

Health Medical and Family Welfare Department,

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WHO has declared the recent Novel Corona Virus (COVID-19) epidemic affecting 113 countries as International Public Health Emergency of International concern (PHEIC). In this context, Government of Telangana has strengthened the surveillance and control measures against the disease, as per the national guidelines.

- ➤ It is advised that mass gathering may be avoided or possibly be postponed till the disease spread is contained.
- Universal screening is done to each passenger with history of foreign travel.
- > State level committee meeting held at Secretariat and reviewed the action taken
- Passengers coming from abroad are requested to cooperate and answer the calls from 104 HELPLINE.

Situation in Telangana:

SI No	Particulars	Today	Cumulative
1	Number of passengers screened at Airport by Health desk	2881	53560
2	Number of self-reported passengers approached	35	654
3	Number of Persons referred by Gol/MHA/Other State IDSP/APHO	47	288
Total No. of Suspects (2+3)		82	942
4	a) Number of persons Asymptomatic & Home Quarantine	71	629
	b) Number of persons Symptomatic/ Hospital Isolation	11	313
	i)Sample collected	11	313
	ii) Tested Negative	2	300
	iii)Tested Positive	0	1
	iv) Results awaited	9	12