Indian Red Cross Society

COVID19 Response



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"This is the time when world has come together as one. This invisible warrior has affected a large population. The Red Cross volunteers and health workers are working selflessly to fight the pandemic.

The hope is here, the help is here" ~ Mr. Dilip, Volunteer Speak, Karnataka

Our Impact

Bihar State Branch through its 38 district branches reached around 11.5 lakh beneficiaries by providing food items like dry rashan, NFIs like mask, soap and sanitizers

Delhi State branch provided ration and dry foods to around **8,30,000** people and distributed more than **48,000** masks to various community groups.

76,000 protective masks and **17,000** sanitizers distributed to police officials, health workers and other corona frontline workers by **IRCS Gujarat State Branch**

Recent Updates



UDUPI district branch, Karnataka had distributed essential medicines to poor Cancer patients and dry Ration kits to 111 identified disabled beneficiaries at their door steps.

Volunteers of IRCS **Amritsar district**, Punjab distributed **26000** food packets and **200 ration kits** in slum area.

Arunachal Pradesh state branch supported health department in tracking **110 quarantined families** in Itanagar and Nahorlagun. Reached approx.**6500 families** by providing food items containing rice, pulses and salt.





Goa state branch organised various activities in different Taluka Districts including honouring the services of police, Doctors, Nurses, para medical staff, office of district magistrates by giving them flowers and wishes. The volunteers of IRCS, Goa state branch have also distributed masks sanitizers and launched awareness drive to disseminate the message of importance of wearing masks to various community groups.

IRCS drive for uninterrupted supply of blood and blood services during COVID 19 crisis



"I am personally very proud to help cancer and thalassemic patients during COVID 19 lock down.

Stay home, stay safe and Let's fight CORONA TOGETHER"

~ Ms. Prachi Bhatnagar, Volunteer Speak, Uttar Pradesh

89 IRCS **Blood Banks** across **16 States** (25.03.2020-01-04-2020)

Inspite of 50% drop in blood collection during lockdown

- Around 30,000 units collected
- Out of **7000** registered thalassemic patients, **6000** units issued to **thalassemic** patients
- 27,000 needy benefitted through blood issue
- Around 500 camps conducted and collected 17,000 units through camps
- Pick and drop facilities to donors, ambulance transport services, medicines to elderly patients being observed by all Blood Banks

Blood Bank, NHQ issuing blood during emergency for blood bank stock of Government hospitals

Control rooms setup in 9 blood banks

Delhi, NHQ, Gujarat- Ahmedabad, Kapadwanj, Haryana- Panipat, Karnataka- 1077 service of GoKarnataka, Madhya Pradesh-Singrauli, Maharashtra-Udgir, Tamil Nadu- Chennai, Telangana- Warangal

Blood Donation Drives

- 16000 units collected in Haryana
- 310 units in 30 camps in West Bengal
- 100 units in 3 camps in Tripura
- 300 units in 8 camps in Uttar Pradesh
- 300 units collected in Assam in May

Recent Highlights



Bhopal Red Cross blood bank in house camp volunteers donate blood 36 units



Petlad, Gujarat Red Cross blood bank camp collected 31 units

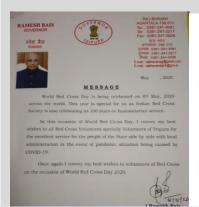


Blood donation camp at **Chennai** collected 71 units of blood



Bokaro, Jharkhand Red Cross blood bank camp collected 45 units

Words of Appreciation



V. Q. SINGH BADNOQE Governor of Punjuk And Administrator Union Territory, Chandigark





A MESSAGE AND APPEAL FROM GOVERNOR, PUNJA

On this "World Red Cross Day" which falls every year on 8th of May, I congratulate all the people of Punjah. At the same time I would like to appeal to everybody to continue their fight against ominous pandemic of Gorona. This battle should be fought bravely, systematically and scientifically. We must continue to take all precautions like keeping a safe distance of two yards from each other, wearing masks, using santitarers and washing hands repeatedly. Avoid socializing and stay at show unless it is unavoidable to do so.

It is a matter of satisfaction and pride for me as President of Funjab State Branch of Indian Red Cross Society that our Red Crossers have played their poie in a magnificent manner during this crisis. Firstly, they launched a vigorous campaign of awareness against Corona and now they are playing their role by providing all type of help including flood essential items, and as antitizers to the needy. I express my deep sense of appreciation for the work being done by Red Crossers in Punjab and pray to God that their efforts would result in a decisive victory against corona. My best wishes.

Stay Home Stay Safe.

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