



**nCORONA VIRUS OUTBREAK CONTROL AND PREVENTION STATE CELL
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Dedicated to People under Home isolation

We thank all those who are under home isolation complying to our directions. Based on the present scenario, the guidelines for home and hospital isolation have been revised and persons should be discharged from home/hospital isolation as per the guidelines attached. Total **1040** persons have been released from home isolation as per the revised guidelines.

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WHO has declared the recent Novel Corona Virus (2019-nCoV) epidemic affecting **25** countries as International Public Health Emergency of International Concern. In this context, Kerala state has strengthened the surveillance and control measures against the disease. Till date, **2455** persons have been identified and placed under surveillance, out of which **2431** are under home isolation and **24** are admitted in designated isolation facilities. Till date **389** Samples of suspect cases have been sent to National Institute of Virology for testing out of which results of **354** samples came as negative. The health status of all students who were tested positive for Corona Virus remain satisfactory. The hospital authorities have confirmed that the health condition of all symptomatic persons under isolation in hospitals are stable. In the background of the present nCorona Virus outbreak, the general public is advised to adhere to health advisories issued by the State Government. Public should follow the cough etiquette by covering the nose and mouth using handkerchief/towel while sneezing/coughing. Do frequent handwashing with soap and water. Those who have arrived from the corona affected countries should

remain under strict home isolation for 28 days from the date of arrival in India, irrespective of whether they are symptomatic or asymptomatic.

Complimentary Activities

- Education department has done extensive training to students with the support of teachers. The PTA has also extended support in coordinating the activities.
- 28 training videos has been prepared so far for training of Staff of Health Department and other line departments. The videos have been disseminated through the “Kerala Health Online Training” YouTube channel of the Directorate of Health Services (<https://www.youtube.com/c/keralahealthonlinetraining>).
- Single window communication channel established with all district control rooms for high priority communications, headed at the state by state control room. Automated data capturing formats for real time data capturing from districts established.
- Human resource management teams have been constituted at the state and district levels. Adequate HR has been ensured for isolation, airport surveillance, transport, isolation services, contact tracing and call centre
- Adequate infrastructure facilities ensured at all designated isolation facilities.
- For providing psychosocial support to the families of suspected persons **215** persons have been deployed across the state. **3264** tele counselling services were provided till date.

District	Cumulative No. of Passengers from china under observation as on today	Cumulative No. of asymptomatic Passengers under home isolation as on today	Cumulative No. of symptomatic passengers hospitalized as on today	Discharged from Home Isolation
Thiruvananthapuram	339	336	3	79
Kollam	192	190	2	135
Pathanamthitta	65	65	0	33
Idukki	33	33	0	16
Kottayam	88	88	0	27
Alappuzha	177	176	1	82
Ernakulam	333	333	0	91
Thrissur	235	229	6	77
Palakkad	119	118	1	47
Malappuram	281	277	4	143
Kozhikode	266	262	4	134
Wayanad	50	50	0	23
Kannur	193	191	2	129
Kasaragod	84	83	1	24
Total	2455	2431	24	1040