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WHO has declared the recent Novel Corona Virus (2019-nCoV) epidemic as Public Health Emergency of International Concern(PHEIC). Till date it has affected 27countries with majority of them in China, Japan, Singapore, Thailand and South Korea. Worldwide a total of 77,659 cases from which 20,795 recovered and 2,360 deaths have been reported so far. Most of the deaths are from China. In India, total 3 cases have come positive so far. All the three cases are from Kerala.

In the State, 681 persons are under observation. Out of which 668 persons with travel history to China are asymptomatic and 13 Patients from districts Ambala, Gurugram, Hisar, Kaithal, Karnal, Panchkula, Rohtak and Sirsa were admitted out of which 10 Patients have been discharged as their result is negative for nCOV, however they are still under Surveillance at home as per protocol. One patient from each district Ambala, Gurugram and Kaithal is admitted.

Till date, 25 Samples have been sent for testing, all have been found negative for nCOV.

District-wise list of person who are under observation is as under:

Name of the district	Helpline No.	Number of Passengers from china under observation	Number of passengersasymptom atic under home isolation	No. of symptomatic passengers hospitalized till date	Discharged till date	No of symptomatic passengers hospitalized today	No. of Sample taken today	Cumulative Samples	Report Positive/ Negative/Awaited
Ambala	01712556284, 9813059474	101	100	1	0	0	0	1	Negative
Bhiwani	7027847102	25	25	0	0	0	0	0	
CharkhiDadari	7015058611	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Faridabad	0129241563, 9818197232	16	16	0	0	0	0	2	2 Negative
Fatehabad	01667297291	12	12	0	0	0	0	1	Negative
Gurugram	01242322412, 9911519296	85	82	3	2	0	0	3	3 Negative
Hisar	01662278113, 9817657605	40	39	1	1	0	0	1	Negative
Jhajjar	01251297221, 7027813976	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	
Jind	9416139660	30	30	0	0	0	0	0	
Kaithal	9896317010	30	29	1	0	0	0	1	Negative
Karnal	01844076099, 9466124730	86	83	3	3	0	0	3	3 Negative
Kurukshetra	01744259285	77	77	0	0	0	0	0	
Nuh	9416012195	9	9	0	0	0	0	1	Negative
Narnaul	9416237358	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Panchkula	9779494643,	16	14	2	2	0	0	4	4 negative

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Palwal	01275240022	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	
Panipat	01802640255, 108	42	42	0	0	0	0	1	Negative
Rewari	9416349426	6	6	0	0	0	0	5	5 Negative
Rohtak	9416479377	16	15	1	1	0	0	1	Negative
Sirsa	01666241155	32	31	1	1	0	0	1	Negative
Sonepat	01302231932, 102	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	
Yamunanagar	7027823288, 7027972089	48	48	0	0	0	0	0	
Total		681	668	13	10	0	0	25	25 Negative

^{*}Surveillance completed – 222 passengers

National Helpline number: 011-23978046 State helpline Number: 8558893911

In this context, Haryana State has strengthened the Surveillance and Control measures against the disease. State Helpline 8558893911 is functional, 92 calls received till date. Further, Self Declaration forms, for the passengers with travel history from China after 1st January, are available at Haryana health website i.e.haryanahealth.nic.in.These declaration forms are also being made available at Common Service Centers in the State. Health posts have been established at major tolls on highways in the State.

Regarding Isolation ward, it is stated that a total of 151 (Govt-54+97 Private) Hospital with 685 beds (270 –Government +415 private) have been demarcated for isolation and other management measures. In addition to above, Pt B.D.S. PGIMS, Rohtak has been designated as Tertiary Care Centre for treatment of critical patients. Dr. Dhruv Choudhary, HOD-Pulmonary and Critical Care department has been designated as the nodal Person from Pt. BDSPGIMS, Rohtak.

State is doing wide publicity regarding the activities being conducted for the active Surveillance of Corona virus with all Dos and Don't. On dated 31st Jan and 8th Feb 2020 advertisement was published in the leading News Papers in Hindi and English forawareness of General Public. Pamphlets are being distributed in the community for awareness by Health Workers. Health talks are being organized at Schools and Colleges. All Districts hada detailed meeting with IMA to sensitize and take them on Board for preparedness in this regard. Deputy Commissioners are reviewing preparedness on regular basis at district level.

In the background of the present nCorona Virus outbreak, the general public is advised to adhere to health advisories issued by the State Government. Public should follow the cough etiquette by covering the nose and mouth using handkerchief/towel while sneezing/coughing, do frequent handwashing with soap and water. Those who have travelled recently from the corona affected countries should inform at National/State/District helpline number and remain under strict home isolation for 28 days from the date of arrival in India, irrespective of whether they are symptomatic or asymptomatic. Those who have travelled Wuhan-China since 15th January 2020 onwards must get themselves tested for nCoV at Government designated centers.

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