

Indian Red Cross Society

COVID19 Response



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"We need to stand united in our battle against corona. It may be a long journey ahead but it is only through our joint efforts that we will be able to end this global pandemic. With this in mind, we at Karnataka Red Cross are working to create awareness & to alleviate the sufferings of the most vulnerable."

Sri. S Naganna, Chairman, IRCS Karnataka State Branch

Our Impact

319 units of blood collected in 4 days through camps in Kundapura, Karnataka

100 PPEs donated to Police personnel on the frontline in Rajkot, Gujarat

1000 sanitizers & 3500 masks distributed in Meghalaya

1,82,318 food packets distributed among the needy in Haryana

2,540 food packets distributed among the needy in Srikakulam, A.P.

1,310 units of blood collected in Punjab till date

500 ration kits distributed among the needy in Kundapura, Karnataka

Today's Highlights



19 units of blood was collected in a camp organized at **Saket Court, Delhi**. **Ramit Bansal** (in pic) was our youngest & most enthusiastic donor today



IRCS **West Bengal** has initiated 'Phone Consultation' & '**Psychosocial Counseling**' for the needy through voluntary services of specialist doctors



5 units of blood was collected at a blood donation camp organized in Nainital. A total of **700 units** have been collected in **Uttarakhand** till date



IRCS **Goa** State Branch organized two blood donation camps, collecting 50 units of blood in **Margao** and 34 units in IRCS Goa, **Panaji**

Updates from NHQ

Blood Bank- NHQ

Units **Collected** : 68

Units **Issued** : 66

Units **Available** -

186 units of **PRBC**, **105** units of **Platelet Concentrate**, **1261** units of **FFP**



Volunteers in **Telangana** work tirelessly to spread cheer, smiles & hope in these unprecedented times

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



IRCS Karnataka State Branch

"The war against covid19 is being waged collectively by IRCS Karnataka, in association with Govt. Departments & District Administration. The Corona Warriors who have enrolled to serve the society hail from highly professional fields like, IT, HR, Medical, civil defense, home guards who are discharging their responsibilities very diligently."

Mrs. Prashanth Chandrashekar, General Secretary, IRCS Karnataka State Branch



- District **Branches**- 30 (all functional)
- **Frontline** volunteers- 22,000
- **People reached:**
 - Cooked Food** Packets:
Daily: approx. 1,30,000
 - Dry ration** Packets:
Daily: approx. 500; Till date: 15,000
- **Blood Collection:**
Daily: approx. 20 units; Till date: 460 units
- **Resources spent on relief aid:** 4 crores
- **Associated NGOs:** 126+

- Distribution of **personal protection items:**
Face masks: 3 lakh+; Sanitizers: 2 lakh+
- **IRCS, Karnataka SB** got associated with Govt. of Karnataka, DIPR & Labor Dept. to form a group of **22,000 Warriors** who have registered online to fight the corona pandemic. The Labor Dept. has routed INR 3 crore through IRCS district branches to purchase & distribute IEC material, masks, soaps & sanitisers. All the Warriors have been trained to create awareness & are provided with an ID card issued jointly by IRCS, DIPR and Labor Department

Inspirational Leaders



We thank **Sh. Narottam Kaushal ji, Distt & Sessions Judge, Dwarka** for supporting IRCS NHQ Blood Bank in organizing a blood donation camp at Saket Court today. Not only did Sh. Kaushal ji donate blood himself, he also encouraged his family, friends and neighbours to come forward & contribute towards this noble cause. Following his lead, several people, including his wife & son donated blood.

Sh. Krishna Singh, a Red Crosser from IRCS Uttar Pradesh did not give up on Sh. RamLal, an initially reluctant & inflexible beneficiary from Lucknow. After about an hour's persuasion, Krishna's persistence eventually convinced RamLal to cover his face with a cloth mask to protect himself & others. RamLal was also encouraged to practice social distancing & proper respiratory hygiene in the battle against covid19.



In the Media



कोरोना वारियर्स को रेडक्रॉस ने बाँटे मास्क

मीडिया दर्शन नरकटियागंज इंडियन रेडक्रॉस सोसाइटी नरकटियागंज द्वारा शिकारपुर थाना, पंजाब नेशनल बैंक, बैंक ऑफ इंडिया के अतिरिक्त पकड़ी ढाला, सोफवा, हरदिया चौक के पास बने लॉकडाउन प्वाइंट पर कार्यरत 400 कोरोना वारियर्स को सुरक्षा के दृष्टिकोण से मास्क का वितरण किया। संस्था के सभापति बलविंदर सिंह एवं सचिव डॉ० फैसल सिद्दीकी ने बताया कि कोरोना जैसे वैश्विक महामारी में इन वारियर्स अपनी स्वास्थ्य की चिंता न करते हुए लोगों की सुरक्षा में अपनी जान की बाजी लगा दी है। मौके पर डॉ० आफताब आलम, वर्मा प्रसाद, प्रदीप कुमार श्रीवास्तव, कन्हैया अग्रवाल



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