

Indian Red Cross Society

COVID19 Response



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"We have taken several initiatives to encourage voluntary blood donors to come forward & donate blood. Camps are being held across the country in strict adherence of safety precautions & social distancing norms. I am confident that our efforts will help us tide over the current crisis."

Dr. Vanshree Singh, Director Blood Bank, IRCS

Our Impact

2,25,556 packets of dry ration distributed in Haryana till date

More than 1 lakh food packets distributed in Uttarakhand

1300 sanitary pads & 1000 masks distributed in Mohali, Punjab

44 units of blood collected in Mancherial, Telangana

99 units of blood collected in Kundapura, Udupi, Karnataka

2,000 people provided food, water & buttermilk in West Godavari, A.P.

7500 dry ration packets distributed in Lakhisarai, Bihar

Today's Highlights



95 units of blood was collected at a camp organized by NHQ Blood Bank, in association with 'Sri Krishna Kripa Yuva Manch' in **Karnal, Haryana**. All social distancing norms were followed



"Where there is will, there is a way"
Volunteers in **Pithoragarh, Uttarakhand** overcame insurmountable odds to reach Vanraji Tribal Village with relief material



A blood donation camp was organized in **Samastipur, Bihar** with the support of Bhartiya Janta Yuva Morcha. All precautions were followed while collecting 5 units of blood



Volunteers in **Bhopal, M.P.** conduct thermal screening of Police personnel, facilitate & create awareness on social distancing & provide food to the needy

Updates from NHQ

Blood Bank- NHQ

Units **Collected** : 11

Units **Issued** : 82

Units **Available** -

146 units of **PRBC**, **78** units of **Platelet Concentrate**, **1294** units of FFP



Essential food supply & relief aid reach remote areas in East Godavari, A.P.

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



IRCS Odisha State Branch

"In the face of adversity, we have the choice of giving more and more."

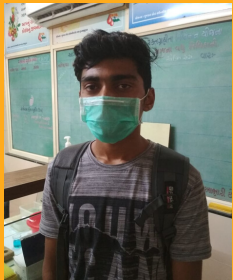
Ms CTM. Suguna, IAS (Retd.) Honorary Secretary, IRCS, Odisha State Branch



- Active District **Branches**- 30
- **Frontline** volunteers- 9870
- **People reached:**
Cooked Food Packets:
Till date: 8,534
- **Resources spent on Relief-Aid:**
Approx. 30 lakhs
- **Isolation/Quarantine Centres:** 9
Several cyclone shelters being readied for all eventualities
- **Dry ration** distributed among the needy

- **Blood Collection:** 1686 units till date
- **Hygiene Kits:** 5000 families
- **Ambulances:** 5
- **Distribution of personal protection items:** Face masks, Sanitizers, etc: 3000+ till date
- **Animal Care:** Feeding stray animals
- **Hand Washing Kits** provided to prisoners
- Extended **support to corona warriors** (police, press & others)

Beneficiaries & Volunteers Speak



"My father was hospitalized & we needed two units of blood. Even though it is difficult to arrange things during this critical period, I had no problem in getting blood through Red Cross. I am very thankful to IRCS Navsari, Gujarat for supporting my family with their services & am also grateful to Red Cross staff & volunteers for their dedication. Red Cross Blood Bank came into my life as a representative of God."

Rahul Kiran Patel, a beneficiary from Navsari, Gujarat

"I joined my local Red Cross chapter in Bathinda as a volunteer during the lockdown period to make my contribution in the fight against corona. I have been creating awareness on covid19 safety precautions on social media platforms & have been actively engaged in motivating blood donors to step forward & donate blood during this critical period. I am happy that I am able to contribute when it matters."

Pallav Gupta, a Banker & Red Cross volunteer from Bathinda, Punjab

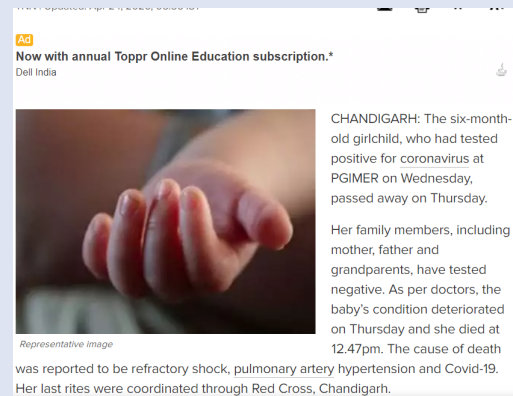


In the Media



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