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PIB'S BULLETIN ON COVID-19



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- **Over 131 cr vaccine doses have been administered so far under Nationwide Vaccination Drive today afternoon.**
- **India's Active caseload currently stands at 94,742**
- **Active cases account for less than 1% of total cases, currently at 0.27%; Lowest since March 2020**
- **Recovery Rate currently at 98.36%; Highest since March 2020**
- **8,251 recoveries in the last 24 hours increases Total Recoveries to 3,40,97,388**
- **9,419 new cases in the last 24 hours**
- **Daily positivity rate (0.73%) less than 2% for last 66 days**
- **Weekly Positivity Rate (0.74%) less than 1% for last 25 days**
- **65.19 cr Total Tests conducted so far**

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India's cumulative COVID-19 Vaccination coverage exceeds

130.39 CRORE

Cumulative Vaccine Dose Coverage					
	Healthcare workers	Frontline workers	People Aged 18-44 Years	People Aged ≥ 45 Years	People Aged ≥ 60 Years
1 st Dose	1,03,85,160	1,83,82,231	47,27,96,104	18,81,92,929	11,77,32,931
2 nd Dose	95,71,919	1,66,40,653	25,66,38,645	12,96,48,490	8,39,43,224

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As at 8 AM on 9th December, 2021

80.86 Lakh
doses administered
in last 24 hours

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COVID-19 Update

India's Cumulative COVID-19 Vaccination Coverage exceeds 131 Cr

More than 80 Lakh doses administered in the last 24 hours

Recovery Rate currently at 98.36% is highest since March 2020

9,419 New Cases reported in the last 24 hours

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Weekly Positivity Rate (0.74%) less than 1% for last 25 days

With the administration of **80,86,910** vaccine doses in the last 24 hours, India's Cumulative COVID-19 Vaccination Coverage has exceeded 131 Cr today afternoon. This has been achieved through 1, 35,89,181 sessions.

The break-up of the cumulative figure as per the provisional report till 7 am today include:



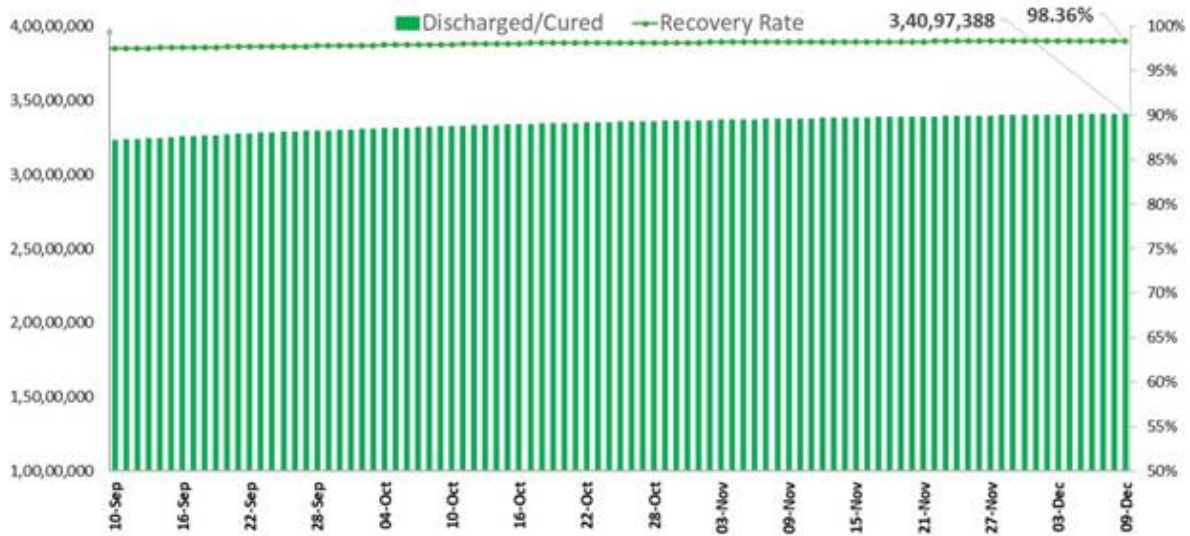
HCWs	1 st Dose	1,03,85,160
	2 nd Dose	95,71,919
FLWs	1 st Dose	1,83,82,231
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Age Group 18-44 years	1 st Dose	47,27,96,104
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Age Group 45-59 years	1 st Dose	18,81,92,929
	2 nd Dose	12,96,48,490
Over 60 years	1 st Dose	11,77,32,931
	2 nd Dose	8,39,43,224
Total		1,30,39,32,286

The recovery of **8,251** patients in the last 24 hours has increased the cumulative tally of recovered patients (since the beginning of the pandemic) to **3,40,97,388**.

Consequently, India's recovery rate stands at **98.36%**, highest since March 2020.



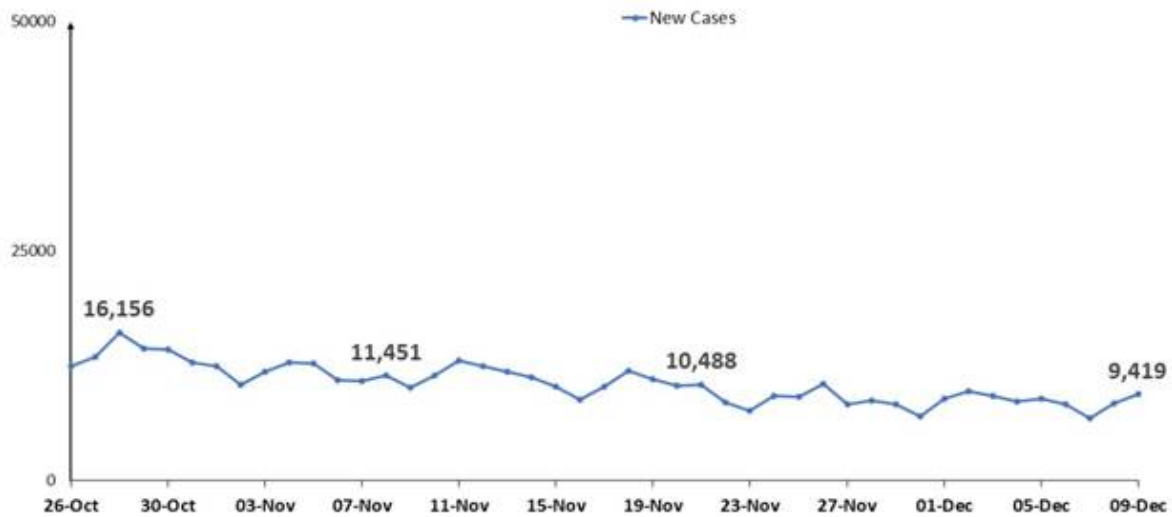
Recovered cases over 3.40 Cr & Recovery rate at 98.36%



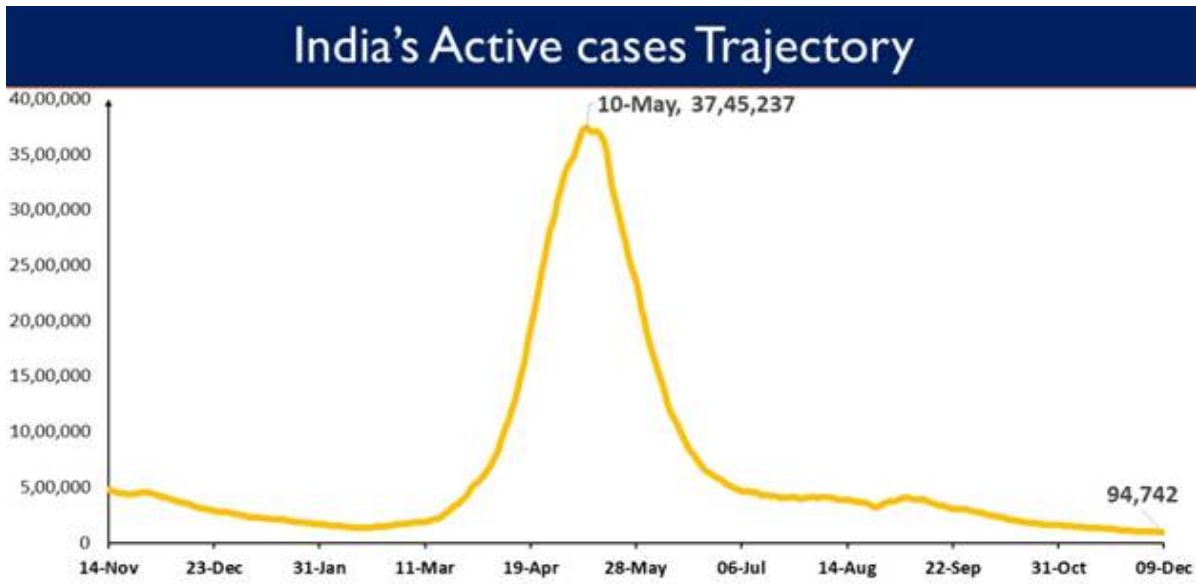
Sustained and collaborative efforts by the Centre and the States/UTs continue the trend of less than 15,000 Daily New Cases that is being reported for last 42 days now.

9,419 new cases were reported in the last 24 hours.

9K New Cases reported in last 24 hrs

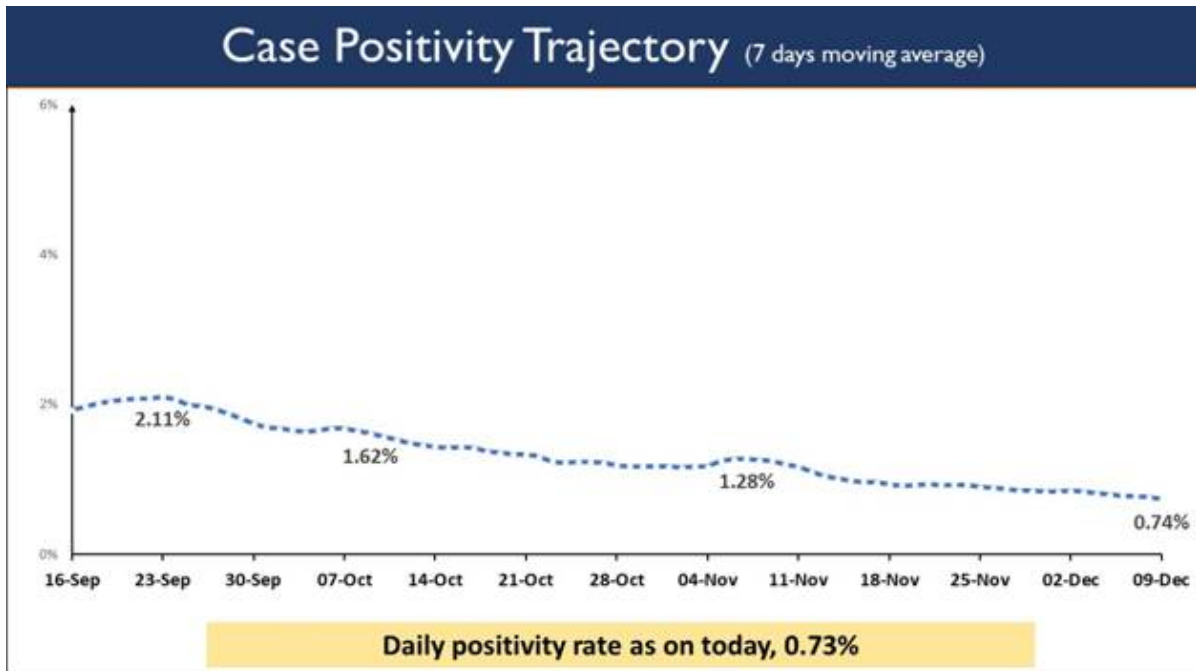


India's Active Case load is presently at **94,742**. Active cases constitute **0.27%** of the country's total Positive Cases, which is **lowest since March 2020**.



The testing capacity across the country continues to be expanded. The last 24 hours saw a total of 12,89,983 tests being conducted. India has so far conducted over **65.19 Cr (65,19,50,127)** cumulative tests.

While testing capacity has been enhanced across the country, **Weekly Positivity Rate at 0.74% remains less than 1% for the last 25 days now.** The **Daily Positivity rate reported to be 0.73%.** The daily Positivity rate has remained below 2% for last 66 days and below 3% for 101 consecutive days now.



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Update on COVID-19 Vaccine Availability in States/UTs



More than 140 Crore vaccine doses provided to States/UTs



More than 19 Crore balance and unutilized vaccine doses still available with States/UTs

The Union Government is committed to accelerating the pace and expanding the scope of COVID-19 vaccination throughout the country. The nationwide COVID 19 vaccination started on 16th January 2021. The new phase of universalization of COVID-19 vaccination commenced from 21st June 2021. The vaccination drive has been ramped up through availability of more vaccines, advance visibility of vaccine availability to States and UTs for enabling better planning by them, and streamlining the vaccine supply chain.

As part of the nationwide vaccination drive, Government of India has been supporting the States and UTs by providing them COVID Vaccines free of cost. In the new phase of the universalization of the COVID19 vaccination drive, the Union Government will procure and supply (free of cost) 75% of the vaccines being produced by the vaccine manufacturers in the country to States and UTs.

VACCINE DOSES	(As on 9 th December, 2021)
SUPPLIED	1,40,01,00,230
BALANCE AVAILABLE	19,08,75,946

More than **140 crore (1,40,01,00,230)** vaccine doses have been provided to States/UTs so far through Govt of India (free of cost channel) and through direct state procurement category.

More than **19 Cr (19,08,75,946)** balance and unutilized COVID Vaccine doses are still available with the States/UTs to be administered.

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Centre reviews Public Health Response to COVID-19 in the light of emergence of OMICRON and Progress of Vaccination with States/UT

States advised to enhance testing, surveillance and prompt dispatch of samples to INSACOG labs for genome Sequencing

Optimal Utilization of ECRP-II to strengthen critical Hospital Infrastructure

Operationalization of PSA plants, Oxygen Concentrators & Ventilators stressed



The five-fold strategy of Test-Track-Treat-Vaccinate-adherence to COVID Appropriate Behaviour (CAB) was highlighted as the mainstay of public health response strategy for effective and timely control and management of COVID19 and its variants by Union Health Secretary Shri Rajesh Bhushan as he reviewed the public health preparedness to the Omicron variant of COVID-19 and progress of vaccination with Health Secretaries and NHM MDs of States and UTs, through video conference (VC) today. Dr Balram Bhargava, DG (ICMR) and Secy (DHR) as well as Dr Rajesh Gokhale, Secretary, DBT were also present.



States and UTs were urged to enhance testing and focus on surveillance to ensure early identification of the suspected cases for their prompt isolation and further clinical management. They were advised to ensure availability of PT-PCR testing in all districts. Districts reporting higher case positivity were alerted to monitor the case trajectory on a regular basis, and to promptly dispatch positive samples to the mapped INSACOG (Indian SARS-CoV-2 Genomics Consortium) labs for whole genome sequencing. Close monitoring of new emerging hotspots/clusters, breakthrough and re-infection cases, and prompt investigation of such events by the Rapid Response Teams was discussed



Based on the information of international travelers from ‘at risk’ countries from Air Suvidha portal, district-wise monitoring of international passengers who have tested negative on arrival with focus on symptomatic cases, was highlighted. In view of the forthcoming winter season, they were advised that prevalence of influenza-like illness (ILI) / severe acute respiratory infection (SARI) and respiratory distress symptoms needs to be closely monitored. Review of monitoring mechanism for effective home isolation was stressed.

f In order to ensure that all hospital infrastructures is ready for any possible surge in cases, States/UTs were advised to review their readiness for providing quality medical care. They need to ensure that funds released by Government of India under ECRP-II are being utilised for creating and strengthening health infrastructure, and 100% matching funds are promptly released by States to the State Health Societies.

🐦 As the progress of the funds utilisation at the field level is being reviewed by the Health Ministry, information on progress of funds utilisation needs to be filled in the portal created for the purpose. It

🗨️ needs to be ensured that al health facilities at the field level have functional ventilators, PSA plants, oxygen concentrators etc. States were informed that many ventilators supplied by the Centre are still

✉️ lying unpacked and unused at some field hospitals, with consumables not being procured & made available by the States. This needs to be reviewed immediately to ensure that all PSA Oxygen plants, Oxygen concentrators and ventilators are installed and functioning.

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🔗 ***More than 80 lakh (80,86,910) vaccine doses administered in the last 24 hours.***

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🔗 More than 12 Lakh (12,89,983) #COVID19 samples tested in the last 24 hours.

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📍 India registered more than 8 Thousand (8,251) #COVID19 recoveries in the last 24 hours.



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