





State Control Room, Directorate of Public Health and Preventive Medicine Health and Family Welfare Department, Government of Tamil Nadu

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Daily report on Public Health measures taken for COVID-19

S.No	Description	Details
1	Number of COVID 10 testing facilities	335 (69 Govt+
T	Number of COVID -19 testing facilities	266 Private)
2	Number of active cases till yesterday	873
3	Number of persons tested positive today	70
4	Number of COVID-19 positive patients discharged	146
4	following treatment today	146
5	Total number of deaths today	1
6	Number of active cases as on today	796









s.no	COVID-19 STATISTICS	DETAILS
1	Number of active cases on date (Including isolation)	796
2	Number of persons tested positive today in Tamil Nadu	70
3	Total Number of persons tested positive till date	34,52,215
4	Total Number of samples tested by RT-PCR today/ till date*	37,406/
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5	Total Number of Degree togated by DT DCD today / till date	37,357/
3	Total Number of Persons tested by RT-PCR today/ till date	6,39,80,277
6	No. of Male / Female / Transgender tested positive today	34/36/0
7	No. of Male / Female / Transgender tested positive till date	20,14,856/14,37,321/38
8	Number of functioning COVID -19 testing facilities in Tamil Nadu	335 (69 Govt+ 266 Private)
9	Number of COVID-19 positive patients discharged following	146/
	treatment today/ till date	34,13,394
10	Total number of deaths today/ till date	1(1 Private & 0 Govt) /38,025

^{*}Tamil Nadu doesn't use Rapid Antigen Diagnostic Tests (RADT).

WGS is done to identify SARS-CoV-2 variants as a part of ongoing surveillance only on a sample of cases as per INSACOG guidelines and these results will be shared separately from time to time as and when updated, as these results are not expected on day to day basis.

[®]There may be a difference in number of sample tested given here in the media bulletin and the ICMR portal in view of time-lag between test conducted, results declared that are shared in real time basis by the labs to the state and the districts and the time taken for the data updation in the ICMR portal.

District-wise abstract of cases including active cases, discharges and death * on 17/03/2022

	17/03/2022				•	
S1. No	District	Persons under Treatment including Home Treatment till yesterday	New Cases Today	Cases Discharged Today	Death	Persons under Treatment including Home Treatment as on today
1	Ariyalur	0	0	0	0	0
2	Chengalpattu	83	11	14	0	80
3	Chennai	298	20	48	0	270
4	Coimbatore	101	5	17	0	89
5	Cuddalore	11	0	1	1	9
6	Dharmapuri	16	1	0	0	17
7	Dindigul	5	0	1	0	4
8	Erode	18	3	2	0	19
9	Kallakurichi	5	1	0	0	6
10	Kancheepuram	34	2	4	0	32
11	Kanyakumari	13	3	7	0	9
12	Karur	1	0	1	0	0
13	Krishnagiri	13	2	0	0	15
14	Madurai	9	0	2	0	7
15	Mayiladuthurai	0	0	0	0	0
16	Nagapattinam	3	0	0	0	3
17	Namakkal	7	1	0	0	8
18	Nilgiris	36	1	6	0	31
19	Perambalur	1	0	0	0	1
20	Pudukottai	6	0	1	0	5
21	Ramanathapuram	9	1	1	0	9
22	Ranipet	2	0	1	0	1
23	Salem	11	1	2	0	10
24	Sivagangai	9	0	2	0	7
25	Tenkasi	6	1	1	0	6
26	Thanjavur	19	4	2	0	21
27	Theni	4	1	1	0	4
28	Thirupathur	5	0	1	0	4
29	Thiruvallur	26	2	5	0	23
30	Thiruvannamalai	9	2	1	0	10
31	Thiruvarur	6	0	2	0	4
32	Thoothukudi	5	3	1	0	7
33	Tirunelveli	13	0	2	0	11
34	Tiruppur	22	0	5	0	17
35	Trichy	18	0	6	0	12
36	Vellore	33	4	8	0	29
37	Villupuram	0	0	0	0	0
38	Virudhunagar	12	1	1	0	12
39	Airport Surveillance (International)	4	0	0	0	4
40	Airport Surveillance (Domestic)	0	0	0	0	0
41	Railway Surveillance	0	0	0	0	0
	Grand Total	873	70	146	1	796

^{*}The district-wise active cases and discharges will vary with yesterday's bulletin due to cross notification.

District wise abstract of COVID-19 positive cases* (17/03/2022)

S1.		Indigenou	ıs Cases	Cases Imported Cases		Total
No	District	Till	On	Till	On	cases till
		16.03.2022	17.03.2022	16.03.2022	17.03.2022	Date
1	Ariyalur	19863	0	20	0	19883
2	Chengalpattu	235340	11	5	0	235356
3	Chennai	750765	20	48	0	750833
4	Coimbatore	329828	5	51	0	329884
5	Cuddalore	74037	0	203	0	74240
6	Dharmapuri	35974	1	216	0	36191
7	Dindigul	37397	0	77	0	37474
8	Erode	132567	3	94	0	132664
9	Kallakurichi	36116	1	404	0	36521
10	Kancheepuram	94364	2	4	0	94370
11	Kanyakumari	86075	3	126	0	86204
12	Karur	29705	0	47	0	29752
13	Krishnagiri	59380	2	244	0	59626
14	Madurai	90855	0	174	0	91029
15	Mayiladuthurai	26457	0	39	0	26496
16	Nagapattinam	25386	0	54	0	25440
17	Namakkal	67884	1	112	0	67997
18	Nilgiris	42064	1	44	0	42109
19	Perambalur	14458	0	3	0	14461
20	Pudukottai	34427	0	35	0	34462
21	Ramanathapuram	24537	1	135	0	24673
22	Ranipet	53863	0	49	0	53912
23	Salem	126916	1	438	0	127355
24	Sivagangai	23701	0	117	0	23818
25	Tenkasi	32685	1	58	0	32744
26	Thanjavur	92101	4	22	0	92127
27	Theni	50552	1	45	0	50598
28	Thirupathur	35614	0	118	0	35732
29	Thiruvallur	147414	2	10	0	147426
30	Thiruvannamalai	66405	2	399	0	66806
31	Thiruvarur	47971	0	38	0	48009
32	Thoothukudi	64671	3	275	0	64949
33	Tirunelveli	62334	0	427	0	62761
34	Tiruppur	129899	0	16	0	129915
35	Trichy	94861	0	72	0	94933
36	Vellore	54955	4	2322	0	57281
37	Villupuram	54406	0	174	0	54580
38	Virudhunagar	56721	1	104	0	56826
	Airport	331.42			J	2223
39	Surveillance	0	0	1246	0	1246
	(International)			, -		
	Airport					
40	Surveillance	0	0	1104	0	1104
	(Domestic)					
41	Railway	0	0	428	0	428
41	Surveillance	0			0	
	Grand Total	34,42,548	70	9,597	0	34,52,215

^{*}Note: Figures are reconciled to the respective districts based on detailed epidemiological investigation.

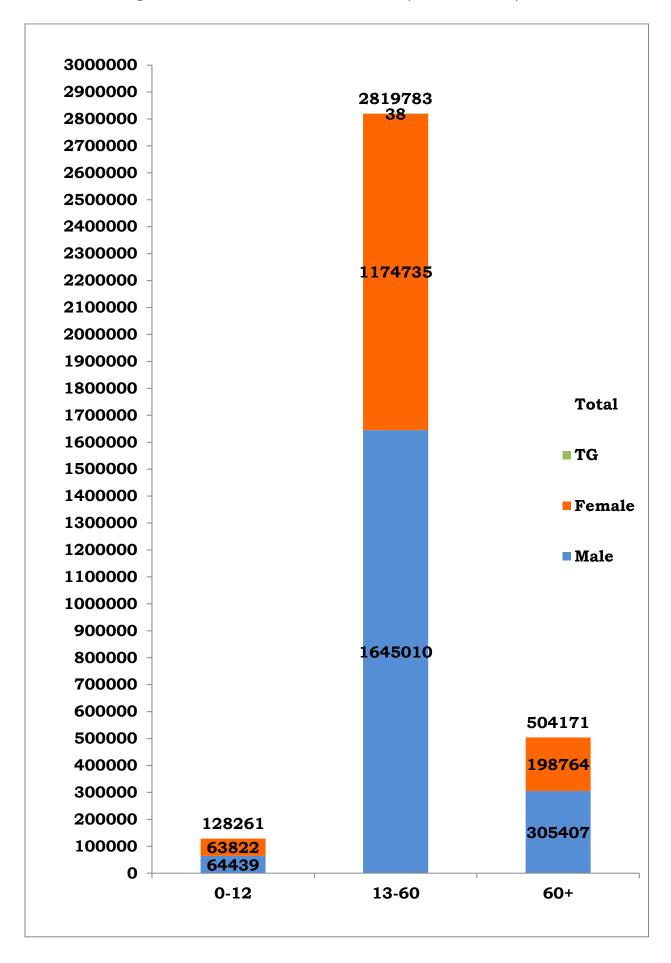
District wise Positivity rate as per RT-PCR monitoring report as on 16/03/2022

S1. No	District	Positive	Tested	Positivity
1	Ariyalur	0	377	0.0
2	Chengalpattu	12	2038	0.6
3	Chennai	23	4025	0.6
4	Coimbatore	7	1615	0.4
5	Cuddalore	1	630	0.2
6	Dharmapuri	2	631	0.3
7	Dindigul	1	1551	0.1
8	Erode	1	727	0.1
9	Kallakurichi	1	515	0.2
10	Kancheepuram	2	2272	0.1
11	Kanyakumari	0	867	0.0
12	Karur	0	878	0.0
13	Krishnagiri	1	474	0.2
14	Madurai	1	2008	0.0
15	Mayiladuthurai	0	356	0.0
16	Nagapattinam	1	1539	0.1
17	Namakkal	0	1311	0.0
18	Nilgiris	4	788	0.5
19	Perambalur	0	284	0.0
20	Pudukottai	0	673	0.0
21	Ramanathapuram	1	527	0.2
22	Ranipet	0	215	0.0
23	Salem	0	1136	0.0
24	Sivagangai	0	524	0.0
25	Tenkasi	0	229	0.0
26	Thanjavur	4	774	0.5
27	Theni	0	293	0.0
28	Thirupathur	2	670	0.3
29	Thiruvallur	2	846	0.2
30	Thiruvannamalai	0	1001	0.0
31	Thiruvarur	0	829	0.0
32	Thoothukudi	0	665	0.0
33	Tirunelveli	0	408	0.0
34	Tiruppur	0	1009	0.0
35	Trichy	4	1370	0.3
36	Vellore	2	1313	0.2
37	Villupuram	0	341	0.0
38	Virudhunagar	0	391	0.0
	Grand Total	72	36,100*	0.2

^{*}Sample tested figure is based on address furnished at the time of test/sample given to the lab.

Actual District figure may have variation depending on field verification and cross notification if any.

Age and Sex distribution till date (17/03/2022)



Tamil Nadu COVID 19 - District Wise Case Details* (17/03/2022)

S1. No	District	Total Positive Cases	Discharged	Active Cases	Death
1	Ariyalur	19883	19616	0	267
2	Chengalpattu	235356	232618	80	2658
3	Chennai	750833	741495	270	9068
4	Coimbatore	329884	327178	89	2617
5	Cuddalore	74240	73336	9	895
6	Dharmapuri	36191	35891	17	283
7	Dindigul	37474	36805	4	665
8	Erode	132664	131911	19	734
9	Kallakurichi	36521	36300	6	215
10	Kancheepuram	94370	93036	32	1302
11	Kanyakumari	86204	85110	9	1085
12	Karur	29752	29380	0	372
13	Krishnagiri	59626	59241	15	370
14	Madurai	91029	89786	7	1236
15	Mayiladuthurai	26496	26166	0	330
16	Nagapattinam	25440	25062	3	375
17	Namakkal	67997	67455	8	534
18	Nilgiris	42109	41852	31	226
19	Perambalur	14461	14211	1	249
20	Pudukottai	34462	34031	5	426
21	Ramanathapuram	24673	24296	9	368
22	Ranipet	53912	53124	1	787
23	Salem	127355	125583	10	1762
24	Sivagangai	23818	23592	7	219
25	Tenkasi	32744	32248	6	490
26	Thanjavur	92127	91067	21	1039
27	Theni	50598	50061	4	533
28	Thirupathur	35732	35095	4	633
29	Thiruvallur	147426	145464	23	1939
30	Thiruvannamalai	66806	66111	10	685
31	Thiruvarur	48009	47533	4	472
32	Thoothukudi	64949	64494	7	448
33	Tirunelveli	62761	62305	11	445
34	Tiruppur	129915	128846	17	1052
35	Trichy	94933	93760	12	1161
36	Vellore	57281	56089	29	1163
37	Villupuram	54580	54214	0	366
38	Virudhunagar	56826	56260	12	554
39	Airport Surveillance (International)	1246	1241	4	1
40	Airport Surveillance (Domestic)	1104	1103	0	1
41	Railway Surveillance	428	428	0	0
	Grand Total	34,52,215	34,13,394	796	38,025

^{*}Note: Figures are reconciled to the respective districts based on detailed epidemiological investigation.

	COVID 19 BEI) VAC	NCY I	ETAIL	SIN	CHC /	CDH	AS ON	17/03	/202	2
	Bed Occupancy strictwise as of - 17/03/2022	Earma	rked COV	/ID beds	Toda	y's Occu	pancy		Today's	Vacancy	
S.No	District	O2 Beds	Non O2 Beds	ICU	02 Beds	Non O2 Beds	ICU Beds	02 Beds	Non O2 Beds	ICU Beds	Total Vacant Beds
1	Ariyalur	465	73	73	5	0	0	460	73	73	606
2	Chengalpattu	2112	2235	653	0	3	2	2112	2232	651	4995
3	Chennai	7739	3428	1812	16	15	6	7723	3413	1806	12942
4	Coimbatore	3647	2545	906	5	10	2	3642	2535	904	7081
5	Cuddalore	945	560	161	0	4	0	945	556	161	1662
6	Dharmapuri	258	259	160	0	0	1	258	259	159	676
7	Dindigul	787	817	189	1	2	0	786	815	189	1790
8	Erode	1402	871	341	5	8	0	1397	863	341	2601
9	Kallakurichi	217	147	49	1	0	0	216	147	49	412
10	Kancheepuram	1420	1238	166	8	0	0	1412	1238	166	2816
11	Kanyakumari	876	948	251	0	2	0	876	946	251	2073
12	Karur	905	182	97	0	0	0	905	182	97	1184
13	Krishnagiri	860	241	179	0	0	0	860	241	179	1280
14	Madurai	2239	957	686	2	10	2	2237	947	684	3868
15	Mayiladuthurai	385	205	23	3	2	0	382	203	23	608
16	Nagapattinam	294	178	48	2	0	1	292	178	47	517
17	Namakkal	878	432	172	0	0	0	878	432	172	1482
18	Nilgiris	453	179	76	1	2	0	452	177	76	705
19	Perambalur	245	505	70	0	0	0	245	505	70	820
20	Pudukottai	510	533	112	4	0	0	506	533	112	1151
21	Ramanathapuram	506	456	92	1	0	0	505	456	92	1053
22	Ranipet	468	238	18	0	0	0	468	238	18	724
23	Salem	1759	1170	503	9	0	1	1750	1170	502	3422
24	Sivagangai	791	567	130	1	3	1	790	564	129	1483
25	Tenkasi	203	175	44	0	1	0	203	174	44	421
26	Thanjavur	1019	1000	368	2	4	0	1017	996	368	2381
27	Theni	1030	346	116	0	0	0	1030	346	116	1492
28	Thirupathur	547	229	56	1	0	0	546	229	56	831
29	Thiruvallur	1255	841	253	5	0	0	1250	841	253	2344
30	Thiruvannamalai	581	131	110	0	0	0	581	131	110	822
31	Thiruvarur	529	367	178	0	0	2	529	367	176	1072
32	Thoothukudi	742	230	182	1	4	0	741	226	182	1149
33	Tirunelveli	350	554	114	1	0	1	349	554	113	1016
34	Tiruppur	967	650	307	14	0	0	953	650	307	1910
35	Trichy	1611	869	407	1	2	0	1610	867	407	2884
36	Vellore	656	336	124	2	2	1	654	334	123	1111
37	Villupuram	317	173	97	1	0	0	316	173	97	586
38	Virudhunagar	893	394	188	0	4	0	893	390	188	1471
	Grand Total	40861	25259	9511	92	78	20	40769	25181	9491	75441#
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*Source - https://tncovidbeds.tnega.org/

[#]The bed vacancies are communicated dynamically time to time from Districts

S.No	Bed Occupancy Districtwise as of - 17/03/2022	Earmarked COVID beds in CCC	Today's Occupancy	Today's Vacancy
1	Ariyalur	1088	0	1088
2	Chengalpattu	2030	0	2030
3	Chennai	1212	0	1212
4	Coimbatore	4883	0	4883
5	Cuddalore	2107	0	2107
6	Dharmapuri	600	0	600
7	Dindigul	751	0	751
8	Erode	250	0	250
9	Kallakurichi	1540	0	1540
10	Kancheepuram	1513	0	1513
11	Kanyakumari	270	0	270
12	Karur	501	0	501
13	Krishnagiri	480	0	480
14	Madurai	125	0	125
15	Mayiladuthurai	185	0	185
16	Nagapattinam	267	0	267
17	Namakkal	400	0	400
18	Nilgiris	237	0	237
19	Perambalur	443	0	443
20	Pudukottai	1090	0	1090
21	Ramanathapuram	740	0	740
22	Ranipet	1366	0	1366
23	Salem	1344	0	1344
24	Sivagangai	340	0	340
25	Tenkasi	267	0	267
26	Thanjavur	1916	0	1916
27	Theni	1540	0	1540
28	Thirupathur	575	0	575
29	Thiruvallur	720	0	720
30	Thiruvannamalai	290	0	290
31	Thiruvarur	909	0	909
32	Thoothukudi	754	0	754
33	Tirunelveli	1184	0	1184
34	Tiruppur	205	0	205
35	Trichy	2435	0	2435
36	Vellore	2254	0	2254
37	Villupuram	140	0	140
38	Virudhunagar	184	0	184
	Grand Total	37135	0	37135 [#]

ABSTRACT OF FUNCTIONAL ICCC AS ON 17/03/2022					
S.No	District	No Of ICCC functional	Total ICCC Beds available	Beds occupied	
1	Ariyalur	6	180	0	
2	Chengalpattu	8	240	0	
3	Coimbatore	13	315	0	
4	Cuddalore	13	390	0	
5	Dharmapuri	8	240	0	
6	Dindigul	14	396	0	
7	Erode	14	420	0	
8	Kallakurichi	9	270	0	
9	Kancheepuram	6	128	0	
10	Kanyakumari	9	270	0	
11	Karur	8	240	0	
12	Krishnagiri	10	300	0	
13	Madurai	13	390	0	
14	Mayiladuthurai	5	150	0	
15	Nagapattinam	6	180	0	
16	Namakkal	15	450	0	
17	Nilgiris	4	120	0	
18	Perambalur	5	126	0	
19	Pudukottai	13	390	0	
20	Ramanathapuram	11	330	0	
21	Ranipet	7	210	0	
22	Salem	21	630	0	
23	SivagangaI	12	345	0	
24	Tenkasi	10	271	0	
25	Thanjavur	14	420	0	
26	Theni	8	240	0	
27	Thirupathur	6	180	0	
28	Thiruvallur	14	420	0	
29	Thiruvannamalai	18	540	0	
30	Thiruvarur	10	180	0	
31	Thoothukudi	12	360	0	
32	Tirunelveli	9	270	0	
33	Tiruppur	13	390	0	
34	Trichy	14	420	0	
35	Vellore	7	180	0	
36	Villupuram	13	195	0	
37	Virudhunagar	12	345	0	
	Grand Total	390	11121#	0	

*Source - https://tncovidbeds.tnega.org/

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* ICCC-Interim Covid Care Centre

COVID-19 Positive Deaths without comorbidities

Type of health Facility	No comorbidities*
Government - DME	0
Government - DMS	0
Private	0
Other Government Institutions (like Railway Hospitals, ESI hospitals)	0
Total	0

COVID-19 Positive Deaths due to Comorbidities

Type of health Facility	With comorbidities*
Government - DME	0
Government - DMS	0
Private	1
Other Government Institutions (like Railway Hospitals, ESI hospitals)	0
Total	1

^{*} Pre-existing 'morbidity' or Chronic Disease, is co-existing morbidity or 'co-morbidity'

COVID-19 Positive Deaths without comorbidities - Total: Nil

COVID-19 Positive Deaths due to comorbidities - Total: 1

Death in Private health facilities due to comorbidities

Death Case No. 38025 *

A 78 Years old Male from Cuddalore having COVID-19 RTPCR Positivity on 12.03.2022 with **CLD/CAD/DM/SHTN** admitted on 12.03.2022 at 06.25 PM in a private hospital, Chennai with Complaints of Difficulty in Breathing for 4 days, CT Chest-Defined Peripheral Patchy Ground Glass Opacities in the right middle lobe and left lingular lobe. CT Score 4/25 and 15% Lung Involvement CORADS-3. Died on 15.03.2022 at 09.26 AM due to **COVID-19 Pneumonia**.

* This includes deferred reconciled death reports received from Cuddalore related to earlier days.

Passengers entered Tamil Nadu by various routes till 16/03/2022

S. No.	Mode of travel	No. of Passengers	No. Positive
1	Airport - Domestic flights (Since 26.05.2020)	76,07,278	1,104
2	Airport - International Flights (Since 09.05.2020)	7,15,481	1,246
3	By train (Since 14.05.2020)	35,395	428
4	By road - Own vehicle (Since 19.05.2020)	3,62,358	6,794
5	By road – Bus (Since 19.05.2020)	41,416	
6	By Sea Ports (Since 01.06.2020)	2,447	34
	Total	87,64,375	9,606

Airport Surveillance upto 16/03/2022 (Domestic Flights)

S1.No.	Airport	No. of Flights arrived	No. of Passengers	No. Positive
1	Chennai	56,226	58,98,663	460
2	Coimbatore	8,764	9,97,347	370
3	Madurai	5,768	5,46,232	159
4	Trichy	2,725	1,65,036	115
	Total	73,483	76,07,278	1,104

Airport Surveillance details from 09/05/2020 to 16/03/2022							
S. No	Airport	Total	Persons tested	Under Process	Negative	Persons positive during Entry Screening	Persons positive during Exit screening
Chenn	ai Airport		1	1	1	1	1
1- 3466	Total No.Of Flights - 3466(From 09/05/2020 To 12/02/2022)	292096	291055	0	290725	330	299
3467	EY268 13/02/2022 (Abudhabi)	1	1	0	1		
3468	QR528 13/02/2022 (Doha)	52	52	0	52		
3469	EK542 13/02/2022 (Dubai)	4	4	0	4		
3470	G9471 13/02/2022 (Sharjah)	3	3	0	3		
3471	FZ475 13/02/2022 (Dubai)	8	8	0	8		
3472	BA035 13/02/2022 (London)	163	163	0	163		
3473	WY251 13/02/2022 (Muscat)	3	3	0	3		
3474	EK544 13/02/2022 (Dubai) G9473 13/02/2022	53	53	0	53		
3475	(Sharjah)	3	3	0	3		
3476	AI906 13/02/2022 (Dubai) 6E1409 13/02/2022	3	3	0	3		
3477	(Sharjah) 6E1204 13/02/2022	4	4	0	4		
3478	(Colombo) QR530 13/02/2022	3	3	0	3		
3479	(Doha) Sub Total	30 292426	30 291385	0 0	30 291055	330	299
Coimh	atore Airport	<i>474</i> 740	271000		271000		499
1 to 329	Total No. of Flights- 329(From 09/05/2020 to 11/03/2022)	41,788	20,871	0	20,852	19	10
330	G9 413 12/03/2022 (Sharjah)	211	5	0	5		
331	G9 413 13/03/2022 (Sharjah)	170	5	0	5		
332	TR 540 13/03/2022 (Singapore)	72	3	0	3		
333	G9 413 14/03/2022 (Sharjah)	164	4	0	4		
	Sub Total	42,405	20,888	0	20,869	19	10
Madur	ai Airport		Ţ	T	T	T	Γ
1 to 446	Total No Of Flights - 446(From 09/05/2020 To 14/03/2022)	58,150	27,728	0	27,697	31	28

Grand	Total	7,15,481	4,58,258	194	4,57,444	709	537
Flight						89	39
Sub Total 3,22 Other Airports & Chartered		3,22,109	1,18,246	190	1,17,816	240	161
2550	IX 694 16/03/2022 (Kuwait)	52	2	2			
2549	6E 35 16/03/2022 (Singapore)	177	11	11			
2548	IX 618 16/03/2022 (Sharjah)	141	29	29			
2547	UL 131 16/03/2022 (Colombo)	120	6	6			
2546	IX 681 16/03/2022 (Singapore)	126	7	7			
2545	IX 681 15/03/2022 (Singapore)	129	3	3			
2544	TR 564 15/03/2022 (Singapore)	149	5	5			
2543	IX 623 15/03/2022 (Kuala Lampur)	186	4	4			
2542	6E 1998 15/03/2022 (Dubai)	137	42	42			
2541	6E 1723 15/03/2022 (Doha)	144	3	3			
2540	IX 618 15/03/2022 (Sharjah)	86	22	22			
2539	6E 35 15/03/2022 (Singapore)	159	9	9			
2538	IX 612 15/03/2022 (Dubai)	148	44	44			
2537	UL 131 15/03/2022 (Colombo)	125	3	3			
1to 2536	Total No Of Flights - 2536(From 09/05/2020 To 14/03/2022)	3,20,230	1,18,056	0	1,17,816	240	161
Trichy	Airport	<u> </u>	,				
449	(Dubai) Sub Total	58,541	27,739	4	27,704	31	28
449	(Dubai) SG 721 17/03/2022	174	4	4			
448	(Dubai) SG 721 16/03/2022	108	3	0	3		
447	SG 721 15/03/2022	109	4	0	4		

Railway Station Surveillance details from 14/05/2020 to 16/03/2022

Total No. of trains No. of Passengers screened		No. Negative	No. Positive
42	35,374	34,946	428

Sea port surveillance up to 16/03/2022

S.No	Sea Port	No. of Ships arrived	No. of Passengers screened	No. Positive
1	Chennai	1	161	0
2	Thoothukudi	5	2286	34
	Total	6	2447	34

