Indian Red Cross Society

COVID19 Response

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"We are committed to fighting the corona pandemic and reaching vulnerable communities with relief aid in the post lockdown period. We are also supporting Health workers on the frontline by providing them PPEs and masks."

Dr. N.V. Kamat, Honorary Secretary, IRCS Delhi Branch

Our Impact

267 units of blood collected in Durg Dist. Blood Bank, Chhattisgarh since lockdown

Dry ration distributed among 11,250 people in Buxar, Bihar till date

1405 cooked food packets distributed among the needy in Singrauli, M.P.

200 three layered masks & sanitizers distributed among women vendors in Manipur

864 cooked food packets distributed among the needy in Bikaner, Rajasthan

Dry ration & masks distributed among 500 needy people in Prakasam, A.P.

4 Red Cross Mobile Medical Vans serve the needy in Gurdaspur, Punjab

Today's Highlights



42 units of blood were collected in a camp conducted in

Pallikaranai, Chennai, T.N.

Donors were selected after strict screening as per the stated guidelines. Emphasis was laid on maintaining social distancing during the entire process. All precautions were taken to ensure the safety of staff & donors.



RC Bhiwani, Haryana has started a Roti Bank in Red Cross Bhawan by launching an appeal & exhorting families to make their food contribution in the fight against covid19. Volunteers will go door to door to collect these rotis from willing households & bring them to the Roti Bank for distribution among the needy

Updates from NHQ

Blood Bank- NHQ

Units Collected: 72

Units **Issued** : 42

Units Available -

153 units of PRBC, 130 units

of Platelet Concentrate,

1211 units of FFP

Mann Ki Baat Updates

The status of available blood stock in blood banks across the Nation can be known from

eraktkosh in

For any Blood Services need in Delhi, you may contact Indian Red Cross Society Control Room at

₹011-23359379

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#IndiaFightsCorona

40,000 Red Cross Volunteers are in action across 550+ districts

IRCS Telangana State Branch

"At Indian Red Cross Society, Telangana State Branch, together we are providing support through frontline volunteers for creating awareness among the communities on preventive care, distributing food for stranded and coordinating with authorities for reaching most vulnerable."



Sh. K. Madan Mohan Rao, General Secretary & C.E.O, IRCS Telangana State Branch

- District Branches 33 (all functional)
- Frontline volunteers- 1150
- People reached:

Cooked Food Packets:

Daily: approx. 5000; Till date: 1,50,000

Dry ration Packets:

Daily: approx. 500; Till date: 15,000

• Blood Collection:

Daily: approx. 100 units; Till date: 4441 units

Total camps: 72

Thallassemia patients benefitted: 936

- Resource Spent on Relief:
 - Rs. 18,25,000/-
- Ambulances: 7
- Distribution of personal protection items:

Face masks: 42,000; Sanitizers: 6000

Dr. (Smt.) Tamilisai Soundararajan,
Hon'ble Governor & President, IRCS
Telangana distributed groceries & food
items worth INR 8.00 lakhs among 800

6 families without ration cards

Beneficiaries Speak



"Everyday I take meals for my family from Red Cross. Many people in my locality also come to Red Cross for their daily meals. The food they provide is of very good quality. We have no income in the lockdown period and it would have been impossible for us to survive without Red Cross. I really want to thank them."

Radhe Shyam, a beneficiary from Purana Bus Stand, Bhiwani, Haryana

"I am deeply thankful to Red Cross for providing me with 6 units of O+ve PRBC for my father's cancer surgery at Yesha Onco Care, Navsari. I was very worried when the doctor asked me to arrange 6 units of blood. But when I reached Red Cross Blood Bank, Navsari, I got it immediately. Red Cross is doing extra ordinary work during the covid19 crisis. I salute all Red Cross staff, volunteers & voluntary blood donors for their service."

Sanjay Kumar Halpati, a beneficiary from Navsari, Gujarat



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