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***Media Bulletin on COVID-19, Dated- 22/03/2020***

World Health Organization (WHO) has recently declared the Novel Corona virus, COVID-19 as Pandemic. Till now it has affected 185 countries, infecting 267,013 people and caused 11,201 deaths. Most severely affected countries are China, Italy, Iran, South Korea, Spain, Germany & U.K. Till date in India, it has infected 324 people including 41 foreign nationals and caused 5 deaths.

In order to contain the spread of the virus, Haryana Government has strengthened the surveillance and control measures against the disease.

**The Detailed Status of Surveillance Activity for COVID-19 as on 22<sup>nd</sup> March, 2020 is as given below:**

<b>Cumulative number of passengers/ persons put on surveillance till date</b>	<b>7733</b>
<b>Cumulative number of passengers/ persons who have completed surveillance period of 28 days</b>	<b>616</b>
<b>Total no. of passengers/persons who are currently under surveillance</b>	<b>7117</b>
<b>Total number of passengers/person currently hospitalized</b>	<b>67</b>
<b>Total Number of Samples Sent</b>	<b>256</b>
<b>Total Number of Samples found Negative</b>	<b>132</b>
<b>Total number of samples found positive</b>	<b>12*</b>
<b>Total Number of Samples - Result Awaited</b>	<b>114</b>

\* Two samples taken at Delhi

**Major Activities undertaken by the State of Haryana to control the spread of COVID-19**

- State Helpline no. 8558893911 and 108 launched which are available for 24\*7 days.
- The State has notified COVID- 19 and regulations has been issued on dated 11.03.2020.
- All sort of gatherings of 20 or more people are banned till 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2020

- The persons who are in Quarantine and in Isolation are being stamped on hand.
- Advisory to remain indoor issued for Senior Citizens excluding public representative, Govt. Servants & Medical professionals.
- Two labs at PGIMS, Rohtak and BPS Khanpur Kalan, have been designated for testing of COVID-19.
- Pt B.D.S. PGIMS, Rohtak has been designated as Tertiary Care Centre for treatment of critical suspects and Dr. Dhruv Choudhary, HOD-Pulmonary & Critical Care department has been designated as the nodal officer.
- In view of evolving situation of COVID-19 Govt. of Haryana has locked down 7 districts i.e. Faridabad, Gurugram, Jhajjar, Panipat, Panchkula, Rohtak and Sonapat under the provision of epidemic disease act.
- The instructions have been issued to postpone elective surgeries including dental procedures till 31<sup>st</sup> March 2020 to the extent possible.
- The instructions have been issued for OPD of Dermatology (Skin) Eye, Orthopedics, Surgery, Physiotherapy, Psychiatry and Dental etc. will be closed till 31<sup>st</sup> March 2020 but OPD of Gynecology, Pediatrics, Medicine/Chest etc. is to be continued.
- The instructions have been issued for Pharmacy Counters to be increased and Queue Management System to be followed by engaging Indian Red Cross Volunteers.
- Regular IEC activities regarding COVID-19 are being done.
- Isolation wards and Quarantine facilities are established as given below:
  - ✓ 327 isolation wards with capacity of 2472 beds.
  - ✓ Quarantine facility with 1494 rooms/dormitories with 6013 Persons accommodation capacity.

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#### Today's Update (22<sup>nd</sup> March 2020)

- Till date total 12 cases have been reported Positive. (Gurgaon 8, Faridabad 1, Panipat 1, Panchkula 1 and Sonapat 1)

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