

Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19)

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HIGHLIGHTS

- Ayushman Bharat Health Account (ABHA) number can be generated from the Aarogya Setu App ([Link](#))
- Union Minister of Health chairs meeting for MoHFW, Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilizers, and Technology Development Board to explore possibilities of Mutual Cooperation in Research and Development for Indigenous Technology ([Link](#))

INDIA SITUATION

WHO Situation Update

India

42,692,943 Confirmed Cases

509,358 Total Deaths

South East Asia Region

54,414,913 Confirmed Cases

753,479 Total Deaths

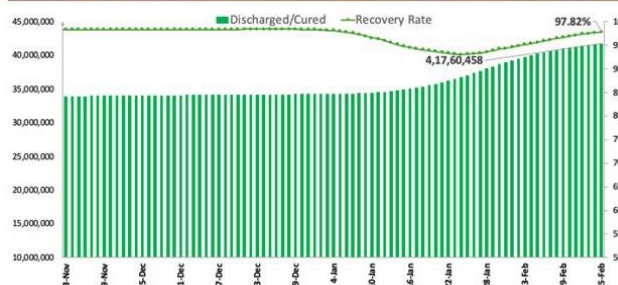
World

412,351,279 Confirmed Cases

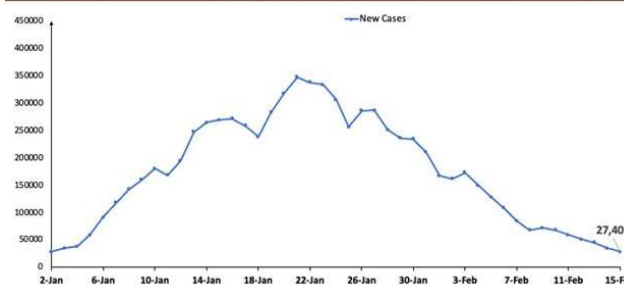
5,821,004 Deaths

- As of 15 February 2022, India reported a total of 42,692,943 confirmed cases and a total of 509,358 deaths. In the past 24 hours 27,409 confirmed cases have been reported and the highest number of cases in a day during the third wave were 3,47,254 cases reported on 21st January 2022. Currently cases per million is 30,045.
- A total of 82,817 patients have recovered in the last 24 hours and the cumulative tally of recovered patients (since the beginning of the pandemic) is now at 4,17,60,458 and 27,409 new cases were reported in the last 24 hours.

Recovered cases over 4.17 Cr & Recovery rate at 97.82%



Over 27K New Cases reported in last 24 hrs

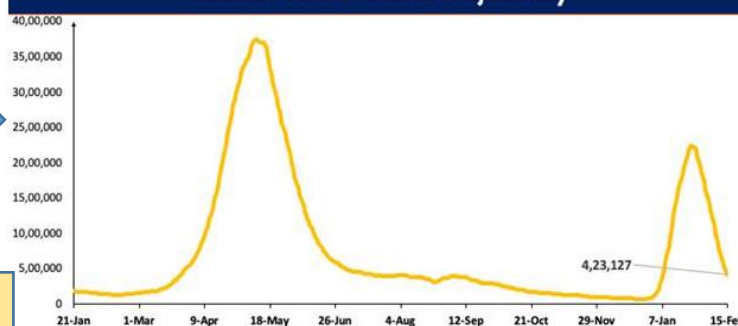


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- India's recovery rate stands at 97.82%. 82,817 recoveries in the last 24 hours.
- India's active caseload is presently at 4,23,127. Active cases are 0.99% of the country's total Positive Cases.

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India's Active cases Trajectory



COVID-19: STATUS ACROSS STATES

- In the past week (9-15 February), as compared to previous week (2-8 February), all states have shown a decline in cases. Larger declines were reported from Karnataka (-72%), Andhra Pradesh (-72%), Pondicherry (-71%) and DNH & DD (-71%) and only 17 districts have shown an increase in new cases
- Apart from eight districts, three in Nagaland, two in Arunachal Pradesh, two in Manipur and one in DNH & DD, all other districts have reported one or more than one COVID-19 case during last seven da
- Maharashtra has reported highest number of COVID-19 deaths (1,43,416) followed by Kerala (62,377) and Karnataka (39,665). In the past week (9-15 February), India reported 5,296 deaths, of which the highest were in Kerala (3,262) followed by Maharashtra (318) and Karnataka (269).

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- Only Odisha has shown an increase in deaths last week while 31 states have shown decline in deaths. Higher declines were reported from Tripura (-100%), Jharkhand (-83%), Assam (-65%) and Arunachal Pradesh (-60%).
- Punjab has reported highest CFR (2.3%) followed by Nagaland (2.1%), Maharashtra (1.8%), Uttarakhand (1.8%), Meghalaya (1.7%) and Goa (1.5%).

WHO GLOBAL UPDATE

- FIFA is working with the WHO to encourage football fans, world leaders and policymakers to #ACTogether to end the COVID-19 pandemic, with a special campaign running throughout the FIFA Club World Cup 2021™ in Abu Dhabi, details [here](#)
- WHO's ACT-Accelerator calls for fair share-based financing of US\$ 23 billion to end pandemic as global emergency in 2022. The ACT-Accelerator agencies urgently need new funding to scale up their work to develop and deliver the COVID-19 countermeasures essential to address the threat of Omicron and prevent even more dangerous variants from emerging, details [here](#)
- WHO and France sign new agreement to reinforce health systems to combat COVID-19. The Government of France and WHO announced a new €50 million contribution agreement that will help countries' health systems overcome bottlenecks in the COVID-19 response and speed up equitable access to testing, treatments and vaccines., details [here](#)
- WHO prequalifies first monoclonal antibody- tocilizumab- to treat COVID-19. Tocilizumab is a monoclonal antibody that inhibits the Interleukin-6 (IL-6) receptor. Interleukin-6 induces an inflammatory response and is found in high levels in patients critically ill with COVID-19, details [here](#)

WHO COUNTRY SUPPORT

Coordination

- WCO is providing technical support and sharing technical guidance including emerging evidence on Omicron variant. New/updated resources are being shared twice in week.

COVID-19 vaccination

- “Har Ghar Dastak Abhiyan” for COVID-19 vaccination supported in **Andhra Pradesh, Karnataka, Kerala, Lakshadweep, Puducherry, Tamil Nadu, Telangana, and Punjab**

Laboratory and case management

- Auxiliary Health Facility (AHF) is being installed in Osmanabad District of **Maharashtra**
- PPEs, Rapid Antigen Test kits and RTPCR kits have been supplied to **Mizoram**

Support in Ensuring Continuity of Essential Services

- Technical support is provided to strengthen VPD surveillance and immunization are underway in **Andhra Pradesh, Delhi, Chhattisgarh, Jammu & Kashmir, Maharashtra, Tamil Nadu, and Telangana**
- Supporting **Andhra Pradesh, Karnataka, and Telangana** in strengthening and streamlining AEFI surveillance
- Field support is provided in **Andhra Pradesh, Delhi, Daman & Diu and Dadra and Nagar Haveli, Gujarat, Haryana, Karnataka, Kerala, Lakshadweep, Maharashtra, Madhya Pradesh, Punjab, Puducherry, Tamil Nadu, Telangana, Uttarakhand, and Uttar Pradesh** in planning for Intensified Mission Indradhanush 4.0
- Supporting **Haryana, Maharashtra, and Punjab** with upcoming National Immunization Day
- Supporting **Daman & Diu and Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Madhya Pradesh** with pulse polio campaign

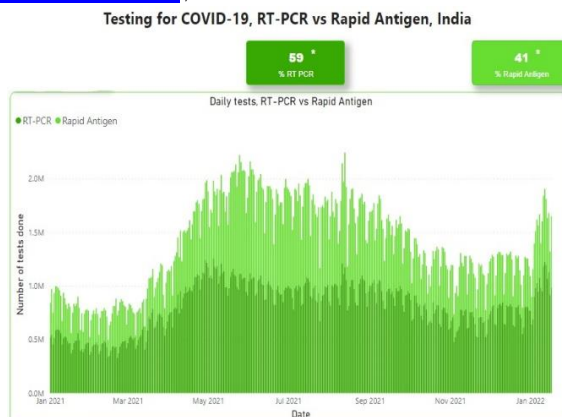
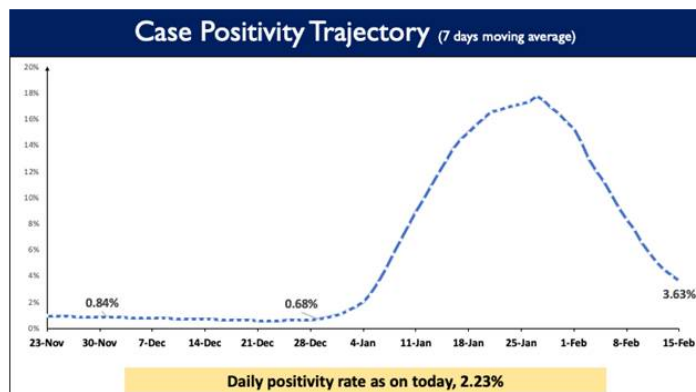
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TESTING

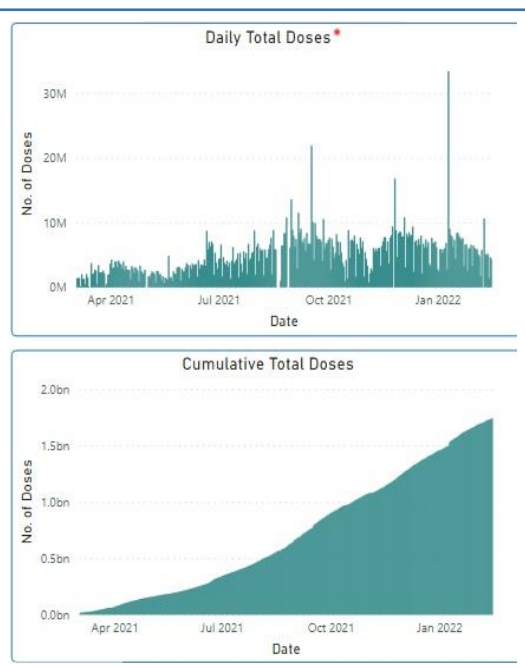
- India follows testing guidelines issues by Indian ICMR [updated on 10 January 2022](#).
- As of 15 February, India has tested more than 727 million samples; the tests include both RTPCR and Rapid Antigen. Number of tests done in a day have declined during last few days.
- As of 15 February 2022, Weekly Positivity Rate in the country currently stands at 3.63% and the Daily Positivity rate is reported to be 2.23%. (Source: <https://www.pib.gov.in/PressReleasePage.aspx?PRID=1798404>)



COVID-19 VACCINATION

- With the administration of more than 41.54 lakh Doses (41,54,476) vaccine doses in the last 24 hours, India's COVID-19 vaccination coverage has exceeded 173.86 Cr (1,73,86,81,675) as of 16 February 2022.
- This has been achieved through 1,95,98,966 sessions. The break-up of the cumulative figure given below:

Cumulative Vaccine Dose Coverage		
HCWs	1 st Dose	1,03,99,960
	2 nd Dose	99,39,631
	Precautionary dose	39,47,365
FLWs	1 st Dose	1,84,06,271
	2 nd Dose	1,73,92,895
	Precautionary dose	55,72,301
Age Group 15-18 years	1 st Dose	5,27,06,855
	2 nd Dose	1,75,85,751
Age Group 18-44 years	1 st Dose	54,90,49,014
	2 nd Dose	42,99,79,799
Age Group 45-59 years	1 st Dose	20,18,15,183
	2 nd Dose	17,70,80,381
Over 60 years	1 st Dose	12,60,29,897
	2 nd Dose	11,03,22,289
	Precautionary dose	84,54,083
Total Precaution Dose		1,79,73,749
GRAND TOTAL		1,73,86,81,675



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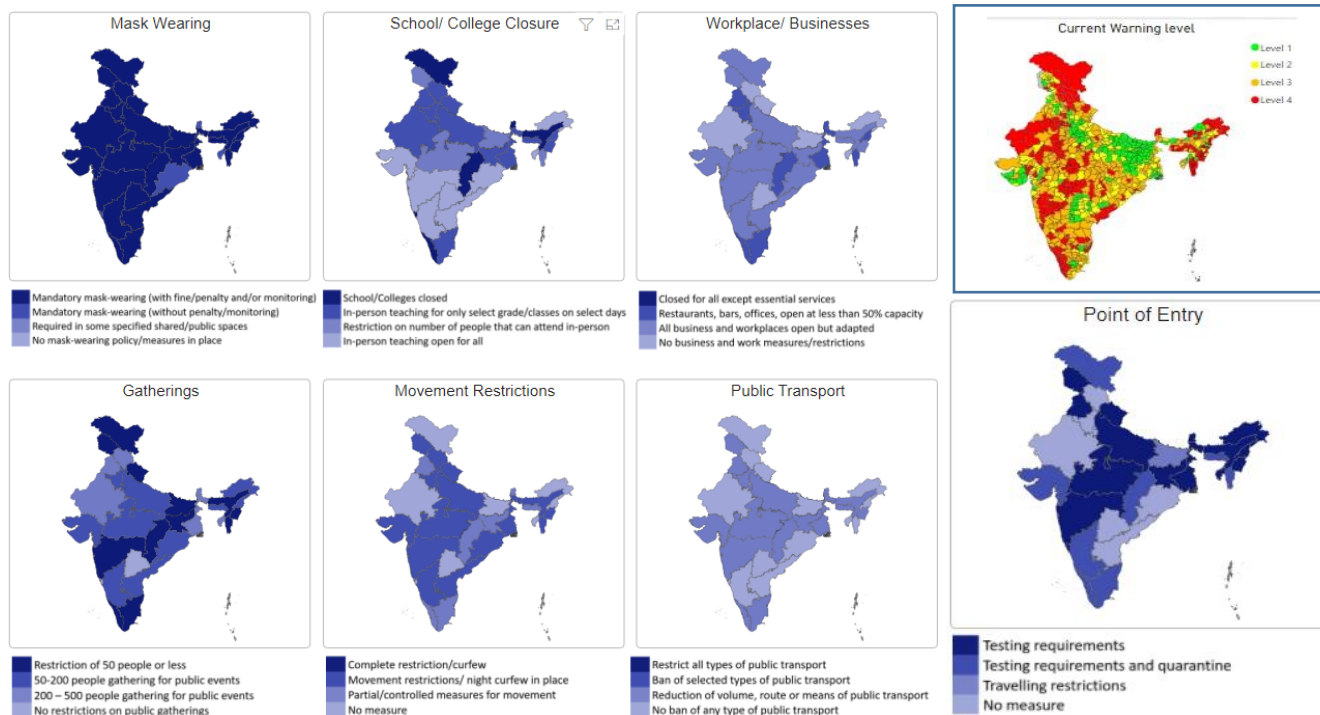
- Centre has provided more than 171.48 crore (1,71,48,89,260) vaccine doses to States/UTs so far through Govt. of India (free of cost channel) and through direct state procurement category.
- More than 11.88 Cr (11,88,59,356) balance and unutilized COVID Vaccine doses are still available with the States/UTs to be administered. Source: <https://www.pib.gov.in/PressReleasePage.aspx?PRID=1798644>

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PUBLIC HEALTH & SOCIAL MEASURES

- India applies risk-based approaches for implementation of public health & social measures.
- Implementation of PHSMs is majorly in line with guidelines issued by National Disaster Management Authority (NDMA) and concerned States governments.
- Current status of implementation is depicted in the maps given below:



IMPORTANT GUIDELINES/TECHNICAL PUBLICATIONS

- Consolidated Financing Framework for ACT-Agency & In-Country Needs ([LINK](#))
- ACT-Accelerator 'fair share asks' - by country ([LINK](#))
- COVID-19 home care bundle for health care workers ([LINK](#))
- NVX-CoV2373 recombinant, adjuvanted COVID-19 vaccine ([LINK](#))
- Public health surveillance for COVID-19: interim guidance ([LINK](#))
- MoHFW's Guidelines for International Arrivals ([LINK](#))
- List of Countries/Regions in respect of which primary vaccination schedule completion certificate is allowed to be uploaded ([LINK](#))

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