

India Update over Covid Scenario

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India's tally has moved to 11.55 million which includes 40,000 new cases, as of date.

India on 1st March started the second phase of the vaccination drive in which everyone above 60 years of age and those over 45 years with comorbidities will be able to get the COVID-19 vaccine. So far India has vaccinated about 35 million of its population which includes healthcare workers, frontline workers and General Public.

A total of 59.4 million doses of Indian-made COVID-19 vaccine has been exported to 72 countries till March 15 and India is increasing its production to cater both domestic and International demand.

The Indian government has extended the ban on international commercial flights till 31 March. Dedicated cargo flights and flights under the bilateral air bubble pacts with about 27 countries, which include countries like Afghanistan, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Bhutan, Canada, Ethiopia, France, Germany, Iraq, Japan, Kenya, Kuwait, Maldives, Nepal, Netherlands, Nigeria, Oman, Qatar, Rwanda, Seychelles, Tanzania, Ukraine, the UAE, the UK, Uzbekistan and the US will continue to operate.

Tourism ministry is actively considering opening up of the VISA's to all foreign nationals to visit India which will be subject to strict health & safety protocols and COVID -19 tests prior to leaving their country and upon arrival in India.

Will keep you updated on the same. For the latest updates you may visit <https://www.mygov.in/covid-19>