



**Government of Nepal**  
**Ministry of Health and Population**  
**Health Sector Response to Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19)**  
Wednesday | 10 Baisakh 2077 (22<sup>nd</sup> April 2020)

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### Major Activities

- The Government of India through Indian Embassy handed over 18 different types of medicines (23 tons) to the Ministry of Health and Population (MoHP) in the presence of Honorable Minister, MoHP Mr. Bhanu Bhakta Dhakal.
- The Government of China, Tibet province provided medical items for COVID-19 testing and control (PCR machine - 2, Infrared Thermometer – 1000, Testing Kit (including VTM) – 20000, PPE set – 10000, N95 Mask - 10000 and Wet Wipe with Alcohol – 50) to MoHP. Chief Specialist Dr. Roshan Pokharel, on behalf of MoHP received these items today at 11.30 am, in Miteri Bridge, Tatopani Customs Office.
- With support from World Vision International, through Social Welfare Council, Honorable Minister, Ministry of Women, Children and Senior Citizens Mr. Parbat Gurung handed over 1000 PPE set and 10 units of thermal gun to Honorable Minister, MoHP Mr. Bhanu Bhakta Dhakal, to be distributed to health facilities in different provinces. Similarly, Rotary Club of Kathmandu and Panchakanya Group jointly handed over 2 swab collection booths to MoHP.



### Highlights of hand over of medical items to MoHP

### Logistics Management

Department of Health Services (DoHS) has been supplying necessary items such as disinfectant sprayer pump, PPE, N95 masks, gowns, goggles, gloves, thermometer as per the demand and need.

### Information and Communication

A total of 2144 people received services from two COVID-19 call centers (1115 and 1133) today.

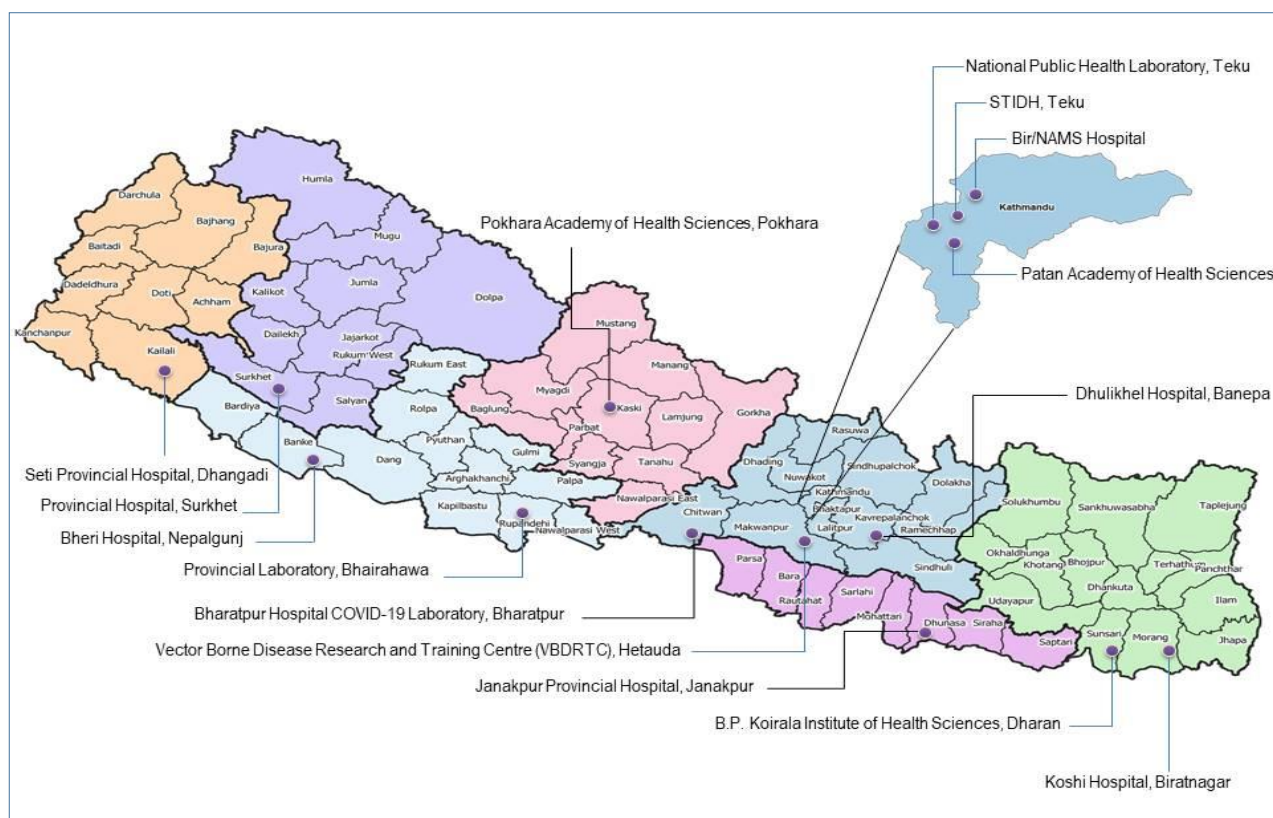
## ILI/SARI Cases Reported from EWARS Sentinel Sites

Date	ILI/SARI cases
17 April	63
18 April	46
19 April	52
20 April	38
21 April	22

As of 10 Baisakh 2077 (22<sup>nd</sup> April 2020), 15:00hrs

### Expansion of Laboratory Service:

Including the National Public Health Laboratory (NPHL), Teku, COVID-19 lab test through PCR (Polymerase Chain Reaction) is available in 15 institutions across the country.

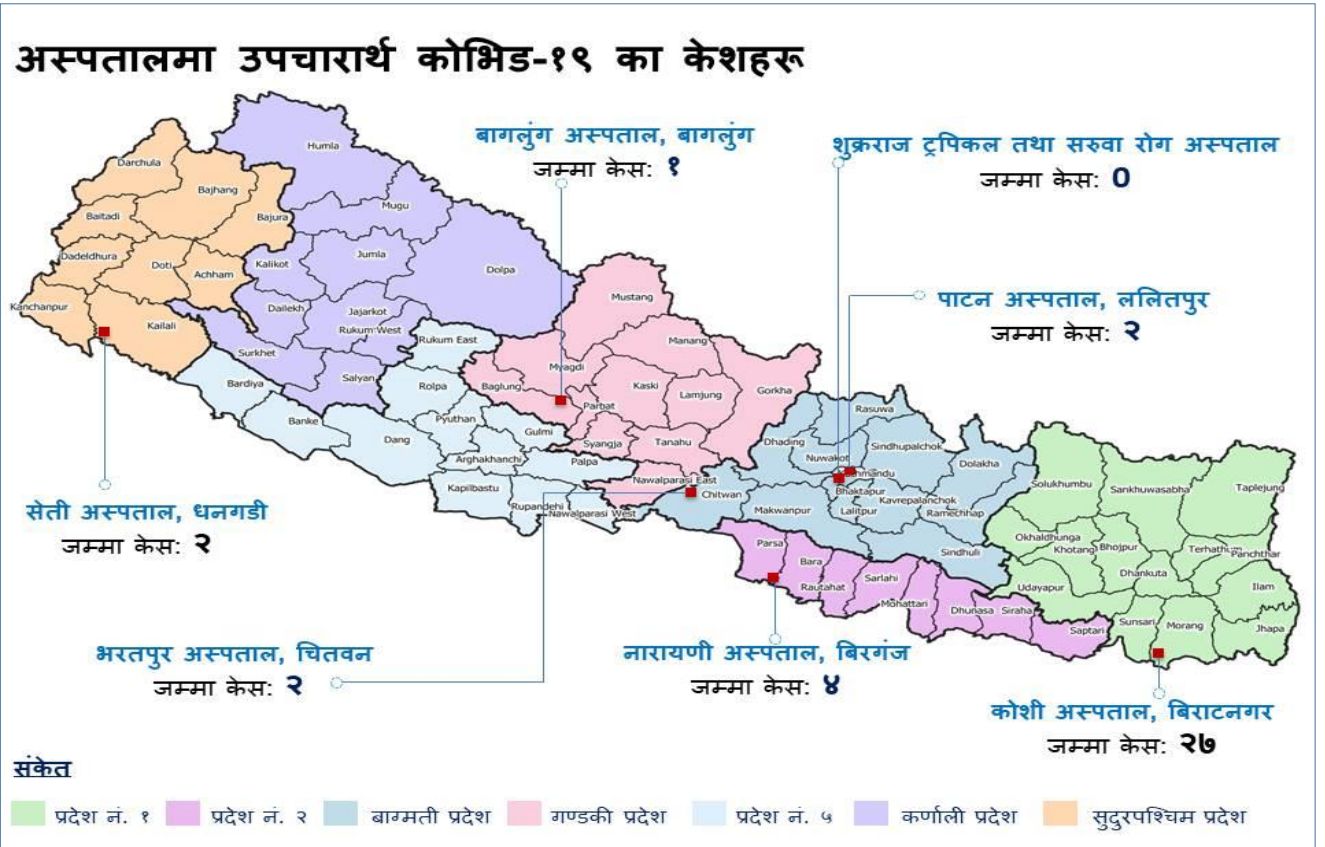


### Laboratory Test

Forty-five (45) people have been reported as positive for COVID-19 till date. Three new positive cases were reported today. Seven infected individuals have recovered and resumed normal life, while the remaining 38 infected people are receiving treatment in different COVID-19 hospitals.

Following are PCR test result as of today:

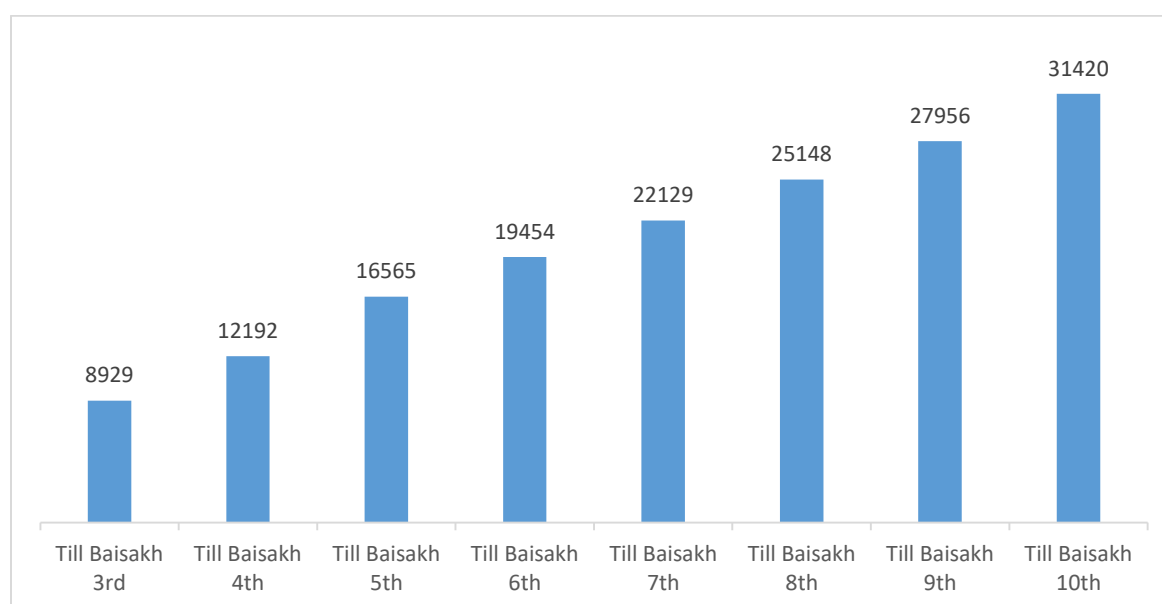
Laboratory	Total Negative	Total Positive	Results awaiting	New tests of today	New positive case as of today
National Public Health Laboratory and Sukraraj Tropical and Infectious Disease Hospital, Teku, Kathmandu	5895	34	0	190	0
B. P. Koirala Institute of Health Sciences, Dharan	318	11	40	24	0
Koshi Hospital, Biratnagar	416	0	0	0	0
Janakpur Provincial Hospital, Janakpur	93	0	0	2	0
Bharatpur COVID-19 Diagnostic Laboratory, Chitwan	318	0	0	0	0
Provincial Laboratory, Bhairahawa	144	0	5	2	0
Bir Hospital, Kathmandu	64	0	0	6	0
Pokhara Academy of Health Science, Pokhara	428	0	7	9	0
Vector Borne Disease Research and Training Centre, Hetauda	284	0	0	21	0
Kathmandu University Teaching Hospital, Dhulikhel	474	0	0	0	0
Patan Hospital, Lalitpur	3	0	0	3	0
Surkhet Provincial Hospital, Surkhet	207	0	1	3	0
Bheri Hospital, Nepalgunj	12	0	7	3	0
Seti Provincial Hospital, Dhangadi	313	0	5	12	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>8969</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>275</b>	<b>0</b>



## Province-wise information on quarantine, isolation, and laboratory test:

Province	No. of quarantine beds	No. of people in quarantine	No. of isolation beds	No. of patients in isolation	Status of RDT till 9 <sup>th</sup> Baisakh 2077
Province 1	4308	1093	449	27	3097
Province 2	3861	1175	227	15	3925
Bagmati Province	4670	110	897	19	5915
Gandaki Province	3833	159	279	2	4272
Province 5	8221	3454	534	18	2596
Karnali Province	4080	869	466	8	4308
Sudurpaschim Province	5421	1735	274	6	7307
<b>Total</b>	<b>34394</b>	<b>8595</b>	<b>3126</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>31420</b>

## Details of RDT sample collection across the country (3<sup>rd</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> Baisakh, 2077)



## Standards and Guidelines

- [Guideline on the use of Personal Protective Equipment \(PPE\) in the context of COVID-19](#)
- [COVID-19 SOP, Case Investigation and Tracing form](#)
- [Protocol for ILI clinics \(COVID-19 screening COVID clinics\)](#)
- [COVID-19 Patient Transport Team \(PTT\) Guideline to transport COVID-19 patients to hospitals and treatment centers](#)
- [Interim Clinical Guidance and Infection Prevention and Control Guideline for health institutions attending COVID-19 patients](#)
- [Brief procedure for the management of the bodies of people who died due to COVID-19](#)
- [Flow diagram for testing returnees for COVID-19 \(RDT or PCR\)](#)
- [Guideline on sample collection from people on COVID-19 quarantine](#)
- [Wondfo SARS-CoV-2 Antibody Test Procedure](#)
- [Interim guideline on delivery of COVID and other health care services in the context of COVID-19 epidemic - 2076](#)
- [Methods for Laboratory testing of COVID-19](#)