

Media Bulletin on COVID-19, Dated: 17.03.2022

World Health Organization (WHO) has declared the Novel Corona Virus, COVID-19 as Pandemic. Globally, as of 16.03.2022 there have been **46,02,80,168** Confirmed cases **60,50,018** deaths. (Source:-<https://covid19.who.in/> at 07.57 p.m. CET).

Till date in India, the Confirmed Cases are **4,30,01,476** (+2,538) **Recovered 4,24,54,546** (+4,492) including **5,16,132** (+60) **deaths**. The situation of Confirmed COVID-19 cases in North Eastern states: -Assam (**7,24,178**), Mizoram (**2,21,977**), Manipur (**1,37,028**), Meghalaya (**93,688**), Arunachal Pradesh (**64,483**), Sikkim (**39,111**) and Nagaland (**35,455**). Source: [AarogyaSetu App](#) as on 17.03.2022 at 12: 30 PM).

The detailed status of surveillance activity for COVID-19 (as on 17th March, 2022 morning) is given below:-

Sample tested (RTPCR)	4,88,980	Patient recovered	99,885
Sample tested (RAT)	19,46,299	Total no of patients under treatment /Active case	01
Total Sample tested	24,35,279	No of Death	916
Sample positive (RTPCR)	14,702	COVID-19 positivity rate	4.14%
Sample positive (RAT)	86,168	Recovery rate	99.09%
Total Sample positive	1,00,870	Fatality rate	0.91%
Sample Negative	23,34,409	Tests per million	6,09,185

In order to contain the spread of the virus, Tripura Government has strengthened the Surveillance and control measures against the disease.

The detailed status of surveillance activity for COVID-19 as on 17th March, 2022 (as on today morning) is given below:

Sample tested (RTPCR)	101
Sample tested (RAT)	908
Total Sample tested	1009
Sample positive (RTPCR)	0
Sample positive (RAT)	0
Total Sample positive	0
Positivity rate	0.00%
Patient recovered	0
No of Death	0