

## DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE, GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA

## MEDIA BULLETIN

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In view of Covid-19 global pandemic, the state of Telangana has strengthened surveillance, contact tracing and containment measures against the possible spread of disease.

Till date Twenty One (21) positive cases of COVID-19, New confirmed cases on 21.03.2020= Two (2) cases

P20: 35 Yrs Male from Hyderabad, who is primary contact of P14. Confirmed positive on 21.03.2020, Present condition is stable and admitted in Hospital

P21: 33 Yrs Male Beliseema (MSE Cruise) works in cruise lancer, USA. He came from Dubai. Confirmed positive on 21.03.2020, admitted in Hospital

## **Appeal to Public:**

- Any person who has returned from any foreign country or has been in Transit shall be in self home quarantine for 14 days from the time of arrival in India. irrespective of having any symptoms or not.
- Any person who has been in contact with a confirmed case of COVID-19 must remain in home isolation for 14 days.
- To self-notify at the nearest government hospital immediately after the onset of Symptoms.
- To call 104 health help line for all queries pertaining to Covid-19.
- The Public is requested to stay calm and not panic. State is taking all the measures to contain the spread of the virus to protect and safeguard the public.
- The public are requested to avoid travel, gatherings, crowded areas.
- To maintain personal hygiene, hand hygiene, social distancing, cough hygiene and other preventive measures.

• Please do not believe rumors, fake news in social platforms.

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