Indicator	Level 4: Extreme Risk	Level 3: High Risk	Level 2: Medium Risk	Level 1: Lower Risk
Cases per million per week ²	≥ 500	200 < 500	100 < 200	< 100
% change in weekly cases ³	≥ 100%	50 – 99%	1 < 50%	≤ 0%
Test positivity rate (7 DMA) 4	≥ 5%	2- <5%	1- <2 %	< 1%

Note: Over all warning level assigned when any one of the three indicators is above the highest value for that category. Warning levels are triggers to a lert and assess the situation closely- testing, vaccination, health systems capacity, variants in circulation and public health & social measures (PHSMs) in place. Level-2 & Level-4 only applied when 10 or more cases reported in previous week; otherwise in Level-2. As daily testing data are not consistently a vailable for all districts, State level TPR is used in the calculation of district waring levels.

- Most of the States and Districts are in warning Level-1; all districts of Mizoram and Kerala are in level-4.
- There are 51 Districts in warning level-4 and 71 Districts in level-3.

WHO GLOBAL UPDATE

- The Steering Committee of the International Year of Health and Care Workers, in coordination with WHO issued
 a joint statement expressing deep concern about the number of deaths, the overall low rate of vaccinations
 and the vaccines inequities among health and care workers in low- and middle-income countries, details here
- WHO reiterated that countries must adapt and innovate to mitigate COVID-19 disruptions of services for neglected tropical diseases (NTDs), details <u>here</u>
- WHO, World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) and WTO launched an update of the extract "Integrated health, trade and IP approach to respond to the COVID-19 pandemic", details health, trade and IP approach to respond to the COVID-19 pandemic", details health/h
- WHO issued statement on the ninth meeting of the International Health Regulations (2005) Emergency Committee regarding the coronavirus disease (COVID-19) pandemic, details here
- WHO, UNESCO and UNDP in collaboration with University of Texas-Austin and the Knight Center for Journalism in the Americas, developed a course curriculum for journalists on pandemic media coverage, details <a href="https://example.com/hereita/h

WHO COUNTRY UPDATE

Coordination

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- WHO officials of various States participated in meetings on the current response, third wave preparations, vaccination; chaired by Chief Ministers, Health Ministers, Chief and/or Health Secretaries, MDs – NHM.
- Supported establishment of State AEFI Technical Collaboration Centre in Department of Community Medicine, Maulana Azad Medical College, **Delhi**.

COVID-19 vaccination

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- WCO is supporting monitoring of vaccination sessions across the country and continues to provide surge support for training, microplanning and monitoring.

Surveillance, Contact Tracing and Containment

• WHO Country office provided technical support and supportive supervision to monitor contact tracing; identify containment zones for COVID-19 containment activities in **Uttar Pradesh** and provided feedback to the government health officials..



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Support in ensuring delivery of Essential Health Services

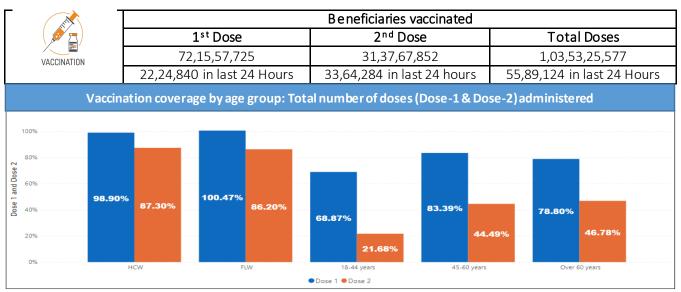
- Strengthening and streamlining AEFI surveillance in **Chhattisgarh**, **Madhya Pradesh**, **Gujarat**, **Maharashtra**, **Andhra Pradesh**, and **Telangana**.
- Supporting urban area microplanning for essential immunization in **Delhi**.

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Cumulative Coverage Report of COVID-19 vaccination (as on 27 October 2021, 07:00 AM)



IMPORTANT GUIDELINES/TECHNICAL PUBLICATIONS

- Coadministration of seasonal inactivated influenza and COVID-19 vaccines (LINK)
- Annexes to the recommendations for use of the Sinovac-CoronaVac vaccine against COVID-19: Grading of
 evidence, Evidence to recommendation tables (<u>LINK</u>), recommendations for use of Sinovac (<u>LINK</u>)
- Algorithm for 'Guidelines for International Arrivals' (<u>LINK</u>), List of Countries to be referred to in context of 'Guidelines for international arrivals' (<u>LINK</u>), Guidelines for International Arrivals (<u>LINK</u>)
- National comprehensive guidelines for management of post COVID seguelae (LINK)

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