



GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE SERVICE
BENGALURU



NOVEL CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19)
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World Health Organization has declared the recent Novel Corona Virus (COVID 2019) as *International Public Health Emergency of International Concern* and is affected 76 countries.

In this context, Karnataka state has strengthened all surveillance and control measures against the disease. Till date, **560** travelers from “COVID 2019” affected countries have been identified and **352** are under home isolation, **4 Chinese** passengers have left the country and **03** are admitted in selected isolation Hospital. Till date **256** Samples of symptomatic are sent for testing out of which **251** samples are eligible for testing and **238** samples are reported as Negative, **201** Passengers have completed 28 days of observation. **104 Arogya Sahayavani (call center)** has reserved two seater for receiving calls and providing guidance for COVID-19. Till today **6953 calls** have been received and information given. Currently **40207 passengers** have been screened at KIA Airport Bengaluru.

In the background of the present *n-Corona Virus* outbreak in China, the general public is advised to adhere to health advisories issued by the State Government. In case any person with recent travel history to China and other affected countries and have developed any symptoms, are requested to immediately *contact 104–Arogya Sahyavani* (Call Centre) or health authorities and provide all necessary details in order to take precautionary measures and are requested to be home isolated.

All the home isolated persons are requested to follow the home isolation advisory issued by Department of Health and Family Welfare Services, Karnataka.

The recent developments, a total 5 confirmed cases are reported from the Country out of which 3 cases from Kerala, one from Telangana State and one from New Delhi. The bordering districts of Dakshina Kannada, Kodagu, Chamrajnagar, Udupi, Mysuru, Raichur, Kalaburgi and Bidar are hereby on *COVID-19 Surveillance*.

ABSTRACT**Date : 03.03.2020**

	ACTIVITIES	TODAY	CUMULATIVE
A	NEW PASSENGERS ENROLLED FOR OBSERVATION	92	560
B	NO OF PASSENGERS WHO HAVE COMPLETED 28 DAYS OBSERVATION PERIOD	22	201
C	TRAVELERS / PASSENGERS ISOLATION AT RESIDENCE	90	352
D	TRAVELERS / PASSENGER/SUSPECTS ISOLATED AT HEALTH FACILITIES	2	3
E	TOTAL PASSENGER LEFT THE COUNTRY	0	4 (Chinese Passengers)
F	TOTAL SAMPLES COLLECTED	11	256
G	Out of "F" Total sample Eligible for testing	11	251
H	OUT OF "G" TEST RESULTS NEGATIVE	0	238

Statement showing District-wise COVID-19 passengers from affected countries enrolled for Isolation/Medical Observation as on 02.03.2020

Sl No.	Name of the District	Passengers enrolled Today	Cumulative till today	Passengers completed 28 days of Observation	Remarks
1	Bagalkote		0	0	
2	Bangalore Rural		9	0	
3	a) Bangalore Urban	84	420	133	4 Left the Country
	b) BBMP		17	11	
4	Belgavi		3	3	
5	Bellari		4	0	
6	Bidar		0	0	
7	Chamarajnar		0	0	
8	Chickkamagalur		0	0	
9	Chikkabalapura		10	4	
10	Chitradurga		0	0	
11	Dakshina Kannada		10	4	
12	Davanagere		1	1	
13	Dharwad		5	4	
14	Gadag		5	0	
15	Hassan		1	1	
16	Haveri		1	0	
17	Kalaburgi		0	0	
18	Kodagu		3	1	
19	Kolar		7	1	
20	Koppal		0	0	
21	Mandya		4	4	
22	Mysuru		8	7	
23	Raichur		0	0	
24	Ramanagar		0	0	
25	Shivamogga		3	3	
26	Tumakuru		5	1	
27	Udupi		10	8	
28	Uttara Kannada		2	2	
29	Vijayapura	7	10	3	
30	Yadgiri		1	1	
31	Others	1	21	10	Migrated passengers from other States
TOTAL		92	560	201	