



GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE

COVID-19

MEDIA BULLETIN

DATE: 23-03-2023

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	137
2	Total Discharges	4034902
3	Today's Tests Conducted	1795
4	Total Tests Conducted	70222045
5	New Cases Reported Today (22.03.2023, 00:00 to 23:59)	111
6	Total Active Cases	631
7	Today's Deaths Reported	1
8	Total Covid Deaths	40278
9	Total Positive Cases	4075853
10	Positivity Rate for the day (22.03.2023, 00:00 to 23:59)	5.46%
11	Weekly Total Positivity Rate [#]	3.86%
12	Case Fatality Rate (CFR) for the day (22.03.2023, 00:00 to 23:59)	0.90%
13	Weekly Case Fatality Rate [#]	0.44%

From 17-03-2023 to 23-03-2023

(22.03.2023, 00:00 to 23:59)							CUMULATIVE	
Sl. No	Intl Airport	No of Intl flights	No of passengers	Passenger tested	Result Recived	Positive Reports	Positive (Mar -2023)	Positive since 2020
1	Bengaluru	30	4489	103	101	0	7	3628
2	Managaluru	4	531	13	10	0	0	678

Particulars		Cumulative
A	Total Passengers screened at Air ports	2604285
B	Total Passengers tested at Airports	78322



COVID-19 Vaccination coverage report as on 23.03.2023 (3:30 PM)		
Source: CoWIN Portal district wise report		
	Day 796 (till 3:30 PM)	Cumulative (16.01.2021 to 23.03.2023)
Achievement of HCW 1st dose	0	766654
Achievement of HCW 2nd dose	0	767122
Achievement of HCW Precaution Dose	0	545213
Achievement of FLW 1st dose	0	946409
Achievement of FLW 2nd dose	0	949622
Achievement of FLW Precaution Dose	1	610707
Achievement of 12-14 years 1st dose	0	2325169
Achievement of 12-14 years 2nd dose	2	2150689
Achievement of 15-17 years 1st dose	1	2816403
Achievement of 15-17 years 2nd dose	1	2719823
Achievement of 18-44 years 1st dose	5	29396608
Achievement of 18-44 years 2nd dose	14	29576218
Achievement of 44-59yrs 1st dose	0	11601241
Achievement of 44-59yrs 2nd dose	0	11776619
Achievement of above 60 years 1st dose	0	7321562
Achievement of above 60 years 2nd dose	0	7450849
Achievement of 18+ years Precaution Dose	23	6714096
Achievement of 60+ years Precaution Dose	0	3711277
Achievement of > 45 years 1st dose	0	18922803
Achievement of > 45 years 2nd dose	0	19227468
Total 1st dose administered	6	55174046
Total 2nd dose administered	17	55390942
Total Precaution Doses administered	24	11581293
Total Achievement	47	122146281
Severe AEFIs	0	2
Serious AEFIs	0	23

LABORATORY DATA

Test done details -22-03-2023			
Date	Rapid Antigen Detection Test	RT PCR & Other methods	Total Test
Today	414	1381	1795
Cumulative Total (For 2023 till today)	172868	318629	491497
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)	14019791	56202254	70222045

Genome Sequencing COVID -19 Variants identified till date.									
Sl. No.	VoC/Vol	March 2021- Dec-2021		Jan-2022- Dec-2022		Jan-Mar-2023		Grand Total	
		VOC reported	% contribution	VOC reported	% contribution	VOC reported	% contribution	VOC reported	% contribution
1	Alpha	156	3.50%	-	-	-	-	156	0.79%
2	Beta	8	0.20%	-	-	-	-	8	0.04%
3	Delta & its Sublineages	4027	90.70%	599	4.02%	-	-	4626	23.56%
4	Others (ETA/kappa/ pango)	184	4.10%	961	6.45%	101	32.47%	1246	6.34%
5	Omicron of Which	66	1.50%	13319	89.50%	210	67.52%	13595	69.25%
5a	BA 1.1.529	62	93.90.%	1809	13.58%	2	0.09%	1873	13.77%
5b	BA1	4	6.10%	132	0.99%	-	-	136	1.00%
5c	BA2	-	-	9904	74.53%	14	6.66%	9918	72.95%
5d	BA3	-	-	19	0.14%	-	-	19	0.13%
5e	BA4	-	-	102	0.76%	0	-	102	0.75%
5f	BA5	-	-	1132	8.49%	-	-	1132	8.32%
	(i) XBB	-	-	221	1.65%	194	92.30%	415	3.05%
	Total	4441		14879		311		19631	

*Data received from SSU.



Programmatic Updates

Mental Health Counselling Data (held on 22.03.2023)

No of patients counselled	Cumulative No of patients counselled
0	2808034

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 follow the 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.,**

Help us to Help you ←-----→ Stay Home, Be Safe
Let us fight COVID-19 together

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>



COVID-19 Vaccination Program Information:

District wise COVID-19 vaccination coverage																							
Cumulative till 23.03.2023, 3:30 PM (Source: District wise coverage in CoWIN Portal)																							
Sl.No.	District	Achievement Health Care Worker			Achievement Front Line Worker			Achievement of 12-14 years		Achievement of 15-17 years		Achievement of 18-44 years		Achievement of 45+ years		Achievement of 18+ years		Achievement of 60+ years		Total Achievement			
		1st Dose	2nd Dose	Precaution Dose	1st Dose	2nd Dose	Precaution Dose	1st Dose	2nd Dose	1st Dose	2nd Dose	1st Dose	2nd Dose	1st Dose	2nd Dose	Precaution Dose	Precaution Dose	1st Dose	2nd Dose	Precaution Dose	Total Doses Administered		
1	BBMP	210432	207280	99800	382052	373682	146764	297506	254659	361872	356121	5759042	5673977	2678548	2645473	847170	402699	9689452	9511192	1496433	20697077		
2	Belagavi	44528	44845	38293	69155	69213	56500	188091	177662	232788	227724	2093251	2142164	1438683	1477869	408707	292397	4066496	4139477	795897	9001870		
3	Mysore	40382	40875	27151	36042	36593	21804	109409	108266	135339	134858	1389158	1409772	1035511	1056069	509287	216949	2745841	2786433	775191	6307465		
4	Bellary	22180	22599	20199	21523	21524	14633	126598	119998	157176	151503	1304893	1325520	749176	770578	404866	142773	2381546	2411722	582471	5375739		
5	Tumkur	22971	23071	19934	20666	21978	14541	90168	81739	100682	97151	1077507	1079289	914909	928243	185985	113582	2226903	2231471	334042	4792416		
6	Kalaburgi	23725	24007	14425	25978	26079	17282	120383	105082	151095	129137	1159555	1183568	658624	685824	154612	77833	2139360	2153697	264152	4557209		
7	Vijayapura	16706	16991	12781	27566	27575	23902	100525	98473	118089	106921	1036558	1015798	640368	645098	253924	124411	1939812	1910856	415018	4265686		
8	Dakshina Kannada	50266	48863	30221	14149	14562	12270	71765	67971	96011	95114	946338	955110	707647	712649	115692	89950	1886176	1894269	248133	4028578		
9	Dharwad	22160	22259	19827	18317	18856	20101	74375	64792	84028	79647	902348	908848	567542	583076	186570	94079	1669370	1677478	320577	3667425		
10	Hassan	17500	17788	14432	18297	18898	13927	51464	49004	60606	58282	734311	741692	610340	623356	239684	186420	1492518	1509020	454463	3456001		
11	Bagalkot	18111	18325	14015	26216	26195	14267	81931	71988	93039	88739	841115	838744	538130	544685	148263	91863	1598542	1588676	268408	3455626		
12	Mandya	15343	15590	14152	14442	15038	13655	54427	51484	60344	59909	691623	715261	633306	653055	254385	187866	1469485	1510337	470058	3449880		
13	Raichur	14963	15297	13450	11493	11952	12244	86775	82066	82595	81068	874105	882356	465394	475558	206949	78311	1535325	1548297	310954	3394576		
14	Bangalore Urban	35048	34254	21038	28908	30727	29192	56462	50752	62395	61672	950372	931877	388679	378100	231041	66281	1521864	1487382	347552	3356798		
15	Chitradurga	13633	14283	14926	30005	29676	33502	60740	54835	75408	73273	701028	706883	541264	549511	166037	134435	1422078	1428461	348900	3199439		
16	Shimoga	23172	22800	14411	18198	18050	9741	58274	49861	72266	70070	736037	731617	555689	562897	166947	81249	1463636	1455295	272348	3191279		
17	Bidar	13603	13864	11780	22583	22960	16999	73134	67095	87232	85291	739640	764312	487462	510320	117480	79173	1423654	1463842	225432	3112928		
18	Davanagere	15959	15944	11748	15943	16331	8424	54102	53396	79832	79130	697429	705373	519648	532566	198551	103088	1382913	1402740	321811	3107464		
19	Kolar	14830	15157	13878	17451	18127	19243	55059	51971	78044	72652	721707	750053	452199	470947	204214	130735	1337290	1378907	368070	3084267		
20	Haveri	9738	9896	8819	9053	9505	8477	59515	59135	76739	73329	727793	730010	460341	471159	128549	77299	1343179	1353034	223144	2919357		
21	Koppal	10231	10364	11131	12269	12634	12547	67181	66480	84049	82476	626507	621332	355389	366640	213341	90153	1155626	1159926	327172	2642724		
22	Uttar Kannada	15452	15548	13495	11067	11394	9333	44645	44058	57304	56262	575223	578275	472861	482341	131428	95681	1176552	1187878	249937	2614367		
23	Udupi	24295	24330	19030	7315	7576	6916	35901	35876	49362	48965	510660	506901	463478	463261	146958	149997	1091011	1086909	322901	2500821		
24	Chikkaballapur	9716	9921	9147	10770	11066	8874	44788	43144	59063	58221	546842	546750	417652	425497	200090	95205	1088831	1094599	313316	2496746		
25	Yadgir	6255	6430	6433	17768	17816	12801	63198	52338	63322	58143	529629	547831	290156	306072	184143	59924	970328	988630	263301	2222259		
26	Bangalore Rural	11354	11622	10572	17601	18590	16418	39917	37791	41387	40119	513249	553636	297419	298342	165771	54409	920927	960100	247170	12128197		
27	Ramanagara	9262	9593	9106	12908	13422	13476	34080	31281	40087	38895	450501	463213	357906	365748	140828	121132	904744	922152	284542	2111438		
28	Chikmagalur	10132	10319	8757	7874	8249	4976	33889	33572	42414	42261	423084	435203	379090	383993	131137	76231	896483	913597	221101	2031181		
29	Gadag	10371	10528	9201	8980	9233	7034	41930	38755	59185	57720	487443	480970	313461	317798	89456	62202	921370	915004	167893	2004267		
30	Chamarajanagar	7992	8112	7255	7017	7222	6481	30428	28833	32327	31756	427974	419891	351596	357697	114833	93019	857334	853511	221588	1932433		
31	Kodagu	6344	6367	5806	4803	4899	4383	18509	18332	24323	23414	221086	229992	180335	183046	67198	41931	455400	466050	119318	1040768		
Total		766654	767122	545213	946409	949622	610707	2325169	2150689	2816403	2719823	29396608	29576218	18922803	19227468	6714096	3711277	55174046	55390942	11581293	122146281		



Districtwise Abstract of COVID-19

Sl. 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	41210	0	40841	0	0	369	0
2	Ballari	2	117474	2	115654	30	0	1788	2
3	Belagavi	2	101836	0	100824	4	0	1006	2
4	Bengaluru Rural	1	80414	0	79492	10	0	912	0
5	Bengaluru urban	67	1879390	67	1861986	409	0	16994	1
6	Bidar	0	30073	1	29645	4	0	420	4
7	Chamarajanagara	0	44381	0	43842	0	0	528	11
8	Chikkaballapura	2	56209	0	55743	3	0	462	1
9	Chikkamagaluru	0	58089	0	57681	1	0	407	0
10	Chitradurga	1	46641	3	46391	8	0	242	0
11	Dakshina Kannada	2	137221	0	135352	7	0	1852	10
12	Davanagere	3	58202	1	57566	8	0	628	0
13	Dharwada	0	86417	2	84998	2	1	1410	7
14	Gadag	2	30702	0	30360	3	0	339	0
15	Hassana	1	145872	2	144555	6	0	1309	2
16	Haveri	0	27247	3	26572	0	0	675	0
17	Kalaburagi	4	77733	12	76822	19	0	892	0
18	Kodagu	2	50909	4	50548	6	0	354	1
19	Kolara	0	64297	0	63627	3	0	667	0
20	Koppala	0	41593	0	41047	1	0	545	0
21	Mandya	1	102477	0	101762	3	0	712	0
22	Mysuru	5	234124	9	231526	23	0	2575	0
23	Raichuru	0	46342	0	45968	5	0	369	0
24	Ramanagara	0	31335	0	30986	0	0	349	0
25	Shivamogga	14	84918	23	83705	66	0	1146	1
26	Tumakuru	0	160881	0	159658	0	0	1223	0
27	Udupi	1	96464	1	95912	2	0	550	0
28	Uttara Kannada	1	72097	7	71275	3	0	819	0
29	Vijayapura	0	41242	0	40715	5	0	522	0
30	Yadagiri	0	30027	0	29816	0	0	211	0
31	Others*	0	36	0	33	0	0	3	0
Total		111	4075853	137	4034902	631	1	40278	42



Annexure - I

Today's Discharges

Sl.No	District Name	Total	Patient Number*
1	Bagalakote	0	0
2	Ballari	2	4131713 4131730
3	Belagavi	0	0
4	Bengaluru Rural	0	0
5	Bengaluru Urban	67	4131370 4131387 4131507 4131515 4131529 4131549 4131551 4131559 4131562 4131566 4131567 4131568 4131571 4131573 4131574 4131575 4131576 4131578 4131579 4131580 4131583 4131589 4131590 4131603 4131609 4131625 4131627 4131628 4131636 4131638 4131647 4131649 4131651 4131630 4131632 4131639 4131653 4131656 4131657 4131660 4131663 4131665 4131669 4131679 4131687 4131688 4131693 4131718 4131722 4131747 4131755 4131761 4131767 4131558 4131560 4131594 4131607 4131619 4131621 4131622 4131623 4131624 4131770 4131772 4131774 4131776 4131710
6	Bidar	1	4131678
7	Chamarajanagara	0	0
8	Chikkaballapura	0	0
9	Chikkamagaluru	0	0
10	Chitradurga	3	4131709 4131714 4131727
11	DakshinaKannada	0	0
12	Davanagere	1	4131086
13	Dharwada	2	4131848 4132012
14	Gadag	0	0
15	Hassana	2	4131732 4131746
16	Haveri	3	4131892 4131823 4132009
17	Kalaburagi	12	4131698 4131700 4131704 4131705 4131706 4131707 4131733 4131736 4131738 4131740 4131741 4131611
18	Kodagu	4	4131719 4131721 4131830 4131837
19	Kolar	0	0
20	Koppala	0	0
21	Mandya	0	0
22	Mysuru	9	4131729 4131731 4131734 4131735 4131743 4131750 4131737 4131742 4131277
23	Raichuru	0	0
24	Ramanagara	0	0
25	Shivamogga	23	4131681 4131715 4131716 4131846 4131849 4131851 4131854 4131855 4131856 4131857 4131858 4131859 4131860 4131863 4131868 4131869 4131870 4131871 4131876 4131877 4131879 4131882 4131884
26	Tumakuru	0	0
27	Udupi	1	4131686
28	Uttara Kannada	7	4131841 4131844 4131985 4131996 4132140 4132146 4132152
29	Vijayapura	0	0
30	Yadagiri	0	0
Total		137	

* Patient numbers are State P Code

Annexure – 2

Today's Reported COVID-19 Deaths: 01

Sl. No	District	State P No.	Age in Yrs	Sex	Description	Symptoms	Co-Morbidities	DOA	DOD	Place of Death
1	Dharwada	4131598	65	MALE	SARI	Fever, Cough, Breathlessness	DM, HTN, AKI BPH	12-03-2023	22-03-2023	Private Hospital

