



Monthly Bulletin

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From the Desk of The Secretary-General



It was an honour for me to congratulate the new Hon'ble Health & Family Welfare Minister Shri. Mansukh Mandaviya. We are privileged to have such a wonderful human being as the Union Health Minister. I am looking forward to achieve the envisaged milestones under his leadership.

Three factors will determine the timing and magnitude of future waves of Corona in the country. Individual choices, Vaccination coverage and Variants. Hence, I request all to take the vaccine before it's too late.

To prevent the third wave of the pandemic, all branches are requested to work in coordination with the local administration on the vaccination program, awareness generation campaign along with enhanced dissemination of covid appropriate behavior.

This month India witnessed floods in different parts of the country. IRCS volunteers are working day and night to provide aid to the victims and are actively helping the local administration in every aspect. I would like to thank all the branches concerned for undertaking various humanitarian activities like the distribution of hygiene kits, masks, soaps, sanitizers, food items etc. to the vulnerable and needy.

I pay my homage to Shri Kiranbhai Chudgar, Chairman of IRCS, Ahmedabad district Blood Centre who passed away this month. Under his able leadership IRCS, Ahmedabad district Blood Centre achieved many milestones. I would also like to pay my tribute to Dr. Manmohan Kaur, former Joint Secretary of IRCS (NHQ) who too passed away this month. She was a pillar of the Indian VBD movement. May their souls rest in peace.

I also take this opportunity to welcome Mr. Deepak Kumar Agarwal, IAS, who has been appointed as Secretary of IRCS, Chhattisgarh state branch.

I would like to thank all the donors & volunteers for their kind & generous support, you are our real strength & it is because of your faith in us that IRCS can overcome any challenges.



CONGRATULATIONS! We proudly present the STAR EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH Award to Mr. Rajesh Parera, Assistant accountant IRCS (NHQ) for ALWAYS HAVING SUCH AN UNCLUTTERED DESK! He has been a diligent worker in finance and accounts. We appreciate his efforts towards maintaining the cleanliness at work station.



Under the joint aegis of Himachal Pradesh Forest Department & Himachal Pradesh State Red Cross Society, 72nd Van Mahotsav sapling plantation program was held in the presence of Shri Avinash Rai Khanna, Hon'ble Vice Chairman of National Managing Body and Dr. Sadhna Thakur Hon'ble Vice President, State Red Cross Society. Peepal saplings were planted by Shri. Avinash Rai Khanna in the presence of (Hospital Welfare Branch).



Remi Maillard President of Airbus India & Managing Director of the South Asia region handed over the supplies (Oxygen concentrators, oxygen generator plants, ventilators and BIPAP breathing machines) to IRCS NHQ and arranged their transportation to different locations.

IRCS (NHQ) Presentation to Health & Family Welfare Minister



IRCS (NHQ) made a presentation to the newly appointed Hon'ble Health & Family Welfare Minister Shri. Mansukh Mandaviya. The presentation was mainly on the Red Cross Movement, current situation, future plan of action & some details about the response to Covid-19 second wave.

IRCS (NHQ) MEETINGS



A meeting was held on 14th July, 2021 to review the progress of Flood Early Warning Alert System project funded by Google.org and supported by IFRC. The project aims to target most vulnerable panchayats in Assam (78) and Bihar (76) and achieve last mile connectivity through delivery of flood warning alerts. Secretary General emphasised the need to ensure timely delivery of alerts at community level and judicious use of funds.

"Bring a life back to power."

Thank you, donors!



Blood donation camp-Kupwara district branch, Jammu& Kashmir



Blood donation camp- Boudh, Odisha



Blood donation camp, Manipur- Donor receiving the certificate

IRCS NHQ Blood Centre

"Excuses never save a life, Blood donation does"



The Month of JUNE 2021

Donors – 1848
Voluntary Donors in camps — 1271
Voluntary Donors in-house — 577
No. of camps— 29
Blood/Blood Components issued - 4187



Donating Blood During COVID-19 is Safe!

IRCS NHQ Blood Center timings for blood donation:

Monday- Saturday (except 2nd Saturday): 9 AM – 7 PM

2nd Saturday, Sunday, Public Holidays: 10 AM – 6 PM

Note: The NHQ Blood Center is open 24/7 for the issue of blood



Blood donation camp- Manipur



Purba Bardhaman District Branch, West Bengal held a blood donation camp at Aurobinda Stadium. 30 people donated blood



IRCS Blood Centre, Navsari Gujarat



Blood Donation Camp was jointly organised by: Young Pioneer Club Toubul, GREEN BRIGADE Manipur, 79-DMC Sc. STALWARTS, IRCS Bishnupur District, IRCS Imphal West District Branch, Manipur. 22 units of Blood were collected.



Blood donation camp -IRCS WARANGAL- 89 units of blood were collected

Distribution of Relief Materials/Soaps/Masks/HP kits/Medicines/food items etc. War against COVID-19 and other disasters



Distribution of Soaps & Masks- Rangat district, Andaman & Nicobar branch



Distribution of hygiene materials to 25 inmates (Women) of Swadhara Gruha, Narayanpur, Boudh, Odisha



Distribution of relief materials, North and Middle Andaman District Branch



Soaps and Masks distribution, Dantewada, Chhattisgarh



Mask distribution, Basti, U.P



Relief material distribution oc's and ventilators - IRCS, Kerala



Assam rifles held distribution of essential items at orphanage-South Tripura



Soaps and masks distribution- Paschim Medinipur district branch, IRCS West Bengal.



Distribution of hygiene materials to the Disabled persons, Boudh district, Odisha



Dengue awareness program and mosquito net distribution-Uttarakhand



Relief to fire victims-Bageshwar, Uttarakhand



Distribution of relief material to the fire victim at krushna prasad, Niali, Cuttack, Odisha



Volunteers of Indian Red Cross Society, Sonamura Sub-Divisional Branch, distributed relief materials among the fire affected family of Bejimara G P, Sonamura, Sepahijala, Tripura



IRCS, Andaman & Nicobar Branch through its District branch Rangat distributed relief materials to fire victim at Parnashala, Rangat.

We are grateful to all our Donors and Volunteers for their generous support for IRCS relief efforts on behalf of millions of underprivileged and vulnerable families struggling to survive in the aftermath of the COVID-19 Pandemic. Thank you for your compassion, patience, and contribution.

**Distribution of Relief Materials/Soaps/Masks/HP kits/Medicines/food items etc.
War against COVID-19,Floods and other disasters**

Response to Floods



Staff of Bel Air hospital at Panchgani held relief operation during the floods in Satara district of Maharashtra.



Flood relief material for Nirmal district,Telangana was flagged off by Hon'ble Governor Smt. Tamilsai Soudarajan



Volunteers from Kurundwad,Taluka Shirol rescued families affected during floods in Kolhapur district, Maharashtra.



Red Cross volunteers of Sonamura Sub divisional branch rescued flood-affected people of Nalchar RD block,Sonamura ,Sepahijala,Tripura.

**Meet people outside to
reduce the risk of Covid-19
infections.**



**If you have to meet inside, open the
windows and always wear a mask.**

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Covid-19 Vaccination drives



Vaccination program at Ganki school premises under Khowai District in Tripura



Free vaccination of 6,000 women through Bell Air Hospital, Satara, Maharashtra



Vaccination drive- Janjgir, Chhattisgarh



Volunteers of IRCS, Imphal West District Branch helped people in the Covid Vaccination drive at Women's Market.



Vaccination camp at Trichy, Tamilnadu



A free vaccination drive had been conducted by the Health Dept., Govt. of Assam in association with Margherita Sub District branch

Covid-19 antigen test and vaccination at different places of Sonamura Sub-Division by volunteers of Indian Red Cross Society, Sonamura Sub-Divisional Branch, Sonamura, Sepahijala, Tripura

Meetings, Webinars & Trainings

Role of Volunteers in Red Cross

Date: 18th July 2021, Sunday
Time: 4 p.m to 5:30 p.m. IST

Facilitator:
Prof. Ramesh V. Kulkarni
Hon. Secretary,
Indian Red Cross Society,
Pune District Branch.

COUNT ME ON! Volunteer

Helping people. Changing lives

IRCS, Youth Red Cross wing, Maharashtra State Branch organised an interactive webinar on "Role of Volunteers in Red Cross" by Prof. Ramesh V. Kulkarni, Hon. Secretary, Indian Red Cross Society, Pune District Branch.



To reach people living in far flung areas IRCS Jammu & Kashmir branch provided relief kits containing dry ration, blankets, tarpaulins, personal hygiene kits to fifty needy families.



Indian Red Cross Society, Ponda Goa, branch distributed juices, health drinks sponsored by Hindustan Coca Cola beverages to health centres of taluka in association with Rotary Club



A Virtual meeting was held with Raj Bhawan officials & Indian Red Cross functionaries Telangana in which distribution of relief materials to the victims of flood was appreciated.



Hon'ble Governor of Andhra Pradesh and President of AP Red Cross released 100 oxygen concentrators & 48,000 Covid testing vials donated by Singapore Red Cross for distribution.



Foundation stone for oxygen plant was laid at IRCS Bihar state branch with the capacity of producing 2.88 lac litres of oxygen per day.



Hon'ble Minister Maharashtra Govt. Rajesh Tope Inaugurated Indian Red Cross society's Oxygen Concentrators to be given free of cost to home quarantined Covid-19 Patients. - Kolhapur Red Cross, Maharashtra State



IRCS,Dhamtari,Chhattisgarh distributed masks and soaps to leprosy patients



IRCS-WEST BENGAL Hon'ble Chairman Santi karar & Syed Nasiruddin General Secretary/SHQ Donated one New Patient Transportation Ambulance to IRCS Tehatta SD Branch for their commendable work for service to needy.



Oxfam relief material (6000 masks in 6 boxes) was handed over to Dr. T.Bharati, Medical Superintendent, Ruia Hospital, Tirupati by the Indian Red Cross Society, Tirupati revenue division branch.



IRCS Assam State Branch had received 100 nos. of OC's and 8 nos. of Ventilators for its COVID19 response donated by Singapore Red Cross through IRCS-NHQ and Tamil Nadu State Branch.



Oxygen bank inaugurated Jalgaon District Branch. Maharashtra State



SBI donated ambulance to IRCS Ballari,Karnataka



Oppo India donated OC's -Manipur state branch



Rotary Bangalore South has donated FOUR BEDDED a Brand new blood drawing bus worth of 46 lakhs to the Red Cross Blood Center Bengaluru.



Junior red cross volunteer serving at Balod vaccination centre,Chhattisgarh



Oxygen concentrator bank was inaugurated at Red Cross Bhawan,Odisha

Indian Red Cross Society, Jalgaon
PRESENTS
"Oxygen Bank"
(For Covid Patients)
Oxygen Bank providing facilities are: Oxygen Concentrators, Oxygen Pipe Line, Oxygen Concentrators and other different types of Oxygen Facilities at Government Women (Covid) Hospital, Mohadi, Jalgaon.

Indian Red Cross Society
TAMIL NADU BRANCH
NEED OXYGEN SUPPORT AT HOME?
WE ARE HERE TO PROVIDE HELP
Capacity of 10 Litres
1. We will provide new mask & tube for every new user
2. Machine to be picked up & dropped back
3. All machines will be sanitized before being sent to another patient
4. Support us by keeping the machine in safe condition
5. The machine can be kept for maximum 15 days and return.
6. Cost of damage will be collected from the user
Free OXYGEN concentrator
Call Centre number
155247 / 044-28554548
9444441898
Refundable Deposit: Rs.5000/- or any Guarantee to age form.
Medical reports and Doctor's Prescription is required
Address proof, Author card & Patient Contact number to be submitted for the safety of machine
Machine subject to availability
Machine will be allotted first come first basis

भंडियन रेडक्रॉस सोसायटी, जलगाव
प्रस्तुत
"ऑक्सीजन बँक"
(कोविड रुग्णासाठी)
ऑक्सीजन बँक जागीर अस्पताल सुविधा - शुद्धा विलिफ्ट, ऑक्सीजन पाईप लाईन, ऑक्सीजन कंसंट्रेटर आणि इतर प्रकारचा ऑक्सीजन सुविधा प्रदान करणारी मशीन (कोविड) रुग्णांसाठी, मोहादी, जलगाव

Free Oxygen Concentrator bank providing aid to the patients

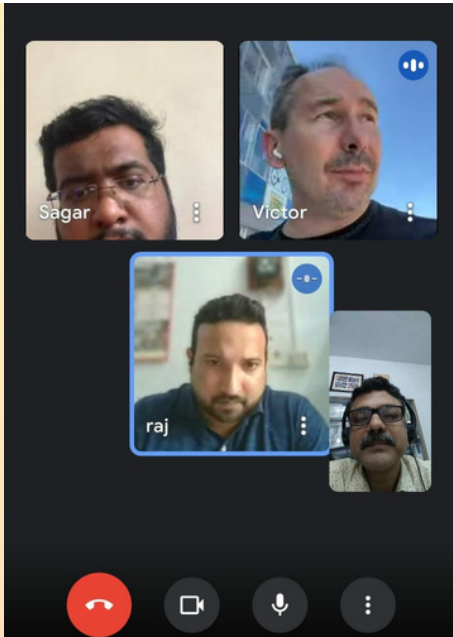


The Foundation stone laying ceremony of multipurpose warehouse had been done by hon'ble Governor of Uttarakhand in presence of hon'ble Health minister of Uttarakhand state.



Oxygen concentrator bank was inaugurated at Red Cross Bhawan,Odisha

Meetings, Webinars & Trainings



A video conference was organized by Assam State Branch with ON 2 solutions, Canada for the smooth installation of Oxygen Generators



Representative of Tripura State Branch attended a virtual meeting organized at Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia by IFRC.



Discussion & brain storming sessions were held among officials of National Headquarter, IFRC, Assam State Branch on Flood Early Warning Early action Google Project



IRCS Pune, Maharashtra organized First Aid Training for Hemnil Metal Processor private limited employees

Awareness Drive to Covid-19



Awareness on Covid-19 and distribution of Hygiene materials to the 25 inmates (Women) of Swadhara Gruha, Narayanpur, Boudh, Odisha



Vaccination Awareness drive, Chhattisgarh

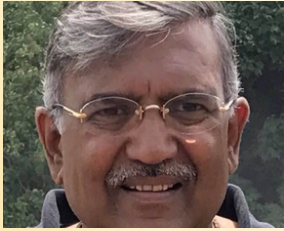


Malda District Branch, IRCS West Bengal held an awareness campaign on COVID-19. Masks and Soaps were distributed.



Awareness on Covid19 third wave to the NAC sweepers and sanitation workers were held along with this masks, soap and other hygiene materials were distributed by the Youth Red Cross, Boudh, Odisha

Tribute!



Shri Kiranbhai Chudgar, Chairman of Indian Red Cross Society, Ahmedabad district branch passed away this month. Under his able leadership Indian Red Cross Society, Ahmedabad District Branch achieved many milestones which includes Best Blood Centre of India in 2019-2020, got NABH Accreditation, Qimpro quality process excellence award in 2017 and highest voluntary blood collection award in Gujarat since 2012. NAT testing facility and Champaben Chudgar Blood Transfusion Centre were also established during his tenure of service.



Pillar of Indian VBD Movement, lifelong close friend of Smt. Kanta Saroop Krishenji, one of the founder of Blood Bank Society Chandigarh, ISBTI & FBDOL. Dr. Manmohan Kaur passed away on 5th July 2021 at Chandigarh. She had also served at IRCS NHQ as Joint Secretary from 1985-86 to 1990-91. She was also one of a very strong and respectable member of the Indian Council of Child Welfare, New Delhi



Celebration of Important days

NATIONAL DOCTORS DAY, 2021



Dr. B.B. Sinha, Chairman, Red Cross, Bihar facilitated by Sri S. Rana, C.G.M, S.B.I Bihar and Jharkhand on eve Of Doctor's Day at Red Cross Bhawan, Patna



Dr. M.S. Ansari, Honorary Secretary
IRCS, Uttarakhand State Branch was facilitated on the eve of Doctor's Day

WORLD POPULATION DAY, 2021



IRCS Dhamtari, Chhattisgarh on eve of World Population Day held an awareness session on population control.

CONGRATULATIONS!



"Nari Shakti"(Women Empowerment) award was given to Mrs. Mondira (Howrah District Branch), IRCS-WB for her outstanding services during the Covid-19 pandemic.



Rotary Club of Kankarbagh, Patna felicitated Dr. Binay Bahadur Sinha, Chairman, Bihar state branch for his contribution towards service to humanity.

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सेवा.. स्नेह.. समपणचे...
जुळले नाते रक्ताचे...

आज आमचा **68वा** वधुपिन दिवस!

रक्ताचे हे नाते दिवसेंदिवस वृद्धिंगत होवो, या प्रार्थनेसह... आमचे सर्व रक्तदाते, देणगीदाते, सेवेचा लाभ घेतलेल्या रुग्ण बंधू-भगिणींना विनम्र अभिवादन!

इंडियन रेडक्रॉस सोसायटी, जळगाव
Jalgaon Red Cross district branch completed 68 years

Miscellaneous Activities



यंदाचा गणपती असेल 'विशेष'
कारण गणेशमूर्ती आहे 'विशेष मुलांच्या' कष्टातून साकारलेली

स्वयम् शाळेच्या विशेष मुलांच्या कष्टातून साकारलेल्या शाडूच्या गणेशमूर्ती विकत घेऊन त्यांना आधार देऊन ...स्वयंपूर्ण वनवृक्ष !

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Indian Red Cross Society
इंडियन रेडक्रॉस सोसायटी, कोल्हापूर शाखा संचालित

स्वयम्
School for Special Children

न्यायसंकुल इमारतीमागे, कलेक्टर बंगल्यासोपरी, कराबा बायडा, कोल्हापूर.



Tree Plantation at Tilaknagar industrial area- Shrirampur sub district, Maharashtra state branch

Ganesh Idols were made by Special children of Swayam school run by Indian Red Cross society Kolhapur, District Branch. These are Environment friendly and are made up of Shadu clay (Natural clay). This activity is being carried out since last 15 years.

Heartily Welcome to the newly appointed Secretary of IRCS, Chhattisgarh state branch Shri. Deepak Kumar Agrawal



Plantation programme was organised in collaboration with Lions Club & Rotary Club at Red Cross Old Age Home at Purba Bardhaman District Branch, West Bengal



Plantation drive, Dhamtari, Chhattisgarh

रेडक्रास ने कुछ बस्ती में मास्क, साबुन का वितरण किया



धमवती (प्रखर) : डौलपन ने डकाईस सोसाइटी धनीसगढ़ राज्य मुख्यालय रायपुर राज्य सचिव प्रदीप कुमार साहू के नेतृत्व में कुछ आग्रह करने वाली। धमवती में मास्क एवं सावुन का वितरण किया गया। इस अवसर पर राज्य सचिव साहू ने कहा कि स्वास्थ्य कोरोंना के दौरान लोगों को आर्थिक निष्ठा को ध्यान में रखते हुए जल्दतयों लोगों को रेडकाई द्वारा सहानुभूति पहुंचाई जा रही है। कुछ अवसर के निवास स्थानों का स्वास्थ्य प्रभा किया। जल्दी कटन मास्क पाकर सभी लोग खुल गए। इस अवसर पर सभी लोगों ने स्वच्छ रहने और कोविड-

कोरोना से बचने टीकाकरण

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will be provided

सर्वोपयोगी

Cross: Sharma

हैदराबाद में पृथुज के जंगमपि
नवविद्युत मंत्रि रंजित लोके ने
मुक्तान्तक नरने के विरूद्ध रंजित ठीक

the scheme aimed at making oxygen available in Hyderabad through a simple process. He said that 33 existing ambulances equipped with the society, Smart Ambulance will be used.

पुण्यनरी

SMART कोहपूर ।

■ गजपति १३ २०१७

the scheme aimed at making oxygen available in Haryana through a simple process. He said that 33 emergency ambulances equipped with oxygen concentrators have also been demanded by the society. Sharma said that in the second wave, more concentrator banks should be set up in the districts of Haryana which were re-selected in the second wave. He said that under the guidance of Haryana

जईयाँ पकस से संघटनस्य एतर्नी इक
इरिगुम रेडकॉर्नस सासायुताया उककम
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गवर्नर would be made available to the patients free of cost. फटील, चेअरमन श्रीनिवास मालु, व्हाईस चेअरमन अमर फटील यांचे सहकार्य लाभले. उज्जयला फटील, संधीला फटील, ज्योती तावरे आदी घटनाधिकारी उपस्थित होते.

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महाविद्यालय में चल रहा तीन दिवसीय
बने

टीकाकरण शिविर का हुआ समापन

■ जशपुरान्वल

जांजगीर चांपा। दिनांक 2/7/2021 को टी सी एल

महाविद्यालय में चलाए जा रहे तीन दिवसाय निशुल्क टीकाकरण शिविर का समापन हुआ, शासन तथा प्रशासन के सहयोग से लगाए गए टीकाकरण शिविरों में निशुल्क टीकाकरण किया गया।

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