

GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE

COVID-19 MEDIA BULLETIN

DATE: 18-08-2023

The first case of Corona Virus infection, which has caused a pandemic resulting in catastrophic health implications and human miseries throughout the globe, was detected in state on 08.03.2020. It was a case of international traveler returning to Bengaluru Urban.

A robust surveillance system with elaborate contingency plan is in place for limiting the spread of the disease.

In the fight against COVID-19 pandemic an effective intervention in the form of COVID vaccination has been implemented in Karnataka since January 16th 2021 as per Government of India operational guidelines.

The state is addressing the ongoing challenge of COVID 19 through the 5 pillars of Management i.e., "Test- Track- Treat- Vaccinate and Adherence to COVID Appropriate Behaviour".

1	Today's Discharges	0			
2	Total Discharges	4048364			
3	Today's Tests Conducted	1895			
4	Total Tests Conducted	71171194			
5	Today's Positives	3			
6	Total Active Cases	9			
7	Deaths Reported Today	0			
8	Total Covid Deaths	40315			
9	Total Positive Cases	4088730			
10	Positivity Rate for the day	0.15%			
11	Weekly Total Positivity Rate [#]	0.14%			
12	Case Fatality Rate (CFR) for the day	0.00			
13	Weekly Case Fatality Rate [#] 0.00				

From 12-08-2023 to 18-08-2023

	Screening at International Airports							
SI. No	Intl Airport	Last 24 hrs	Cumulative					
1	Total Passengers screened at Air ports	4861	3392753					
2	Total Passengers tested at Airports	0	95113					
3	Total Positives	0	767					





Source: CoWIN Portal district wise report								
	Day 944(till 3:30 PM)	Cumulative (16.01.2021 to 18.08.2023)						
Achievement of HCW 1st dose	0	766654						
Achievement of HCW 2nd dose	0	767123						
Achievement of HCW Precaution Dose	22	545382						
Achievement of FLW 1st dose	0	946409						
Achievement of FLW 2nd dose	0	949625						
Achievement of FLW Precaution Dose	1	610768						
Achievement of 12-14 years 1st dose	0	2325406						
Achievement of 12-14 years 2nd dose	20	2151161						
Achievement of 15-17 years 1st dose	0	2816443						
Achievement of 15-17 years 2nd dose	0	2719866						
Achievement of 18-44 years 1st dose	0	29396985						
Achievement of 18-44 years 2nd dose	0	29576506						
Achievement of 44-59yrs 1st dose	0	11601270						
Achievement of 44-59yrs 2nd dose	0	11776652						
Achievement of above 60 years 1st dose	0	7321575						
Achievement of above 60 years 2nd dose	0	7450867						
Achievement of 18+ years Precaution Dose	19	6717679						
Achievement of 60+ years Precaution Dose	1	3711383						
Achievement of > 45 years 1st dose	0	18922845						
Achievement of > 45 years 2nd dose	0	19227519						
Total 1st dose administered	0	55174742						
Total 2nd dose administered	20	55391800						
Total Precaution Doses administered	43	11585212						
Total Achievement	63	122151754						
Severe AEFIs	0	2						
Serious AEFIs	0	23						

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Test done details -17-08-2023						
Date	Rapid Antigen Detection Test	RT PCR & Other methods	Total Test			
Today	1147	748	1895			
Cumulative Total (For 2023 till today)	607122	833524	1440646			
Cumulative Total (For 2022)	3165442	9977684	13143126			
Cumulative Total (For year 2021)	6954678	35436679	42391357			
Cumulative Total (for year 2020)	3726803	10469262	14196065			
Cumulative Total (Tilldate)	14454045	56717149	71171194			

	Genome Sequencing COVID -19 Variants identified till date.										
SI.	VoC/VoI	March 2021- Dec- 2021		Jan-2022- Dec-2022		Jan-Apr-2023		May & june-2023		Grand Total	
No.		VOC reported	% contribution	VOC reported	% contribution	VOC reported	% contribution	VOC reported	% contribution	VOC reported	% contribution
1	Alpha	156	3.50%	-	-	•		-		156	0.76%
2	Beta	8	0.20%	-	-	-		-		8	0.03%
3	Delta & its Sublineages	4027	90.70%	599	4.02%					4626	22.78%
4	Others (ETA/kappa/ pango)	184	4.10%	961	6.45%	147	20.60%	23	8.42%	1315	6.47%
5	Omicron of Which	66	1.50%	13319	89.50%	564	79.32%	250	91.57%	14199	69.93%
5a	BA 1.1.529	62	93.90.%	1809	13.58%	2	0.35%			1873	13.19%
5b	BA1	4	6.10%	132	0.99%	0	0.00%			136	0.95%
5с	BA2	-		9904	74.53%	16	2.83%			9928	69.92%
5d	BA3	-	-	19	0.14%	2	0.35%	8	3.20%	21	0.14%
5e	BA4	-	•	102	0.76%	0	0.00%			102	0.71%
5F	BA5	-	•	1132	8.49%		0.00%			1132	7.97%
	(i) XBB			221	1.65%	544	96.45%	242	96.80%	1007	7.09%
	Total	4441		14879		711		273		20304	

^{*}Data received from SSU.









Programmatic Updates

Mental Health Counselling Data (held on 17.08.2023)

No of patients counselled	Cumulative No of patients counselled
0	2808460

1	Karnataka has operationalised State Control Room & District Control Room for real time monitoring, address COWIN portal issues, AEFI queries and media scanning.
02	"Corona Watch" Mobile AP-P- can be downloaded from https://covid19.karnataka.gov. in In this app you can see
	the spots visited by Positive Patients up to 14 days Prior to testing Positive. Also, it shows the nearest First
	Respondent Hospitals and Helpline numbers.
03	During the COVID-19 lockdown period, for assisting public on fever, cold, cough & respiratory
	Problems a unique helpline Number 14410 called "Apthamitra" has been started by Government of
	Karnataka. 210 lines have been reserved for receiving calls of COVID-19.
04	To know the Result of the Covid test using SRF ID, please followthe link-
	https://www.covidwar.karnataka.gov.in/service1

Appeal to Public: Any individual who has been in personal contact with COVID-19 infected person must remain in Home Isolation irrespective of having any symptoms or not. Also, should self-notify if symptomatic to nearest Government Hospital or free call "Aptamitra" Helpline 14410. Follow COVID appropriate behavior such as maintain personal hygiene, wear mask covering both nose and mouth, use tissue paper/handkerchief while coughing or sneezing, frequently wash hands with soap and water or use hand sanitizer, maintain social distance and avoid attending mass social gatherings etc.,

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

Govt. of Karnataka Official COVID-19 Information Website:

http://covid19.karnataka.gov.in

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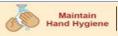
COVID-19 Vaccination Program Information:

District wise COVID-19 vaccination coverage Cumulative till 18.08.2023, 3:30 PM (Source: District wise coverage in CoWIN Portal) ement of 12-14 Achiev Achievement Front Line Worker Achievement of 18-44 years Achievement of 45+ years District **Total Achievement** Total Doses 1st Dose 2nd Dose 2nd Dose 2nd Dose 2nd Dose BBMP Belagavi Mysore Bellary Tumkur Kalaburgi Vijayapura Dakshina Kannada Dharwad Hassan Bagalkot Mandya Raichur Bangalore Urban Chitradurga Shimoga Bidar Davanagere Kolar Koppal Uttar Kannada Udupi Chikkaballapur Yadgir Bangalore Rura Chikamagalui Gadag Chamarajanaga Kodagu Total

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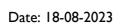




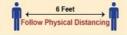


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	Districtwise Abstract of COVID-19								
SI. No	District Name	Today's Positives	Total Positives	Today's Discharges	Total Discharges	Total Active Cases	Today's Reported Covid Deaths	Total Covid Deaths	Death due to Non- Covid reasons
1	Bagalakote	0	41322	0	40953	0	0	369	0
2	Ballari	0	117807	0	116012	0	0	1793	2
3	Belagavi	0	101948	0	100940	0	0	1006	2
4	Bengaluru Rural	0	80828	0	79914	0	0	914	0
5	Bengaluru urban	3	1886949	0	1869940	8	0	17000	1
6	Bidar	0	30117	0	29693	0	0	420	4
7	Chamarajanagara	0	44473	0	43934	0	0	528	11
8	Chikkaballapura	0	56264	0	55801	0	0	462	1
9	Chikkamagaluru	0	58293	0	57886	0	0	407	0
10	Chitradurga	0	46719	0	46477	0	0	242	0
11	Dakshina Kannada	0	137328	0	135462	0	0	1856	10
12	Davanagere	0	58510	0	57881	0	0	629	0
13	Dharwada	0	86537	0	85116	0	0	1414	7
14	Gadag	0	30727	0	30388	0	0	339	0
15	Hassana	0	146021	0	144710	0	0	1309	2
16	Haveri	0	27305	0	26629	0	0	676	0
17	Kalaburagi	0	78029	0	77133	0	0	896	0
18	Kodagu	0	50946	0	50591	0	0	354	1
19	Kolara	0	64392	0	63725	0	0	667	0
20	Koppala	0	41621	0	41076	0	0	545	0
21	Mandya	0	102537	0	101824	1	0	712	0
22	Mysuru	0	234544	0	231968	0	0	2576	0
23	Raichuru	0	46500	0	46130	0	0	370	0
24	Ramanagara	0	31352	0	31003	0	0	349	0
25	Shivamogga	0	86324	0	85173	0	0	1150	1
26	Tumakuru	0	160993	0	159768	0	0	1225	0
27	Udupi	0	96512	0	95962	0	0	550	0
28	Uttara Kannada	0	72332	0	71512	0	0	820	0
26	Vijayanagar	0	151	0	151	0	0	0	0
30	Vijayapura	0	41285	0	40762	0	0	523	0
31	Yadagiri	0	30028	0	29817	0	0	211	0
32	Others*	0	36	0	33	0	0	3	0
	Total	3	4088730	0	4048364	9	0	40315	42











Annexure – I

	Today's Discharges						
Sl.No	District Name	Total	Patient Number*				
1	Bagalakote	0	0				
2	Ballari	0	0				
3	Belagavi	0	0				
4	Bengaluru Rural	0	0				
5	Bengaluru Urban	0	0				
6	Bidar	0	0				
7	Chamarajanagara	0	0				
8	Chikkaballapura	0	0				
9	Chikkamagaluru	0	0				
10	Chitradurga	0	0				
11	DakshinaKannada	0	0				
12	Davanagere	0	0				
13	Dharwada	0	0				
14	Gadag	0	0				
15	Hassana	0	0				
16	Haveri	0	0				
17	Kalaburagi	0	0				
18	Kodagu	0	0				
19	Kolara	0	0				
20	Koppala	0	0				
21	Mandya	0	0				
22	Mysuru	0	0				
23	Raichuru	0	0				
24	Ramanagara	0	0				
25	Shivamogga	0	0				
26	Tumakuru	0	0				
27	Udupi	0	0				
28	Uttara Kannada	0	0				
29	Vijayanagar	0	0				
30	Vijayapura	0	0				
31	Yadagiri	0	0				
	Total	0					

^{*} Patient numbers are State P Code

Annexure – 2

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No COVID-19 Death reported today.





