

COVID-19 OUTBREAK CONTROL AND PREVENTION STATE CELL HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE DEPARTMENT GOVT. OF KERALA

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The daily COVID-19 bulletin of the Department of Health and Family Welfare, Government of Kerala summarizes the COVID-19 situation in Kerala. The bulletin also contains links to various important documents, guidelines, and websites for references.

OUR HEALTH OUR RESPONSIBILITY

- Even after vaccination, follow COVID appropriate behaviour.
- Maintain a distance of at least two metres with all people all the time.
- Always wear clean face mask appropriately everywhere all the time
- Perform hand hygiene after touching objects and surfaces all the time.
- *Perform hand hygiene before and after touching your face.*
- *Observe cough and sneeze hygiene*
- Avoid unnecessary travel, social interaction
- Protect the elderly and the vulnerable- Observe reverse quarantine
- PEOPLE WITH MULTIPLE COMORBIDITIES, IF DETECTED COVID POSTIVE SHOULD GET ADMITTED IN THE HOSPITAL IMMEDIATELY AND DO NOT REMAINED IN HOME ISOLATION
- Infection prevention by following Covid appropriate behaviour got strengthened with introduction of COVID vaccination.

Covid 19 status- Analytical Note

- 95.7% of the eligible population vaccinated with a single dose of vaccine (2,55,66,459) and 60.2% with a double dose (1,61,03,007) till November 19.
- Kerala is the state with highest rate of Vaccination/ Million- 1167230. The state has vaccinated more than 96% of people aged more than 45 years with a single dose and 72% with double dose*. (*Target recalculated)
- People have been cooperating we appeal to the 2nd dose eligible people to take their second dose of Covishield/ Covaxin without delay. Both the vaccines are effective.

- As per today's data, among the 5754 positives, 4896 persons were eligible for vaccination. 877 were vaccinated with single-dose and 2549 were fully vaccinated.
- 1470 persons had no history of vaccination. This sub cohort needs to be followed and among them people having morbidity are advised to access health care in a Hospital. All vaccinated people should follow covid appropriate behaviour.
- Non vaccinated people with co morbidity have higher chances of mortality based on the mortality analysis. Hence, especially people with comorbidities should be careful. All must follow Covid appropriate behaviors.
- COVID-19 vaccines protect people from getting infected and become severely ill, and significantly reduce the likelihood of hospitalization and death.
- During November 12-November 18, the average active cases were 65,534 out of them an average of around 1.6% only were admitted in oxygen beds and 1.3% were in ICU. During this period there was a decrease of around 4814 new cases. The growth rate in newly declared cases decreased by 10% during the same week compared to the previous week. The number of active patients, those admitted in hospitals, field hospitals, ICU, ventilator and oxygen support beds has reduced by 9%, 11%, 17%, 13%, 12% and 8% respectively in this week compared to previous week. This shows that rate of hospitalization and serious cases are showing a decreasing trend.
- For any disease control program, active case finding is important. The state is doing appropriate testing. However, there is an apprehension regarding test positivity rate. It is hereby explained that test positivity rate indicates the infection. There are two specific issues all may understand i.e. **contracting infection** and because of contracting infection **the disease manifestation**. The World over post vaccination phase, contracting infection to disease manifestation is examined as CONVERSION RATE to decide the severity of pandemic. The data as on date suggests the conversion rate is stable because the People are following instructions, taking vaccines. However, it can be further improved with cooperation from all i.e. positive person having comorbidities should not delay their arrival in Hospital and take treatment as per the treatment protocols.
- Out of total 61,348 cases of infection only 6.8% of the active cases are admitted either in hospital/Field hospitals. This percentage is more or less constant and that indicates that the progression toward disease of the person who is infected is not very alarming and appropriate care and support is being given to patients. The patients who arrive late in the hospital even though having morbidity are the majority patients in the hospitals and Diabetes and Hypertension together being the most common cause of patient death. Therefore, we request people with co morbidities once detected with covid infection to get hospitalized in time.
- Based on the Covid positive data during June, July and August, 6% of the Covid positive patients had taken a single dose of Covid 19 vaccination and 3.6% had taken two doses of covid 19 vaccination. This indicates that vaccinated people may get infected, even though it is very less. It indicates that post vaccination immunity is effective in preventing infection. Vaccinated people are advised to consult Doctor only when symptomatic. Vaccinated people should follow covid appropriate behaviour.
- Symptomatic non-Vaccinated people may do RTPCR test. Antigen testing is only for emergency purpose. Non vaccinated people with co-morbidities to do testing by RTPCR and consult doctor.
- Repeat RTPCR is not needed among the people who are detected COVID positive in the previous 3 months. All young person detected positive and at home isolation should do blood sugar test.

PART- 1 SUMMARY OF COVID CASES AND DEATH

Table 1. Summary of COVID-19 cases till 18/11/2021

Positive cases	Recovere d patients	New persons in Quarantine / Isolation	New Persons in Home, Institution quarantine	New persons in Hospital Isolation	Total no of Deaths reported	No of deaths declared as per appeal G.O.(Rt) No.2110/2 021/H&F WD (B)	No of pending deaths declaration of the cases up to 18 June 2021 (offline period of death reporting) As per G.O.(Rt) No.2219/2021/H&F WD Dated 14 October (C)
5084095	4984328	12457	12135	322	36847	4273	3779

Table 2. Summary of new COVID-19 cases (last 24 hours)

Positive cases	Recovere d patients	New persons in Quarantin e/ Isolation	New Persons in Home, Institution quarantine	New persons in Hospital Isolation	No of Deaths reported daily (A)	No of deaths declared as per appeal G.O.(Rt) No.2110/20 21/H&FWD (B)	No of pending deaths declaration of the cases up to 18 June 2021 (offline period of death reporting) As per G.O.(Rt) No.2219/2021/H& FWD Dated 14 October (C)
5754	6489	12830	12460	370	49	155	0

Table 3. Cumulative summary as on 19/11/2021

Total Positive cases	Active cases	Total Recover ed	Total persons in Quarantin e/ Isolation	Persons in Home/Ins titution quarantin e	Persons in Hospital Isolatio n	Total No of Deaths (D)	Total No of deaths declared as per appeal G.O.(Rt) No.2110/20 21/H&FWD (E)	Total No of pending deaths declaration of the cases up to 18 June 2021 (offline period of death reporting) As per G.O.(Rt) No.2219/2021/H&F WD Dated 14 October (F)
5089849	61348	4990817	204266	199044	5222	37051	4428	3779

Table 4. District wise summary of Cumulative cases, Active cases, and New positive cases

District	Positive Cases declared today	Declared Negative today	Positive cases admitted in the district	Other Districts
Thiruvananthapuram	929	905	8986	Kollam - 79, Pathanamthitta - 19, Alappuzha - 11, Kottayam - 9, Idukki - 11, Ernakulam - 7, Thrissur - 4, Palakkad - 3, Malappuram - 1, Kozhikode - 2, Kannur - 3, Kasaragod - 1, Others - 51
Kollam	379	553	4577	Pathanamthitta - 14, Idukki - 1, Ernakulam - 1
Pathanamthitta	301	264	2705	Alappuzha - 1, Kottayam - 6, Idukki - 1, Ernakulam - 2, Thrissur - 1
Alappuzha	181	169	2226	Pathanamthitta - 43, Kottayam - 34, Ernakulam - 3, Palakkad - 5, Kannur - 1
Kottayam	446	727	5448	Pathanamthitta - 49, Idukki - 43, Ernakulam - 30, Thrissur - 1, Kannur - 2
Idukki	262	242	3704	Kottayam - 15, Ernakulam - 33
Ernakulam	1109	973	7870	Pathanamthitta - 7, Kottayam - 5, Idukki - 13, Thrissur - 1, Palakkad - 5, Wayanad - 1, Kannur - 4, Kasaragod - 2, Others - 305
Thrissur	530	794	6193	Kollam - 1, Pathanamthitta - 1, Alappuzha - 1, Kottayam - 1, Idukki - 1, Ernakulam - 6, Palakkad - 26, Malappuram - 1, Kannur - 1, Others - 1
Palakkad	199	276	1880	
Malappuram	191	249	2670	
Kozhikode	600	651	7455	Thiruvananthapuram - 2, Pathanamthitta - 1, Kottayam - 5, Ernakulam - 13, Malappuram - 4, Wayanad - 23, Kannur - 61, Kasaragod - 14, Others - 1
Wayanad	209	191	2680	Kannur - 3
Kannur	335	335	3826	
Kasaragod	83	160	1128	Kannur - 1
Total	5754	6489	61348	

Table 5. District wise Death Cases through online and offline mode - post scrutiny status

District	No of Deaths reported daily (A)	No of deaths declared through appeal G.O.(Rt) No.2110/2021/H&F WD Dated 29 September (B)	No of pending deaths declaration of the cases up to 18 June 2021 (offline period of death reporting) As per G.O.(Rt) No.2219/2021/H&FWD Dated 14 October (C)	Death Cases approved today (A+B+C)
Thiruvananthapuram	4	2	0	6
Kollam	3	0	0	3
Pathanamthitta	0	1	0	1
Alappuzha	26	37	0	63
Kottayam	0	0	0	0
Idukki	0	7	0	7
Ernakulam	10	0	0	10
Thrissur	4	0	0	4
Palakkad	0	1	0	1
Malappuram	0	24	0	24
Kozhikode	1	0	0	1
Wayanad	1	0	0	1
Kannur	0	79	0	79
Kasaragod	0	4	0	4
Total	49	155	0	204

- The list of Track A is mentioned in the Bulletin
- The list of Track B and Track C will be very long as we are declaring cumulative cases. These lists are available with the DMO and can be verified on online portal.
- https://covid19.kerala.gov.in/deathinfo/covidDeathDeclarationList.jsp

Table 6. Summary of contact or travel history of COVID-19 cases since 4th May 2020

Total cases	5089350
Cases with history of International/Interstate travel	62836
Cases with history of contact	5026514

Table 7. Summary of contact/travel history of new COVID-19 cases reported in last 24 hours

Total cases	5754
Cases with history of International/Interstate travel	25
Cases with history of contact	5419
Cases with no history of travel or contact	310

Table 8. Details of COVID-19 positive deaths in the last 24 hours

SI no.	District	Name	Place	Age	Gender	Death Date
1	Thiruvananthapuram	Ayishathu Beevi	Peringammala	66	Female	29-10-2021
2	Thiruvananthapuram	Christudas J	Vilavoorkal	71	Male	17-11-2021
3	Thiruvananthapuram	P Girija	Malayinkeezhu	63	Female	12-11-2021
4	Thiruvananthapuram	Reji Thomas Mathew	Thiruvananthapuram	56	Female	13-11-2021
5	Kollam	Abdul Khader	Adichanalloor	85	Male	29-10-2021
6	Kollam	Dharmapalan K R	Nilamel	84	Male	29-10-2021
7	Kollam	Sheeja	Kummil	38	Female	17-11-2021
8	Alappuzha	Abida Rasheed	Alappuzha	74	Female	24-10-2021
9	Alappuzha	Ambika R Nair	Ambalappuzha South	58	Female	30-09-2021
10	Alappuzha	Appukututtan	Kavalam	67	Male	17-07-2021
11	Alappuzha	Beevi	Mannanchery	75	Female	28-09-2021
12	Alappuzha	Bijumon K N	Mannanchery	45	Male	28-09-2021
13	Alappuzha	Chandramathi	Nooranad	86	Female	18-10-2021
14	Alappuzha	Gopalakrishnan	Chengannur	65	Male	17-11-2021
15	Alappuzha	Govindan Soman	Kayamkulam	71	Male	30-10-2021
16	Alappuzha	Haridas	Harippad	72	Male	04-10-2021
17	Alappuzha	Janaki	Mannar	90	Female	21-09-2021
18	Alappuzha	Karunakaran	Champakkulam	88	Male	18-10-2021
19	Alappuzha	Kurumba	Venmony	72	Male	19-10-2021
20	Alappuzha	Lekshmikutty	Nooranad	78	Female	09-10-2021
21	Alappuzha	Lilykutty Varghese	Edathua	62	Female	30-09-2021
22	Alappuzha	Madhavan	Mavelikkara	87	Male	17-10-2021

23	Alappuzha	Nabeesa J	Vallikunnam	46	Male	19-10-2021
24	Alappuzha	Pankajakshy	Kayamkulam	89	Female	03-10-2021
25	Alappuzha	P K Mohandas	Mavelikkara	63	Male	05-10-2021
26	Alappuzha	Prasad N	Nooranad	50	Male	04-10-2021
27	Alappuzha	Pushpagaran	Mavelikkara	69	Male	09-11-2021
28	Alappuzha	Rajamma	Mavelikkara	58	Female	11-11-2021
29	Alappuzha	Thankamma Joseph	Chengannur	104	Male	10-10-2021
30	Alappuzha	Thressiamma	Ambalappuzha South	72	Female	28-09-2021
31	Alappuzha	Vijayan	Chengannur	63	Male	29-09-2021
32	Alappuzha	Viswambaran	Chennithala	73	Male	08-10-2021
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33	Alappuzha	V K Narayanan Nair	Alappuzha	76	Male	17-11-2021
34	Ernakulam	Ammini	Arakkuzha	70	Female	16-11-2021
35	Ernakulam	Anadavaliyamma	Avoly	70	Female	10-11-2021
36	Ernakulam	A P Raghu Panicker	North Paravur	64	Male	18-11-2021
37	Ernakulam	Kochunni	Sreemoolanagaram	76	Male	08-11-2021
38	Ernakulam	Kunjappan	Parakkadavu	63	Male	06-11-2021
39	Ernakulam	Mariamma	Angamaly	76	Female	05-11-2021
40	Ernakulam	Murali	Alangad	54	Male	15-11-2021
41	Ernakulam	Prakash Cherian	Puthenvelikara	67	Male	06-11-2021
42	Ernakulam	Prathapan	Chendamangalam	84	Male	04-11-2021
43	Ernakulam	Ramakrishnan	Kochi	90	Male	14-11-2021
44	Thrissur	Karthikeyan	Edavilangu	71	Male	06-11-2021
45	Thrissur	Madhavan	Madakkathara	78	Male	15-11-2021
46	Thrissur	Rani Varghese	Poyya	59	Female	14-11-2021
47	Thrissur	Thanka	Anthikkad	88	Female	13-11-2021
48	Kozhikode	Leelamma Mathew	Kodenchery	66	Female	15-11-2021
49	Wayanad	Prabakaran	Sulthan Bathery	70	Male	14-11-2021
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Detailed list is available with the respective District Medical office (Health)

Table 9. Summary of critical patients

Patients in ICUs	821
Patients on Ventilator support	330

^{*}The data shown contains ICU and Ventilator data from both government and private hospitals

PART- II COVID-19 TESTING

Table 10. Cumulative number of samples tested

Cumulative Samples Sent	Cumulative routine + Sentinel samples	Airport surveillance	CB NAAT	True NAT	POCT PCR	RT LAMP	Antigen Assay
39130726	15994919	77321	117989	816137	81278	33256	22016140

 Table 11. Details of new COVID-19 samples in the last 24 hours

Samples Sent	Routine + Sentinel Samples (PCR)	CB NAAT	True NAT	POCT PCR	RT LAMP	Antigen Assay
63534	42968	269	1217	324	139	18617

PART-III SURVEILLANCE

Table 12. District wise distribution of persons under quarantine and isolation

District	Persons under observation as on today	Persons under questions home/institutional quarantine as on today	Total persons under hospital Isolation as on today	Persons hospitalized today
Thiruvananthapuram	23087	21733	1354	54
Kollam	17594	17249	345	39
Pathanamthitta	5236	4863	373	12
Alappuzha	4571	4433	138	10
Kottayam	29366	28913	453	0
Idukki	4380	4180	200	12
Ernakulam	33749	33163	586	42
Thrissur	15728	15460	268	41
Palakkad	8180	7977	203	27
Malappuram	12402	12203	199	19
Kozhikode	22245	21878	367	26
Wayanad	14781	14612	169	46
Kannur	7713	7438	275	39
Kasaragod	5234	4942	292	3
Total	204266	199044	5222	370

Table 13. Summary of Travel surveillance 19/11/2021

Mode of Travel	Cumulative number of Passengers
International airport	2430996
Total	2430996

PART-IV PSYCHOSOCIAL SUPPORT

'Ottakalla Oppamundu' is a program for providing Psychosocial support to the people in quarantine, isolation, school children and other categories of population as well as to the community in general. 807 Mental Health Personnel including Psychiatrists, Psychiatric Social Workers, Clinical Psychologists, and Counsellors are working and have given psychosocial support.

Table.14. Psychosocial support provided through the program "Ottakalla Oppamundu"

No. of Psychosocial workers	807
Total Psychosocial support calls made to persons in quarantine/ isolation.	72,62,155
Total psychosocial support follow-up calls made	32,12,102
Total Post COVID calls	11,33,087
Total calls made to persons under treatment for mental illnesses, migrant labourers, differently abled children, elderly persons staying alone	3,48,860
Total Psychosocial support calls to school children	9,63,190
Total psychosocial support calls to health care workers	64,194
Total Psychosocial support calls received in helpline numbers	90,322
Total calls to all categories of Persons	1,30,73,910

PART-V ANNEXURES

Annexure-1: List of Hotspots as on 19/11/2021

Annexure-1: List of Hotspots as on 19/11/2021 Panchayaths and Urban Wards with WIPR >10			
Sl.No	District LSG Ward No		
1	Thiruvananthapuram	Attingal (M)	3
2	Thiruvananthapuram	Nanniyode	5
3	Thiruvananthapuram	Panavoor	3
4	Thiruvananthapuram	Vakkom	7
5	Pathanamthitta	Thiruvalla (M)	18
6	Pathanamthitta	Kottanad	12
7	Pathanamthitta	Thannithode	3
8	Pathanamthitta	Mallappally	13
9	Pathanamthitta	Iraviperoor	5
10	Ernakulam	Muvattuppuzha (M)	26
11	Ernakulam	North Paravur (M)	6
12	Ernakulam	Piravom (M)	10
13	Ernakulam	Thrikkakkara (M)	29
14	Ernakulam	Thrippunithura (M)	17, 28
15	Ernakulam	Amballur	4
16	Ernakulam	Avoli	9
17	Ernakulam	Chittattukara	18
18	Ernakulam	Kalloorkkadu	12
19	Ernakulam	Keerambra	5, 13
20	Ernakulam	Kottuvally	1
21	Ernakulam	Paingottur	6, 9
22	Ernakulam	Palakkuzha	6
23	Ernakulam	Pambakkuda	13
24	Ernakulam	Puthenvelikkara	13, 17
25	Ernakulam	Thirumadi	7
26	Ernakulam	Thuravur	2
27	Thrissur	Chavakkad (M)	6
28	Thrissur	Annamanada	3
29	Thrissur	Athirappally	2, 3, 6
30	Thrissur	Chazhoor	1
31	Thrissur	Edavilnagu	8
32	Thrissur	Mathilakom	7
33	Kozhikode	Keezhariyur	5
34	Kozhikode	Koodaranji	10
35	Wayanad	Kalppatta (M)	23

36	Wayanad	Mananthavady (M)	35
37	Wayanad	Sulthanbatheri (M)	9
38	Wayanad	Kottathara	1, 13
39	Wayanad	Vengappally	13
As per G.O(Rt) No.643/2021/DMD dated 18.09.2021			

DISTRICT WISE ABSTRACT

Sl. No	Name of District	WIPR (> 10)	
	v	No. of LSGs	No. of Wards
1	Thiruvananthapuram	4	4
2	Kollam	0	0
3	Pathanamthitta	5	5
4	Alappuzha	0	0
5	Kottayam	0	0
6	Idukki	0	0
7	Ernakulam	17	21
8	Thrissur	6	8
9	Palakkad	0	0
10	Malappuram	0	0
11	Kozhikkode	2	2
12	Wayanad	5	6
13	Kannur	0	0
14	Kasaragod	0	0
	Total	39	46

References
1.Thiruvanathapuram: DDMA/01/2020/COVID/H2 WIPR 12A dated 01.11.2021
2.Kollam: Nil
3.Pathanamthitta: DCPTA/1185/2020/DM5 dated 01.11.2021
4.Kottayam: Nil
5.Alappuzha: Nil
6.Idukki: Nil
7.Ernakulam: 3804/2020/D2 dated 02.11.2021

8.Thirissur: DCTSR/H4/14476/2019 dated 01.11.2021
9.Palakkad: Nil
10.Malappuram: Nil
11.Kozhikkode: DCKKD/4545/2020/F4 dated 31.10.2021
12.Wayanad: DCWYD/2671/2021/DM5 dated 30.10.2021
13.Kannur: Nil
14.Kasaragod: Nil

Annexure-2: District Covid 19 Control Room Numbers Oxygen War Room Numbers

District	Covid 19 Control Room Numbers	Oxygen War Room Numbers
Thiruvananthapuram	9188610100, 1077, 0471 277 9000	7592939426, 7592949448
Kollam	0474 2797609, 2794006, 8589015556	75920 03857
Alappuzha	0477 2239999, 2238642, 2238651	7594041555
Pathanamthitta	0468 2222515, 0468 2228220	1077, 8547715558
ldukki	18004255640, 0486 2232220, 2233118	18004255640, 04862233118
Kottayam	9188610014, 9188610016, 0481 2304800,	0481 256 7390
	0481 2583200, 0481 2566100, 0481	
	2566700, 0481 2561300	
Ernakulam	0484 2368702, 0484 2368802, 0484	75940 46167
	2368902	
	Guest Control Room 9072303275,	
	9072303276	
	WhatsApp Number 9400021077	
Thrissur	9400066921, 9400066922, 9400066923	9400063430, 7034099935
Palakkad	0491 251 0580, 04912510583	0491251 0577, 8848902376
	0491 251 0575, 0491 251 0576, 251 0574	
Malappuram	0483 2737858, 0483 2737857,0483	0483 2952950
	2733251, 0483 2733252, 2733253	
Calicut	0495 2371471, 0495 2376063	75940-01419, 7594001485
	Collectorate 0495 2371002	
Kannur	0497 2700194, 2713437, 9400066062,	8281899687
	9400066616	
Wayanad	04936 202343, 04936 202375	9526831678
Kasaragod	9946000493, 9946000293	9645002811

Annexure-3: Table of links to documents, guidelines, and websites

Dashboard	https://dashboard.kerala.gov.in/
Daily Bulletin	http://dhs.kerala.gov.in/ഡെയിലി- ബൂള്ളറ്റിന്%E2%80%8D/

Guidelines and Advisories	http://dhs.kerala.gov.in/ജാഗ്രത- നിര്%E2%80%8Dദേശങ്ങള്%E2%80%8D/
Awareness materials	https://www.dropbox.com/sh/l2h2n9hu737lea3/AAD43CHbedUZa_8PUY9v3m0Wa?dl=0
Posters	http://dhs.kerala.gov.in/photo-gallery/
COVID-19 Jagratha	https://covid19jagratha.kerala.nic.in/
E Sanjeevani	https://esanjeevaniopd.in
NHM Kerala	https://arogyakeralam.gov.in/
Directorate of Health Services	https://dhs.kerala.gov.in/
Directorate of Medical Education	http://www.dme.kerala.gov.in/
Department of Health and Family Welfare	https://health.kerala.gov.in/
Training and IEC videos	https://www.youtube.com/c/keralahealthonlinetraining

Annexure-4: District Psychosocial support Helpline numbers

Annexure-4: District Esychosocial support neighbers		
District	COVID help line numbers	
Thiruvananthapuram	9846854844	
Kollam	0474 2740166, 8281086130	
Pathanamthitta	8281113911	
Alappuzha	4792344474	
Kottayam	9539355724	
Idukki	04862226929, 9496886418	
Ernakulam	04842351185, 9846996516	
Thrissur	48723831553	
Palakkad	4912533323	
Malappuram	7593843617, 7593843625	
Kozhikode	9495002270	
Wayanad	9400348670	
Kannur	04972734343, 9495142091	
Kasaragod	9072574748, 9447447888	

- District Helpline Numbers will be available from 9am to 4 pm.
- State Helpline Numbers DISHA 0471-2552056 and 1056 (Toll Free Number) will be available **24**x**7**