

Ministry of Health and Family Welfare

## **UPDATES on COVID-19**

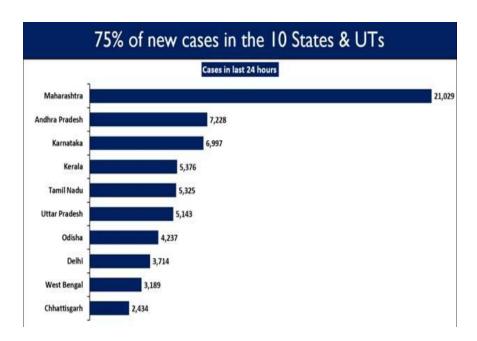
## 75% of new confirmed cases found concentrated in 10 States/UTs

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For the sixth consecutive day, the number of new confirmed cases has been lower than the new recoveries.

A total of **86,508** new cases have been reported in the last 24 hours in the country. **75%** of the new confirmed cases are concentrated in 10 States/UTs.

Maharashtra continues to top this list. It has alone contributed more than 21,000 followed by Andhra Pradesh and Karnataka with more than more than 7,000 and 6,000 cases respectively.



**1,129** deaths have been registered in the past 24 hours.

10 States/UTs account for 83% of the deaths in the last 24 hours due to COVID.

Maharashtra reported 479 deaths followed by Uttar Pradesh and Punjab with 87 and 64 deaths, respectively.

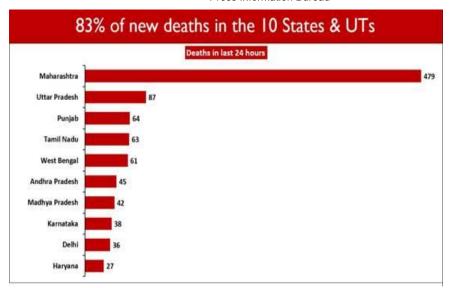






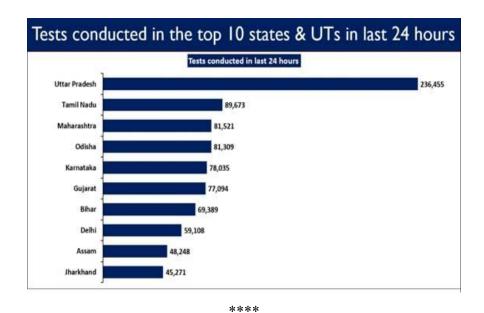


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India has substantially ramped up its testing infrastructure across the country. As on date, there are **1810 labs** including 1082 government and 728 private labs.

11,56,569 tests were conducted in the past 24 hours. The total number of tests has crossed 6.74 cr today.



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