



**nCorona Virus Outbreak Control and Prevention State Cell**  
**Health & Family Welfare Department**  
**Government of Kerala**

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**SUB: nCorona – Health advisory for STUDENTS - Education Department –  
dated 5th Feb 2020**

In the light of nCorona virus outbreak in Kerala the Wuhan returnees and their contacts are under Home isolation and Hospital isolation. There may be school going children in the families. In order to ensure their safety the following guidelines are issued.

1. All students / teachers / other school staff members residing in families of WUHAN /CHINA Returnees who are already in HOME ISOLATION should not attend classes and should be in home isolation for 28 days from the date of contact with the returnee. If they develop symptoms they should contact the designated numbers of Medical College Hospital and District / General Hospitals. The Annexure attached.

Department of Education shall issue appropriate instructions from time to time regarding exams etc.

2. If any families are expecting return of their any of relatives, they may shift the school going children to other relatives houses so as to avoid home isolation upon return of the son/ daughter from WUHAN/ nCorona affected areas.

3. If no close contact has occurred with the WUHAN/ CHINA returnee, the student/ teacher/other school staff can stay with a relative in a different house and attend school.

4. A child with close contact with a confirmed nCorona case or belonging to a family with a history of contact with a confirmed nCorona case shall be in home isolation.

5.Ensure that other students/ teachers/staff with signs of fever, cold and upper respiratory infections do not attend the school for 3 days or until symptoms subsides, whichever is longer and consult a doctor.

6.On all Mondays, awareness sessions on novel corona virus prevention may be conducted in schools. Health department shall provide health education materials.

Close contact: Reference: nCorona Guidelines, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Govt. of Kerala, 26 January 2020.

**Definition of a Close Contact:**

1. Health care associated exposure, including providing direct care for nCoV patients, working with health care workers infected with novel coronavirus, visiting patients or staying in the same close environment as a nCoV patient.
2. Working together in close proximity or sharing the same classroom environment with a nCoV patient
3. Traveling together with a nCoV patient in any kind of conveyance
4. Living in the same household as a nCoV patient
- The epidemiological link may have occurred within a 14-day period before or after the onset of illness in the case under consideration.

7. Education Department may conduct a meeting with the stakeholders to do capacity building. They may have a cell at their department to facilitate the activities as per the guidelines above.

  
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY

**DETAILS OF ISOLATION, MCH AND GH- DH HOSPITALS DESIGNATED FOR 2019 nCoV MANAGEMENT, KERALA**

	Name of Isolation Facility	Supt Name and Contact No.	Nodal Officer Name & Contact Number	Name of Medical College Hospital	Supt Name and Contact No.	Nodal Officer Name & Contact Number
TVM	GH TVM	Dr Padmalatha 9447753851	Dr P B Meenakumari 9446705590	MCH TVM	Dr Sharmad 9447205445	Dr Aravind R 9447834808 0471-2528125
KLM	District Hospital, Kollam	Dr Vasanthadas 9947446066	Dr Anuroop, 7358645451	GMC Parippally	Dr Habeeb, 9846788006	Dr Zinia, 7907862136
PTA	DH Kozhenchery	Dr. Prathibha 9447608856	Dr. Jinesh 9496651625	GH Pathanamthitta	Dr Sajan Mathew 9447223399	Dr Ashish Mohan 9947370079
IDK	DH Thodupuzha		Dr Josemon 9496357226	Al Azar MCH Thodupuzha	Dr. Shiyas- 9446034201	Dr. Vivek - 9746686957
	DH Idukki		Dr Deepesh 9447169947			
KTM	GH Kottayam	Dr. Bindu Kumari R, 9605408756	Dr. Sindhu G Nair, 9447347282	MCH Kottayam	Dr. Jaya Kumar, 9447355841	Dr. SajithKumar ,9447239277
ALP	GH Alappuzha	Dr. Jamuna varghese- 9495408483	Dr. Sreenath 9744117055	MCH Alappuzha	Dr. RV Ramlal 9447037787	DR. Juby John 9846671588
EKM	DH Aluva	Dr Prasanna 9744841155		Ernakulam MCH	Dr Peter Vazhayil 9645938855	Dr Fathahudeen 9847278924
TSR	District Hospital	Dr. Sree Devi 7736557029	Dr.Sumesh,Ph No:9895558784	MCCH Thrissur	Dr. Biju Krishnan 9447379549	Dr. Rajesh,Ph No:9995420412
PKD	District Hospital,  THQH Ottapalam,	Dr.Remadevi(9446728110), Dr.Thaj Paul(9847031197	Dr.Sona (9446074423),  Dr.Manoj (9495657880)	-	-	-
MPM	DH Tirur	Dr. Baby Lakshmi, 9447096666	Dr. Krishna Das, 9947424562	GMCH Manjeri	Dr. Nandakumar 9447629030	Sr. Shinas Babu 9645289308
KKD	GGH KOZHIKODE	Dr.Ummer Farook 9526960055	Dr. Michael 9847476700	Govt, Medical College, Kozhikode	Dr. SajeethKumar KG Mob:9847649068	Dr. Sheela Mathew Mob:9447760932

WYD	District Hospital Manathavady	Dr.Noona Marja, 8111970336	Dr. Raheem 9496344562			
	GH Kalpetta	Dr Sreekumar 9495150128	Dr Arun M A 8075377084 9446016129			
KNR	District Hospital Kannur	Dr. Raveendran 9447543789	Dr.Abilash.N 9961730233	Gov.Medical College Kannur	Dr Sudeep 9446844154	Dr Jayasree 9446420557
	GH Thalassery	Dr. Peeyush Namboodi 9645333001	Dr. Aneesh 9447804603			
KSD	1)DH Kanhangad	DrPrakashan 9744000208	Dr .Aarathee Renjith (JAMODMO(H) Kasaragod)- 9400315857	Nil		
	2)GH Kasaragod	Dr .Rajaram-9846005646				