



**GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
BENGALURU**



NOVEL CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19)

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Evening Report

World Health Organization has declared the recent Novel Corona Virus, COVID-19 as **Public Health Emergency of International Concern (PHEIC)** which has affected **213 Countries / Territories** including India till date. WHO has characterized COVID-19 as a **Pandemic** on 11th March 2020.

In this context, Karnataka State has strengthened all Surveillance and containment measures against the possible spread of disease.

“As of 5:00 PM of 16th April 2020, Cumulatively 315 COVID-19 positive cases have been confirmed in the State, it includes 13 Deaths & 82 Discharges”

Out of remaining 220 cases, 218 COVID-19 positive patients (including 1 pregnant woman, P-176) are in isolation at designated hospitals are stable and 2 *in ICU* (P43 & P101).

36 new cases have been confirmed for COVID-19 in the state from 15.04.2020, 5:00 PM to 16.04.2020, 5:00 PM.

Sl. No.	Case Numbers	Age (years)	Sex	Place of Residence	History	Isolated at
1	P-280	13	Male	BBMP, Bengaluru Urban	Contact of P252	Designated Hospital, Bengaluru Urban
2	P-281	65	Female	BBMP, Bengaluru Urban	SARI	Private Hospital, Bengaluru Urban
3	P-282	51	Female	Hirebagewadi, Belagavi	Contact of P225	Designated Hospital, Belagavi
4	P-283	42	Male	Hirebagewadi, Belagavi	Contact of P224	Designated Hospital, Belagavi
5	P-284	33	Male	Hirebagewadi, Belagavi	Contact of P225	Designated Hospital, Belagavi
6	P-285	16	Female	Hirebagewadi, Belagavi	Contact of P224	Designated Hospital, Belagavi
7	P-286	65	Female	Hirebagewadi, Belagavi	Contact of P224	Designated Hospital, Belagavi
8	P-287	30	Female	Hirebagewadi, Belagavi	Contact of P224	Designated Hospital, Belagavi
9	P-288	54	Female	Bagewadi, Belagavi	Contact of P224	Designated Hospital, Belagavi
10	P-289	58	Female	Hirebagewadi, Belagavi	Contact of P224	Designated Hospital, Belagavi
11	P-290	54	Female	Case from Ananthapura, AP – admitted in Bengaluru Urban	Contact under tracing	Designated Hospital, Bengaluru Urban

12	P-291	37	Male	BBMP, Bengaluru Urban	Contact under tracing	Designated Hospital, Bengaluru Urban
13	P-292	43	Male	BBMP, Bengaluru Urban	Contact under tracing	Designated Hospital, Bengaluru Urban
14	P-293	47	Male	Hukkeri, Belagavi	Travel history to Delhi (repeat test)	Designated Hospital, Belagavi
15	P-294	25	Male	Raibagh, Belagavi	Travel history to Delhi (repeat test)	Designated Hospital, Belagavi
16	P-295	45	Female	Belagavi	Travel history to Delhi (repeat test)	Designated Hospital, Belagavi
17	P-296	30	Male	Raibagh, Belagavi	Travel history to Delhi (repeat test)	Designated Hospital, Belagavi
18	P-297	43	Male	Raibagh, Belagavi	Travel history to Delhi (repeat test)	Designated Hospital, Belagavi
19	P-298	50	Male	Resident of Goa, staying at Raibagh, Belagavi since one month.	Contact of P245	Designated Hospital, Belagavi
20	P-299	35	Male	Resident of Vijayapura, staying at Raibagh, Belagavi since one month.	Contact of P245	Designated Hospital, Belagavi
21	P-300	25	Male	Resident of Miraj, Maharashtra, staying at Raibagh, Belagavi since one month.	Contact of P245	Designated Hospital, Belagavi
22	P-301	64	Male	Raibagh, Belagavi	Contact of P245	Designated Hospital, Belagavi
23	P-302	23	Female	Kalaburagi	Contact of P274	Designated Hospital, Kalaburagi
24	P-303	52	Male	Mysuru	Pharma Company worker	Designated Hospital, Mysuru
25	P-304	59	Female	Gadag	Contact of P166	Designated Hospital, Gadag
26	P-305	12	Male	Vijayapura	Contact of P221	Designated Hospital, Vijayapura
27	P-306	65	Male	Vijayapura	Contact of P221	Designated Hospital, Vijayapura
28	P-307	66	Male	Vijayapura	Contact of P221	Designated Hospital, Vijayapura
29	P-308	37	Male	Vijayapura	Contact of P221	Designated Hospital, Vijayapura
30	P-309	70	Female	Vijayapura	Contact of P221	Designated Hospital,

						Vijayapura
31	P-310	1.5	Female	Vijayapura	Contact of P228 & P232	Designated Hospital, Vijayapura
32	P-311	38	Male	Mysuru	Pharma Company worker	Designated Hospital, Mysuru
33	P-312	26	Female	Mysuru	Contact of P77 (Wife), Pharma Company worker	Designated Hospital, Mysuru
34	P-313	55	Female	Vijayapura	Contact of P221	Designated Hospital, Vijayapura
35	P-314	32	Male	Kalaburagi	Influenza Like Illness(ILI) (Travel history To Bengaluru)	Designated Hospital, Kalaburagi
36	P-315	5	Male	Kalaburagi	Contact under tracing	Designated Hospital, Kalaburagi

Death Case

- a) **P-195**, 66 years male patient from Bengaluru, COVID-19 positive was referred from a Private Hospital, to Victoria Hospital, Bengaluru Urban. He was on ventilator support since 10.04.2020 and died on 15.04.2020.

District wise Abstract of COVID-19					
Sl. No.	District Name	Total Positives	No. Discharged	Active Cases	No. of Deaths
1	Bagalakote	14	0	13	1
2	Ballari	6	0	6	0
3	Belagavi	36	0	35	1
4	Bengaluru Rural	12	0	12	0
5	Bengaluru Urban	76	35	38	3
6	Bidar	13	0	13	0
7	Chamarajanagara	0	0	0	0
8	Chikkaballapura	13	8	3	2
9	Chikkamagaluru	0	0	0	0
10	Chitradurga	1	1	0	0
11	Dakshina Kannada	11	8	3	0
12	Davanagere	2	2	0	0
13	Dharwad	6	1	5	0
14	Gadag	2	0	1	1
15	Hassan	0	0	0	0
16	Haveri	0	0	0	0
17	Kalaburagi	20	3	14	3
18	Kodagu	1	1	0	0
19	Kolar	0	0	0	0
20	Koppal	0	0	0	0
21	Mandya	8	0	8	0
22	Mysuru	61	12	49	0
23	Raichur	0	0	0	0
24	Ramanagara	0	0	0	0
25	Shivamogga	0	0	0	0

26	Tumakuru	2	1	0	1
27	Udupi	3	2	1	0
28	Uttara Kannada	11	8	3	0
29	Vijayapura	17	0	16	1
30	Yadgiri	0	0	0	0
Total		315	82	220	13

*Today's Discharges – 2 (P84 & P99)

Total Deaths - P6, P53, P60, P125, P166, P177, P195, P205, P219, P250, P252, P257 & P279

Contact tracing has been initiated and is in progress for all the cases.

Note: Out of 315 cases detected and confirmed in Karnataka so far, 9 cases are transit passengers of Kerala who have landed in our Airports and being treated in Karnataka.

ABSTRACT			
	Activities	Today	Cumulative
A	Total passengers screened at Air Ports and Sea Ports	0*	139986
B	Total number of International passengers under observation Home quarantine Reporting Period	0** 4181	
C	Total number of contacts under observation Primary Secondary	2816 6416	
D	Total under observation	13413	
E	Persons In Isolation At Health Facilities	152	768
F	Total Samples Received	2780	18224
G	Total Samples Tested	1241	13724
H	Total Samples reported as Negative	1169	13074
	Total Samples Positive for COVID-19	36	315

** All international passengers have completed Home quarantine

Details of Isolated Persons in Designated Hospitals				
Sl. No.	Name of the District	Today's New Admissions	Today Discharged	Total Isolated
1	Bagalakote	0	20	28
2	Ballari	0	0	6
3	Belagavi	19	0	37
4	Bengaluru Rural	0	0	26
5	Bengaluru Urban (Identified Hospitals)	5	1	113
6	Bidar	0	23	20
7	Chamarajanagara	1	0	1
8	Chikkaballapura	0	3	15
9	Chikkamagaluru	12	2	12
10	Chitradurga	0	0	4
11	Dakshina Kannada	6	0	40
12	Davanagere	2	4	2
13	Dharwad	1	0	7
14	Gadag	11	0	18
15	Hassan	5	12	5
16	Haveri	0	0	11
17	Kalaburagi	27	2	72
18	Kodagu	4	0	19

19	Kolar	1	0	5
20	Koppal	1	0	3
21	Mandya	0	0	8
22	Mysuru	3	0	49
23	Raichur	0	4	1
24	Ramanagara	7	1	9
25	Shivamogga	21	6	23
26	Tumakuru	9	5	81
27	Udupi	0	0	38
28	Uttara Kannada	6	5	17
29	Vijayapura	1	10	52
30	Yadgiri	3	0	14
31	Bengaluru Urban (RGICD)	6	6	7
32	BBMP	1	0	25
Total		152	104	768

Programmatic Updates

1	Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, GOI Has issued Advisory on criteria and management of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hotspot Districts with large outbreaks. • Hotspot Districts with Cluster. • Non-Hotspot Districts Reporting Cases. Dated 15-04-2020
2	Today on 16-04-2020 Honorable Chief Minister Of Karnataka has lunched "Makala Vani" a unique YouTube channel developed by Department of Public Instruction.
3	Today on 16-04-2020 Honorable Chief Minister Of Karnataka has Inaugurated "Mobile labs for COVID-19" In Bengaluru.
4	Minority welfare, Waqf and Hajj Department, Karnataka Has issued Order for suspension of congressional prayers (Salat) and guidelines for Ramadan in The Masajid/Darghs due to COVID-19 upto 03-05-2020.(Ref No: MWD/2/MDS/2020, Bengaluru Dated:16-04-2020
5	In 31 Fever Clinics of BBMP, in total 155 people have been screened on 15.04.2020 and till on date 3859 people have been screened. 462 Fever Clinics of state, in total 1828 people have been screened on 15.04.2020 and till on date 46751 people have been screened.
6	Home Quarantine Enforcement Squad have quarantined 24 persons in Institutions on 15.04.2020 based on the complaints received from public & totally till date 507 have been shifted from home Quarantine to institutional quarantine.
7	The positive cases and suspects hospitalized in the designated hospitals and quarantined persons will be staying there for a minimum period of 14 days or till the successive samples of the positive case are proved negative or as per the treating physicians advice. This long duration of stay in isolation requires a mental booster for keeping oneself calm & quite. Foreseeing this department has arranged for Mental Health Counseling of such patients and contacts 1668 sessions were held on 15.04.2020 and so far 38206 number of counseling sessions have been held counseling sessions for migrants.
8	In view to spread Awareness and Effective Communication on COVID-19, Govt. of India, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare has lunched "Aarogya Setu" Mobile app on 09.04.2020. Application can downloaded from Google Play store and App store (Apple).
9	Any person who has attended Tablighi Jamaat Congregation at Nizamuddin Markaz Masjid in New Delhi, kindly contact 080-29711171 Arogya Sayavaani.
10	Appeal to Doctors has been issued by Hon'ble Chief Minister to give missed call to 080-47192219 or signup at https://forms.gle/TPbU7eZgazdxG9gS9 to volunteer for COVID-19 Tele-Medicine facility and to help the Government.

11	Corona Watch Mobile Application can be downloaded from www.karnataka.gov.in In the application you can see the spots visited by positive patients upto 14 days prior to testing positive. Also it shows the nearest First Respondent Hospitals and Helpline numbers.
12	Any COVID 19 queries please contact helpline numbers 104 Arogya Sahayavani and new number 9745697456 .

Arogya Sahayavani (104, 9745697456,080-46848600& 66692000)

210 lines have been reserved for receiving calls of COVID-19 on 15.04.2020 calls **9850** have been received and around **3325** calls have out gone have been done.

Appeal to Public: Any person who has returned from COVID-19 affected Countries or has been in personal contact with such person must remain in Home Isolation for 14 days from arrival in India irrespective of having any symptoms or not. Also, should self-notify to nearest Government Hospital or free call 104 – Arogya Sahayavani, Health Helpline. Maintain personal hygiene, use tissue paper/handkerchief while coughing or sneezing, frequently wash hands with soap and water or use hand sanitizer and avoid attending mass social gatherings.

Help us to Help you.

Let us fight COVID-19 together Stay Home, Be Safe

Helpline numbers 9745697456, 080-46848600, 080-66692000&104 Arogya Sahayavani

All the Guidelines and Advisories are available at State Health and Family Welfare Department
Website: <https://karunadu.karnataka.gov.in/hfw/kannada/Pages/covid-19.aspx>
