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Uttar Pradesh Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath Ji has announced to declare Saturday and Sunday as weekly closure of the markets in view of Corona infection. He said while the markets will remain open from Monday to Friday, the cleanliness and sanitation work will take place in the markets during weekly closure. Similarly, he said that the industrial units should also sanitise their places on Saturday and Sunday. He also asked to ensure uninterrupted oxygen supply in all Covid hospitals along with at least 48 hour backup.

Presiding over a high-level Unlock review meeting at his official residence here on Saturday, he directed to maintain social distancing in ongoing works on Expressways, Dams and Embankments in view of the floods. He also asked to ensure that no water logging takes place anywhere.

The Chief Minister directed to widely publicise the protective measures of Covid-19. The people should be made aware that they should make masks

part of their life and washing of hand with soaps regularly. The CM was apprised that the fogging has been done in as many as 77,000 revenue village and 9000 urban wards. He was also informed that the Gram Pradhan are contacted and directed to conduct special cleanliness drive.

The Chief Minister was also told that the door-to-door survey is being carried out for protection from Covid-19. On the one hand, it is sensitising the people about Corona while on other hand, treatment is made available to infected persons. He asked to spray the chemical for effective control on locusts.

He directed to ramp up Covid testing to 50,000 per day. He asked to closely monitor the drive against protection from Covid-19 and other communicable diseases in the districts of Gorakhpur division. He said the asymptomatic patients should be admitted to level-1 Covid hospitals. He also asked to exercise special caution in the districts of Kanpur Nagar, Deoria, Kushinagar, Ballia and Varanasi. He said that the government has made available the pulse oximeter at village and ward level. He instructed the Health Minister to maintain dialogue with CMOs and similarly, the Medical Education Minister should be in touch with all the medical colleges and institutes.

Those present in the meeting included the Medical Education Minister Shri Suresh Khanna, Health Minister Shri Jai Pratap Singh, Chief Secretary Shri R.K. Tiwari, Infrastructure and Industrial Development Commissioner Shri Alok Tandon, Agriculture Production Commissioner Shri Alok Sinha, Additional Chief Secretary Home and Information Shri Awanish Kumar Awasthi, Additional Chief Secretary Finance Shri Sanjeev Mittal, Additional Chief Secretary Revenue Mrs. Renuka Kumar, Director General of Police Shri H.C. Awasthi, Additional Chief Secretary Health Shri Amit Mohan Prasad, Additional Chief Secretary Medical Education Shri Rajneesh Dubey, Additional Chief Secretary Rural Development & Panchayati Raj Shri Manoj Kumar Singh, Principal Secretary to Chief Minister Shri Sanjay Prasad, Secretary to Chief Minister Shri Alok Kumar, Director Information Shri Shishir and other senior officers.
